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CITY OF BOSTON

Proceedings of the Boston City Council

Wednesday, January 7, 2015

Regular meeting of the City Council held in the Christopher A. Iannella Chamber, City Hall, at 12:10 p.m. President Linehan in the Chair.

INVOCATION

Dr. Arthur T. Gerald, Jr., Twelfth Baptist Church, delivered the invocation, and the meeting was opened with the pledge of allegiance to the flag.

STATEMENT OF PRESIDENT LINEHAN

President LINEHAN wanted to wish Bill Brett well. Mr. Brett was to be honored today in the Council Chambers for his fifty years with the Boston Globe but was unable to come in due to illness.

STATEMENT OF PRESIDENT LINEHAN

President LINEHAN moved to adopt the minutes from the December 17, 2014 meeting. **Motion prevailed.**

ORDER AUTHORIZING MAYOR'S OFFICE OF NEW URBAN MECHANICS TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND A GRANT NOT TO EXCEED $1,350,000 FROM BLOOMBERG PHILANTHROPIES TO SUPPORT CREATION OF BOSTON'S FIRST INNOVATION DELIVERY TEAM OVER PERIOD OF THREE YEARS (DOCKET NO. 0118)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

December 30, 2014

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I hereby transmit for your approval an Order authorizing the Mayor's Office of New Urban Mechanics to accept and expend funds in an amount not to exceed $1,350,000.00 from Bloomberg Philanthropies to be used to support the creation of Boston's first innovation delivery team (IDT). The grant will be used over three years, beginning with the IDT helping to create the City's Housing Innovation Lab. The Lab will research and implement new ways for the City to partner with the innovation sector to create the 53,000 units of housing called for in our "Boston2030" housing plan. In subsequent years, the IDT will help support other priority areas for the City.

I urge this Honorable Body to adopt this Order as soon as possible so that the City of Boston may accept the funds expeditiously and expend them for the purposes for which these funds were granted.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR'S OFFICE OF NEW URBAN MECHANICS TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND A GRANT FROM BLOOMBERG PHILANTHROPIES TO BE USED TO SUPPORT THE CREATION OF BOSTON'S FIRST INNOVATION DELIVERY TEAM (IDT).

ORDERED: That the Mayor's Office of New Urban Mechanics, acting on behalf of the City of Boston be, and hereby is authorized, pursuant to G.L. c. 44, § 53A, to accept and expend a grant in an amount not to exceed one million three hundred and fifty thousand dollars ($1,350,000.00) from Bloomberg Philanthropies.

Referred to the Committee on Economic Development and Planning and Labor.

ORDER AUTHORIZING POLICE DEPARTMENT TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND DONATION OF $7,500 FROM HIGHLAND STREET FOUNDATION FOR USE BY YOUTH VIOLENCE STRIKE FORCE TO FUND OPPORTUNITIES FOR CITY OF BOSTON'S YOUTH, INCLUDING ATTENDANCE AT SUMMER CAMPS THROUGH YOUTH CONNECT/BOYS & GIRLS CLUBS (DOCKET NO. 0119)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

December 30, 2014

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I herewith submit for your approval, an Order to accept and expend for the benefit of the City of Boston, a donation of $7,500.00 from the Highland Street Foundation for use by the Youth Violence Strike Force to fund opportunities for the City of Boston's youth, including attendance at summer camps through Youth Connect/Boys & Girls Clubs. These funds will be used in furtherance of the City's efforts relating to community policing and community engagement.

I urge your Honorable Body to adopt this Order as soon as possible so that the City of Boston may accept the funds expeditiously and use it for the purpose for which it was granted.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE BOSTON POLICE DEPARTMENT TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND A DONATION FROM THE HIGHLAND STREET FOUNDATION FOR USE BY THE YOUTH VIOLENCE STRIKE FORCE.

ORDERED: That the Boston Police Department, acting on behalf of the City of Boston be, and hereby is authorized, pursuant to section 53A of chapter 44 of the Massachusetts General Laws, to accept and expend a donation from the Highland Street Foundation not to exceed seven thousand five hundred dollars ($7,500.00) for use by the Youth Violence Strike Force to fund opportunities for the City of Boston's youth, including attendance at summer camps through Youth Connect/Boys & Girls Clubs.

On motion of Councilor MURPHY, the rules were suspended; the order was passed.

ORDER AUTHORIZING MAYOR'S OFFICE TO ACCEPT DONATION OF PODIUM FROM IRONWORKERS LOCAL 7, NEW ENGLAND REGIONAL COUNCIL OF CARPENTERS, NEW ENGLAND CARPENTERS TRAINING CENTER AND YOUTH BUILD BOSTON (DOCKET NO. 0120)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

January 2, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I herewith submit for your approval, an Order to accept for the benefit of the City of Boston, a donation of a podium from the Ironworkers Local 7 of Boston Massachusetts, New England Regional Council of Carpenters, and New England Carpenters Training Center in Millbury, MA. The podium was designed by Youth Build Boston, a local organization that works with young adults in the Boston area to develop personal.and career skills using innovative programs in the building trades, from design and construction to the green industry, and built by Ironworkers of Local 7 and trainees of the Carpenter's Training Center. The podium shall serve as a representation of the quality onocal design and manufacturing. The podium will be used daily in City programs in furtherance of our efforts to continue supporting the development of local building and manufacturing trades.

I urge your Honorable Body to adopt this Order as soon as possible so that the City of Boston may accept the podium expeditiously and use it for the purpose for which it was granted.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR'S OFFICE TO ACCEPT A DONATION FROM THE IRONWORKERS LOCAL 7, NEW ENGLAND REGIONAL COUNCIL OF CARPENTERS, THE NEW ENGLAND CARPENTERS TRAINING CENTER AND YOUTH BUILD BOSTON.

ORDERED: That the Mayor's Office, acting on behalf of the City of Boston be, and hereby is authorized, pursuant to section 53A1/2 of chapter 44 of the Massachusetts General Laws, to accept a podium for use by city officials at public events.

The rules were suspended; the order was passed.

COMMUNICATION RECEIVED FROM BOSTON RETIREMENT BOARD RE: CERTIFICATION AND TRANSMITTAL TO CITY COUNCIL OF BOSTON RETIREMENT BOARD BUDGET. CALENDAR YEAR 2015 OPERATING BUDGET (DOCKET NO. 0121)

Communication was received from the Boston Retirement Board re: Certification and Transmittal to City Council of Boston Retirement Board Budget. Calendar Year 2015 Operating Budget.

Referred to the Committee on Post Audit and Oversight.

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On motion of President Linehan, Docket No. 0121 was placed on file.

COMMUNICATION RECEIVED FROM CITY CLERK OF FILING BY BRA OF FOURTH AMENDMENT AGREEMENT BETWEEN CITY OF BOSTON AND ST. BOTOLPH TERRACE APARTMENTS PURSUANT TO CHAPTER 121A, SECTION 6A OF MASSACHUSETTS GENERAL LAW" (DOCKET NO. 0122)

Communication was received from the City Clerk of the filing by the Boston Redevelopment Authority of the Fourth Amendment Agreement between the City of Boston and the St. Botolph Terrace Apartments pursuant to Chapter 121A, Section 6A of The Massachusetts General Law."

Placed on file.

COMMUNICATION RECEIVED FROM CITY CLERK OF FILING BY BOSTON REDEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY OF AGREEMENT BETWEEN CITY OF BOSTON AND 1000 WASHINGTON, INC. (TERADYNE) PURSUANT TO CHAPTER 121A PROJECT, CERTIFICATE OF PROJECT TERMINATION, SECTION 6A OF MASSACHUSETTS GENERAL LAW (DOCKET NO. 0123)

Communication was received from the City Clerk of the filing by the Boston Redevelopment Authority of the Agreement between the City of Boston and 1000 Washington, INC. (Teradyne) pursuant to Chapter 121A project, Certificate of Project Termination, Section 6A of The Massachusetts General Law.

Placed on file.

COMMUNICATION RECEIVED FROM KEEGAN WERLIN LLP, RE PETITION OF NSTAR ELECTRIC COMPANY PURSUANT TO SECTION 6 OF CHAPTER 665 OF ACTS OF 1956 FOR EXEMPTIONS FROM BOSTON ZONING DOCKET AND APPROVAL PURSUANT TO G.L.C. 164, SEC 72 (DOCKET NO. 0124)

Communication was received from Keegan Werlin LLP, re Petition of NSTAR Electric Company pursuant to section 6 of Chapter 665 of the Acts of 1956 for exemptions from the Boston Zoning Docket and Approval Pursuant to G.L.c. 164, Sec 72.

Placed on file.

NOTICE RECEIVED FROM MAYOR OF RESIGNATION OF GERALDINE CUDDYER AS BOARD OF ELECTIONS COMMISSIONER (DOCKET NO. 0125)

Notice was received from the Mayor of the resignation of Geraldine Cuddyer as the Board of Elections Commissioner.

Placed on file.

NOTICE RECEIVED FROM MAYOR OF RESIGNATION OF CLAUDIO MARTINEZ AS MEMBER OF BOSTON SCHOOL COMMITTEE (DOCKET NO. 0126)

Notice was received from the Mayor of the resignation of Claudio Martinez as a member of the Boston School Committee.

Placed on file.

NOTICE RECEIVED FROM MAYOR OF APPOINTMENT OF KEVIN COYNE, AS INTERIM PURCHASING AGENT EFFECTIVE DECEMBER 15, 2014 (DOCKET NO. 0127)

Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of Kevin Coyne, as Interim Purchasing Agent effective December 15, 2014.

Placed on file.

NOTICE RECEIVED FROM MAYOR OF APPOINTMENT OF JUDITH C. WATKINS, AS MEMBER OF ARCHIVES AND RECORDS ADVISORY BOARD, FOR TERM EXPIRING JANUARY 1, 2018 (DOCKET NO. 0128)

Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of Judith C. Watkins, as a member of the Archives and Records Advisory Board, for a term expiring January 1, 2018.

Placed on file.

NOTICE RECEIVED FROM MAYOR OF REAPPOINTMENT OF MICHAEL DENNEHY, AS INTERIM COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, EFFECTIVE DECEMBER 30, 2014 (DOCKET NO. 0129)

Notice was received from the Mayor of the reappointment of Michael Dennehy, as Interim Commissioner of Public Works, effective December 30, 2014.

Placed on file.

NOTICE RECEIVED FROM MAYOR OF APPOINTMENT OF JERI ROBINSON, AS MEMBER OF BOSTON SCHOOL COMMITTEE, FOR TERM EXPIRING JANUARY 7, 2019 (DOCKET NO. 0130)

Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of Jeri Robinson, as a member of the Boston School Committee, for a term expiring January 7, 2019.

Placed on file.

NOTICE RECEIVED FROM MAYOR OF APPOINTMENT OF REGINA ROBINSON, AS MEMBER OF BOSTON SCHOOL COMMITTEE, FOR TERM EXPIRING JANUARY 7, 2019 (DOCKET NO. 0131)

Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of Regina Robinson, as a member of the Boston School Committee, for a term expiring January 7, 2019.

Placed on file.

Councilor CIOMMO in the Chair.

ORDINANCE AMENDING CITY OF BOSTON CODE, ORDINANCES, CHAPTER 2-8.3, SALARY OF CITY COUNCILORS (DOCKET NO. 0132)

Councilor LINEHAN offered the following:

NOW THEREFORE, Be it ordained by the City Council of Boston, as follows:

Section 1.

City of Boston Code, Ordinances, Chapter 2-8.3 is hereby amended by striking the last sentence and inserting in place thereof the following:

Each Councillor's office shall receive two hundred sixteen thousand two hundred fifty ($216,250.00) dollars per year and the President's office shall receive two hundred sixty-two thousand five hundred ($262,500.00) dollars per year to pay such salaries according to the rules of the City Council.

Section 2.

The provisions of this ordinance shall take effect upon passage.

On motion of President LINEHAN, the rules were suspended; the order was passed.

President LINEHAN in the Chair.

ORDER FOR HEARING TO IDENTIFY SOLUTIONS TO ENSURE EQUITABLE TRANSITIONS OF BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOL STUDENTS RECEIVING SPECIAL EDUCATION SERVICES (DOCKET NO. 0133)

Councilors PRESSLEY, O'MALLEY, JACKSON, WU, YANCEY, BAKER, CIOMMO, LAMATTINA, MCCARTHY, MURPHY and LINEHAN offered the following:

WHEREAS, More than 11,000 (20%) of Boston Public School's (BPS) students have learning, developmental, physical disabilities, or mental health diagnoses that require federally mandated special education services via Individualized Education Plans, in the state-mandated least restrictive environment; and

WHEREAS, Approximately 4,500 of these students are between the ages of 14 and 22; and

WHEREAS, The transition from high school to post-secondary schooling, employment, or living is a critical juncture for every student; and

WHEREAS, For students with disabilities, extra planning may be required to develop and prepare for the optimal transition whether it be further education, vocational skills, independent living, employment, etc.; and

WHEREAS, For undocumented immigrant students with disabilities, transition planning creates additional challenges that require attention; and

WHEREAS, State Law (MGL Chapter 71B, Section 2) requires that "beginning age 14 or sooner if detennined appropriate by an individualized education program team, school age children with disabilities shall be entitled to transition services and measurable postsecondary goals, as provided under the federal Individual Disabilities with Education Act, 20 USC sec. 1400, et sec."; and

WHEREAS, We need to ensure that BPS and the State, with the support of community and business partners, are developing school-based and district-wide programs to support effective transitions including provision of employment and life skills, supported employment, college readiness and application support, mentoring, and accurate information and support to undocumented immigrant youth. THEREFORE BE IT

ORDERED, That the appropriate committee of the Boston City Council hold a hearing to identify solutions to ensure equitable transitions of BPS youth receiving special education services; and that representatives from the Boston Public Schools, Office of New Bostonians, SpedPac, and the National Alliance on Mental Illness, along with other interested parties be invited to participate.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

ORDER FOR HEARING TO DEVELOP COMMUNITY PLANNING PROCESS IN BRA AND ENSURE INVESTMENT IN AFFORDABLE HOUSING AND JOBS FUND THROUGH BRA DEVELOPMENT AGREEMENTS (DOCKET NO. 0134)

Councilors PRESSLEY, ZAKIM, LINEHAN, BAKER, CIOMMO, FLAHERTY, LAMATTINA, MCCARTHY, O'MALLEY, WU, YANCEY and JACKSON offered the following:

WHEREAS, Many residents continue to face count-

less barriers to full employment and affordable housing despite the fact that the City of Boston is currently undergoing a development boom not seen in over a generation; and

WHEREAS, The city lacks a formal community planning process that ensures residents have a clear voice in the future of the neighborhood and protects communities during periods of growth; and

WHEREAS, Much of the development in the City of Boston is overseen by the Boston Redevelopment Authority (BRA), which formed in 1957, merged with the Economic Development Industrial Corporation (EDIC) in 1995, and has numerous other affiliates; and

WHEREAS, The current practice in the City of Boston allows for community feedback on development proposals during required hearings but does not include a system to ensure that community members or groups and their input are incorporated; and

WHEREAS, Community Benefits Agreements help generate public support for economic development projects while holding developers accountable for their promises to local governments and residents; and

WHEREAS, The BRA does not use traditional Community Benefits Agreements and instead the documents, which the BRA likens to Community Benefits Agreements, include cooperation agreements, affordable housing agreements, and development impact project agreements; and

WHEREAS, The tight legal language created by third party clauses in recent mitigation agreements prohibits any stakeholders aside from the developer and BRA from enforcing the mitigation agreements and makes adjudication difficult; and

WHEREAS, The BRA is tasked with ensuring developers are maintaining their commitments to mitigation agreements, making payments to the inclusionary development program, and payments to the housing and jobs linkage funds; and

ORDERED, That the appropriate committee of the Boston City Council hold a hearing to identify mechanisms to ensure transparency, accountability, and investment in affordable housing and jobs funds through BRA development agreements and to investigate ways to ensure Boston's continued development happens in a way that is sustainable and grounded in the needs of communities; and that representatives from the Boston Redevelopment Authority, Department of Neighborhood Development, and other interested parties be invited to testify.

WHEREAS, A Boston Globe investigation and an audit conducted by KPMG LLC outline the BRA's inability to complete this task efficiently and transparently by revealing that the BRA has negotiated breaks on affordable housing fees, diverted affordable housing fees to other uses, and has spent a fraction of the money it has collected from developers that had been earmarked for affordable housing; and

WHEREAS, Residents of Boston, the City, and developers would benefit from a simplified, citywide mitigation agreement that would set baseline standards for community benefits packages that cannot be negotiated away and have clear mechanisms in place to monitor and ensure follow-through. NOW, THEREFORE BE IT

Referred to the Committee on Education.

Later in the session, Councilor LAMATTINA moved for reconsideration. Reconsideration prevailed.

On motion of Councilor LAMATTINA, Docket No. 0134 was referred to the Committee on Economic Development and Planning and Labor.

ORDER CREATING THE RESIDENCY POLICY COMMISSION (DOCKET NO. 0135)

Councilors LINEHAN and FLAHERTY offered the following:

WHEREAS, It is important for the City of Boston to retain and attract talented employees; and,

WHEREAS, Residency requirements for employees in the City of Boston are defined by ordinance, collective bargaining agreements, and state law. The residency policies of the city are not uniform and have been enforced on an inconsistent basis; and,

WHEREAS, In order to ensure that the residency policies of the City of Boston are fair and equitable and applied on a consistent basis, a commission to examine residency policies should be established.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT ORDERED: That a commission, referred to as the Residency Policy Commission, be established to examine the residency policies of the City of Boston. The purpose of the Residency Policy Commission will be to examine the residency policies of the City of Boston and to examine all ordinances and collective bargaining agreements. The Residency Policy Commission shall include seven membyrs all appointed by the Mayor. The Residency Policy Commission shall be appointed within 30 days from the effective date of this order. The Mayor shall notify the City Council of the "appointments to the Residency Policy Commission.

The Residency Policy Commission shall hold its first meeting within 30 days after the appointment of all the members. The Residency Policy Commission shall meet monthly and shall submit updates to the City Council. All meetings of the Commission shall be subject to the state's Open Meeting Law requirements. The Residency Policy Commission shall examine the impact of residency requirements and shall make recommendations to the Mayor and City Council no later than December 31, 2015.

On motion of President LINEHAN, the rules were suspended, the order was passed.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES (DOCKET NO. 0136)

President LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, January 10, 2015, the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against her name until April 10, 2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Taylor Maher, Administrative & Technical Assistant, $1461.53, full time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

LATE-FILED MATTERS

The Chair stated that in absence of objection, one late-filed matter would be added to the Agenda.

No objection being heard, the following matter was added:

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES (DOCKET NO. 0168)

President LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, December 27, 2014, the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against his name until March 27, 2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:
James Jackson, Secretary, $1232.00, full time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

CONSENT AGENDA

The Chair moved adoption of a Consent Agenda in which the following-named Councilors offered as of a condolence or congratulatory nature as set forth after each Councilor's name:

Councilor Baker: Congratulating Mary McCarthy (Docket No. 0137)
Councilor LaMattina: Recognizing Maximo Von Borowski (Docket No. 0138) Recognizing David Rodrigo Zelaya (Docket No. 0139) In memory of Joseph Campochiaro (Docket No. 0140) Recognizing Viola Marcelli (Docket No. 0141) Recognizing Philip Frattaroli (Docket No. 01420
Councilor Jackson: Recognizing Inge Committee (Docket No. 0143)
Councilor O'Malley: In memory of Dorothea Pembroke (Docket No. 0144)
Councilor Flaherty: Congratulating Mrs. Peggy Flaherty (Docket No. 0145)
Councilor Yancey: In memory of Sean M. Dayer (Docket No. 0146) In memory of Dave "Dee Dubs" Walker (Docket No. 0147) In memory of Rena Jamison (Docket No. 0148) Recognizing the 211 th Anniversary of Haitian Independence (Docket No. 0149)
Councilor Flaherty: Recognizing The Modem Dog (Docket No. 0150)
Councilor Murphy: In memory of Michael Lennon (Docket No. 0151)
Councilors Murphy and McCarthy: In memory of Louise Hynes (Docket No. 0152)
Councilor Murphy: In memory of Andrew W. McFarland, Sr. (Docket No. 0153)
Councilors Murphy and McCarthy: In memory of Thomas Curran (Docket No. 0154)
Councilors Linehan and Flaherty: In memory of Janet E. Paterna (Docket No. 0156) In memory of Marie J. Turner (Docket No. 0157)
Councilor LaMattina: In memory of Margaret Labadini (Docket No. 0158) In memory of Mary A. Farrell Schievink (Docket No. 0159) In memory of Carmela Bocchino (Docket No. 0160)
Councilor Yancey: In memory of Sonia Ivette Poupart (Docket No. 0161) In memory of Horace Warner, III (Docket No. 0162)
Councilor LaMattina: In memory of Frank J. Imbruglia (Docket No. 0163)
Councilor Ciommo : In memory of Charlene Berrio-Meek (Docket No. 0164) In memory of Mary Deberix (Docket No. 0165)
Councilor McCarthy: In memory of Dorothy A. Hann (Docket No. 0166)
Councilor Linehan: Declaring January 7,2015 as "Bill Brett Day" (Docket No. 0167)

The chair stated that in absence of objection, one late-file matter would be added to the Consent Agenda.

No objection being heard the following matters were added:

Councilor Ciommo: In memory of Johannis Nesdekidis (Docket No. 0169)

The matters contained within the Consent Agenda were severally adopted.

NEXT MEETING

Adjourned at 1:08 p.m. on motion of President Linehan, in memory of Mary Deverix, Charlene Berrio-Meek, John Nesdekidis, Janet E. Paterna, Marie J. Turner, Carmela Bocchino, Brenda Russo, Michael V. Panzini, Louis L. Mazzarini, Michael Lennon, Louise Hynes, Thomas Curran, Andrew McFarland, Sr., James G. Pone, Dorothea Pembroke, Governor Mario Cuomo, Sean M. Dayer, Michelle Gailliard, Rena Jamison, Horace Warner, III, Dave "Dee Dubs" Walker, Sonia Ivette Poupart, Stuart Scott, Officer Wenjian Liiu, Officer Rafail Ramos, Charles Gunn, Richard Wicker, Anne Murphy, Gregory Michael Magoon, and Senator Edward Brooke, to meet again on Wednesday, January 14, 2015 at 12:00 p.m.

Note: All debate of City Council eliminated from proceedings in accordance with Chapter 447, Acts of 1947.

CITY OF BOSTON

Proceedings of the Boston City Council

Wednesday, January 14, 2015

Regular meeting of the City Council held in the Christopher A. Iannella Chamber, City Hall, at 12:10 p.m. President Linehan in the Chair. Absent, Councilor Baker.

INVOCATION

Padma Singh, Shri Lakshmi Mandir of Boston, delivered the invocation, and the meeting was opened with the pledge of allegiance to the flag.

PRESENTATION BY PRESIDENT LINEHAN

President LINEHAN presented a resolution to Bill Brett, renowned photographer for the Boston Globe. Mr. Brett has served as photographer with the Globe for fifty years, and though retired, still does some photography for them today. President Linehan declared January15, 2015 as Bill Brett Day in the City of Boston.

PRESENTATION BY COUNCILOR FLAHERTY

Councilor FLAHERTY presented a resolution to Peter Cuenca of Cuenca vision, operator of the first Spanish language TV in Massachusetts which is now growing into other communities. Councilor FLAHERTY wished him best wishes with WBEA- TV.

STATEMENT OF PRESIDENT LINEHAN

President LINEHAN moved to adopt the minutes from the January 7, 2015 meeting. **Motion prevailed.**

ORDER AUTHORIZING CITY OF BOSTON TO SUBMIT TO MASSACHUSETTS SCHOOL BUILDING AUTHORITY STATEMENTS OF INTEREST FOR ACCELERATED REPAIRS PROGRAM FOR FOLLOWING SCHOOLS: YOUNG ACHIEVERS SCIENCE & MATH K-8; COMMUNITY ACADEMY OF SCIENCE AND HEALTH; TECHBOSTON ACADEMY; ELLIS SCHOOL; MCKAY K-8 SCHOOL; CURLEY SCHOOL; AND SUMMER SCHOOL. STATEMENTS OF INTEREST DESCRIBE AND EXPLAIN DEFICIENCIES AND PRIORITY CATEGORY FOR WHICH CITY OF BOSTON MAY BE INVITED TO APPLY TO MASSACHUSETTS SCHOOL BUILDING AUTHORITY IN THE FUTURE (DOCKET NO. 0170)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

January 9, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I hereby transmit for your approval an Order authorizing the City of Boston to submit to the Massachusetts School Building Authority Statements of Interest for their Accelerated Repair Program for the following schools: Young Achievers Science & Math K-8; Community Academy of Science & Health; TechBoston Academy; Ellis School; McKay K-8 School; Curley School; and the Sumner SchooL The Statements of Interest describe and explain the deficiencies and the priority category for which the City of Boston may be invited to apply to the Massachusetts School Building Authority in the future.

The aforementioned schools are considered a Priority 5, which means that the work necessary includes: replacement, renovation or modernization of school facility systems, such as roofs, windows, boilers, heating and ventilation systems, to increase energy conservation and decrease energy related costs in a school facility.

I urge your Honorable Body to adopt this Order as soon as possible so that the City of Boston may submit the Statements ofInterest expeditiously and continue the process of seeking funds for the improvement of school facilities within the City of Boston.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

ORDERED: Having convened in an open meeting on _____, 2015, the City Council of the City of Boston, in accordance with its charter, by-laws, and ordinances, has voted to authorize the Superintendent of Boston Public Schools to submit to the Massachusetts School Building Authority the Statement ofInterest Forms dated on, or before, February 13, 2015 for the following schools:

Young Achievers Science & Math K-8
20 Outlook Rd. Mattapan, MA 02126

Community Academy of Science & Health
11 Charles St. Dorchester, MA 02122

TechBoston Academy
9 Peacevale Rd. Dorchester, MA 02124

Ellis School
302 Walnut Ave. Roxbury, MA 02119

McKay K-8 School
122 Cottage St. East Boston, MA 02128

Curley School
493 Centre St. Jamaica Plain, MA 02130

Sumner School
15 Basile St. Roslindale MA, 02131

The Statements of Interest for the facilities listed above describe and explain window deficiencies submitted under Priority # 5 which includes: replacement, renovation or modernization of school facility systems, such as roofs, windows, boilers, heating and ventilation systems, to increase energy conservation and decrease energy related costs in a school facility.

The City Council hereby further specifically acknowledges that by submitting the Statement of Interest Forms, the Massachusetts School Building Authority in no way guarantees the acceptance or the approval of an application, the awarding of a grant or any other funding commitment from the Massachusetts School Building Authority, or commits the City of Boston to file an application for funding with the Massachusetts School Building Authority.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

COMMUNICATION WAS RECEIVED FROM CITY CLERK OF THE FILING BY AUDITING DEPARTMENT REGARDING CITY OF BOSTON'S FISCAL 2014 COMPREHENSIVE ANNUAL FINANCIAL REPORT (DOCKET NO. 0171)

Communication was received from the City Clerk of the filing by the Auditing Department regarding the City of Boston's Fiscal 2014 Comprehensive Annual Financial Report.

Placed on file.

COMMUNICATION FROM COUNCILOR FRANK BAKER THAT HE WILL NOT BE IN ATTENDANCE AT BOSTON CITY COUNCIL MEETINGS ON WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 14, 2015 (DOCKET NO. 0172)

Communication from Councilor Frank Baker that he will not be in attendance at the Boston City Council Meetings on Wednesday, January 14, 2015.
Placed on file.

NOTICE WAS RECEIVED FROM MAYOR OF RESIGNATION OF FRANCISCO A. URENA AS COMMISSIONER OF VETERANS SERVICES (DOCKET NO. 0173)

Notice was received from the Mayor of the resignation of Francisco A. Urena as the Commissioner of Veterans Services.
Placed on file.

ABSENCE OF THE MAYOR
(DOCKET NO. 0174)

Notice was received from the Mayor of his absence from the city Wednesday, January 7 from 7:20 a.m. until 5:00 p.m.
Placed on file.

NOTICE WAS RECEIVED FROM CITY CLERK IN ACCORDANCE WITH CHAPTER 6 OF ORDINANCES OF 1979 RE: ACTION TAKEN BY MAYOR ON PAPERS ACTED UPON BY CITY COUNCIL AT ITS MEETING OF DECEMBER 3, 2014 (DOCKET NO. 0175)

The following was received:
City of Boston
Office of the City Clerk

January 9, 2015

To the City Council.
Councilors:

In accordance with Chapter 6 of the Ordinances of 1979, I hereby notify you of the following actions taken by the Mayor with regard to the papers acted upon by the City Council at its meeting of Decemper 3, 2014 viz.

1556 Order authorizing the Police Commissioner to accept and expend a grant of One Hundred Seventy-Five Thousand Dollars ($175,000.00) for the FY14 Paul Coverdell National Forensic Sciences improvement Program Grant funded by National Institute of Justice for the purpose of providing support to the Forensic Analysis Unit of the Boston Police Department.
Approved by the Mayor December 8, 2014

1557 Order authorizing the Police Commissioner to accept and expend the FFY2014 Violence Against Women Act (VAWA) STOP grant of Sixty Thousand Dollars ($60,000.00) from the Executive Office of Public Safety and Security used to support a BPD Civilian Domestic Violence Advocate.
Approved by the Mayor December 8, 2014

1567 Ordinance extending protections for tenants facing displacement by condominium or cooperative conversion pursuant to the city's authority under St. 1983, c.527.
Approved by the Mayor December 19, 2014

1595 Order approving an appropriation of Four Hundred Sixty-Seven Thousand Eight Hundred Four Dollars ($467,804.00) from the Edward Ingersoll Browne Fund for projects that will ornament the City's streets, ways, squares and parks.
Approved by the Mayor December 8, 2014

1657 Order authorizing the Mayor's Office of Emergency Management to accept and expend a grant of Fourteen Million four Hundred Thousand Dollars ($14,400,00.00) from the U.S. Department of Homeland Security's (DRS), Urban Area Security Initiative (UASI) Grant FFY2014, address the unique planning, training, exercise, equipment, and operational needs of large urban areas, and assist them in building an enhanced and sustainable capacity to prevent, respond to and recover from threats or acts of terrorism, including chemical, biological, radiological, nuclear and explosive (CBRNE) incidents.
Approved by the Mayor December 8, 2014

1658 Ordinance amending the City of Boston Code, Ordinances, Chapters 2, 11, 14, 16 and 18, concerning the registration and licensing of dogs.
Approved by the Mayor December 19, 2014

1680 Order authorizing the Police Commissioner to accept and expend a grant of One Million Seven Hundred Thirty-Eight Thousand Eight Hundred Forty¬Seven Dollars and Thirty Seven Cents ($1,738,847.37) from the Massachusetts Executive Office of Public Safety and Security Senator Charles E. Shannon, Jr. Community Safety Initiative Grant, for the purpose of supporting strategies to address youth, gang and gun violence.
Approved by the Mayor December 8, 2014

1746 Order that pursuant to Chapter 40, section 56, the residential factor in the City of Boston for FY2015 shall be the minimum residential factor as determined by the Commissioner of Revenue pursuant to M.G.L., Chapter 58, section 1A, and be it further that pursuant to Chapter 403 of the Acts of 2000, a residential exemption in the amount of value equal to thirty percent (30%) of the average assessed value of all Class One-Residential parcels in the City of Boston be, and hereby is approved for Fiscal Year 2015.
Approved by the Mayor December 8, 2014

Respectfully,
Maureen Feeney,
City Clerk.

Placed on file.

NOTICE WAS RECEIVED FROM CITY CLERK IN ACCORDANCE WITH CHAPTER 6 OF ORDINANCES OF 1979 RE: ACTION TAKEN BY MAYOR ON PAPERS ACTED UPON BY CITY COUNCIL AT ITS MEETING OF DECEMBER 10, 2014 (DOCKET NO. 0176)

The following was received:
City of Boston
Office of the City Clerk

January 9, 2015

To the City Council.
Councilors:

In accordance with Chapter 6 of the Ordinances of 1979, I hereby notify you Of the following actions taken by the Mayor with regard to the papers acted upon by the City Council at its meeting of December 10, 2014 viz.

1682 Order authorizing the Boston Fair Housing Com-

mission to accept and expend FY14 U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development's (HUD), Fair Housing Assistance Program Grant funds awarded to the Boston Fair Housing Commission. This request for authorization to accept and expend grants funds relates to payment for the. Commission's investigatory work under the Fair Housing Assistance Partnership Agreement, of which $104,282.00 has been received and $32,000.00 is pending, for a total of $136,782.00.
Approved by the Mayor December 15, 2014

1730 Order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend a grant of One Million Three Hundred Twenty Thousand Dollars ($1,320,000.00) from the Massachusetts Department of Energy Resources (DOER) for the Community Clean Resiliency Initiative Project Implementation grant to be administered by the City's Office of Environment, Energy and Open Space Department.
Approved by the Mayor December 15, 2014

1731 Order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend FY14 U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development Fair Housing partnership Program grant of Two Hundred Sixty Three Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty-Eight Dollars ($263,848.00) to the Boston Fair Housing Commission to conduct a housing discrimination testing program in partnership with Suffolk University Law SchooL
Approved by the Mayor December 15, 2014

1732 Order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend a grant of Twenty-Five Thousand Dollars ($25,000.00) from contributions received from the United States Department of Agriculture Local Food Promotion Program, to support an Urban Agriculture Visioning group and planning process for the City of Boston.
Approved by the Mayor December 15, 2014

1808 Order approving the City of Boston's application to the Massachusetts Economic Assistance Coordination Council for Certified Project status for 327 -347 Summer Street, the LogMeln Project, the renovation of a presently vacant fire damaged building in the City of Boston Innovation District into an 117,000 square foot office building located in the Crosstown/South Boston Economic Opportunity Area and for approval of a Tax Increment Financing Pian, including a Tax Increment Financing Agreement regarding real estate taxes between the City and LogMeln Project
Approved by the Mayor December 11, 2014

1849 Order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend a grant in the amount of One Hundred Three Thousand Eight Hundred Twelve Dollars and Three cents ($103,812.03) in the form of a multi-year grant, Income Eligible Center Based Daycare Program for 7 subsidized daycare slots for the City Hall Child Care Center, Community Child Care Program for low income parents, awarded by the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Department of Early Education and Care, to be administered by Boston Centers for Youth and Families.
Approved by the Mayor December 15, 2014

1850 Order authorizing the City of Boston to accept a donation in the amount of Nincty Six Thousand Nincty-Six Dollars ($96,096.00) from the Boston Police Foundation for use by the Boston Police Department to provide reflective safety vest to all sworn officers. These vest will be used to provide visibility during on-scene response, large events and celebrations, and will further the City's law enforcement efforts relating to community policing.
Approved by the Mayor December 15, 2014

1851 Order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend a donation of Fifty Seven Thousand Dollars ($57,000.00) donated by the Last Call Foundation to enhance firefighters health and safety through the purchase of industrial washing machines for cleaning bunker gear.
Approved by the Mayor December 15, 2014

1852 Order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend funds of Twenty Thousand Dollars ($20,000.00) from the Massachusetts Executive Office of Health and Human Services, Department of Public Health FY15. This award is made for the purpose of deploying, maintaining and implementing ten (10) Mass Decontamination Units (MDU).
Approved by the Mayor December 15, 2014

1853 Order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend the amount of Five Thousand One Hundred Dollars ($5,100.00) in the form of a grant awarded by the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Department of Elementary and Secondary Education, Child and Adult Care Nutrition Program to be administered by Boston Center for Youth and Families.
Approved by the Mayor December 15, 2014

Respectfully,
Maureen Feeney,
City Clerk.

Placed on file.

NOTICE WAS RECEIVED FROM CITY CLERK IN ACCORDANCE WITH CHAPTER 6 OF ORDINANCES OF 1979 RE: ACTION TAKEN BY MAYOR ON PAPERS ACTED UPON BY CITY COUNCIL AT ITS MEETING OF DECEMBER 17, 2014 (DOCKET NO. 0177)

The following was received:
City of Boston
Office of the City Clerk

January 9, 2015

To the City Council.
Councilors:

In accordance with Chapter 6 of the Ordinances of 1979, I hereby notify you Of the following actions taken by the Mayor with regard to the papers acted upon by the City Council at its meeting of December 17, 2014 viz.

1733 Order transmitting a resolution for approval that will continue redevelopment of Northampton Square Campus in South End. Order Authoring Certain Leases and Conveyances by the Boston Public Health Commission of the Former Boston City Hospital School of Nursing Campus to Facilitate the Component of Site Redevelopment Known as Northampton Phase II.
Approved by the Mayor December 22, 2014

1846 Order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend funds in the amount of Three Million One Hundred Thousand Dollars ($3,100,000.00) from the Boston Foundation for a period January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2017. The purpose of the funding is to support enhanced anti violence measures as The Boston Foundation's StreetSafe Boston Program ends and transitions to a partnership with Boston Center for Youth and Families' Streetworkers Program.
Approved by the Mayor December 22, 2014

1847 Order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend a grant in the amount not to exceed Four Hundred Thousand Dollars ($400,000.00) from the Commonwealth of Massachusetts Executive Office of Energy and Environmental Affairs (EOEEA), Division of Conservation Services' Parkland Acquisitions and Renovations for Communities (PARC) Program to provide capital improvements relative to Phase III of the LoPresti Park project located in the neighborhood of East Boston.

Approved by the Mayor December 22, 2014

1848 Order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend a grant award in the amount not to exceed Two Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars ($250,000.00) from the United States Department of the Interior's National Park Service, through the Land and Water Conservation Fund Program, administered by the Commonwealth of Massachusetts' Executive Office of Energy and Environmental Affairs (EOEEA), Division of Conservation Services to provide capital improvements relative to McLaughlin Playground located in Mission Hill neighborhood of Boston.

Approved by the Mayor December 22, 2014

1915 Order authorizing the Police Department to accept two complete "Blue Force Tracking ("BFT) a Maritime Automatic Identification System (AIS) and one transponder to be provided by MassPort to the Boston Police Department's Harbor Unit.

Approved by the Mayor December 22, 2014

Respectfully,
Maureen Feeney,
City Clerk.

Placed on file.

ORDER FOR HEARING RE: EXCISE TAX COLLECTION PROCEDURES (DOCKET NO. 0178)

Councilor MCCARTHY offered the following:

WHEREAS, Chapter 60A of the General Laws imposes an excise on registering a motor vehicle in the state. The excise is levied by the city and the revenues become part of the treasury; and,

WHEREAS, The Assessing Department for the City of Boston prepares bills based on excise data prepared by the Registry of Motor Vehicles ("Registry"). Excises are assessed annually by the city. Payment of the excise is due within thirty days from the date of issuance; and,

WHEREAS, Non-payment of the motor vehicle excise has implications on an individual's license and registration. An individual may be prevented from renewing a license or registration; and,

WHEREAS, There are requirements imposed by law upon the board of assessors concerning notifications for non-payment of excise taxes. There are also procedures in place for notifying the Registry if an individual has failed to pay the excise; and,

WHEREAS, While the City Council recognizes that it is the responsibility of the driver to pay the excise, it is important for the city to have mechanisms in place to notify drivers of their obligations and potential penalties;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT ORDERED, That the appropriate committee of the Boston City Council holds a hearing to examine the city's notification procedures, available abatements, and nonpayment procedures concerning the excise tax. Representatives from the City of Boston, the Assessing Department, the Registry of Motor Vehicles and other interested parties shall be invited to attend.

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

ORDER FOR HEARING REGARDING SCHOOL SAFETY AND COPSYNC911 TECHNOLOGY (DOCKET NO. 0179)

Councilors FLAHERTY and MURPHY offered the following:

WHEREAS, In 2014, there were over 329 incidents of school emergencies across the country, including 65 shootings, 265 threats, and 24 deaths; and,

WHEREAS, Since the tragedy at Sandy Hook Elementary School on December 14, 2012, there have been 93 reported acts of gun violence at schools including colleges and universities; and,

WHEREAS, Every second counts in response time once a threat occurs; and,

WHEREAS, COPsync911 is a real-time information sharing network that allows law enforcement to communicate directly with school administrators in the event of an emergency; and,

WHEREAS, COPsync911 technology includes GPS locators, instant message capability, and an immediate alert system for police officers and first responders closest to the scene;

WHEREAS, COPsync911 technology can pinpoint the location of an active shooter to aid in police response and evacuation efforts;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT ORDERED, That the appropriate committee of the Boston City Council holds a hearing to discuss the implementation ofCOPsync911 technology. Representatives from the Boston Police Department, Office of Emergency Management, Boston Public Schools, and other interested parties shall be invited to attend.

Referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

Councilor CIOMMO in the Chair.

ORDER DIRECTING CITY COUNCIL TO EXAMINE AMENDMENTS TO 2014-2015 CITY COUNCIL RULES (DOCKET NO. 0180)

Councilor LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That the City Council shall examine proposed amendments to the 2014-2015 City Council Rules. The City Council shall examine the following topics in relation to the 2014-2015 City Council Rules: creation of a Special Committee to examine the status of Black and Latino men and boys; creation of a Special Committee on the 2024 Olympics; placing matters on the table; and, developing procedures relating to the summons and subpoena power of the City Council.

Referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

Councilor LINEHAN in the Chair.

ORDER FOR HEARING REGARDING EMERGENCY GAS VALVE SHUT-OFF (DOCKET NO. 0181)

Councilors YANCEY, FLAHERTY and CIOMMO offered the following:

WHEREAS: On October 28, 2006 the Boston Globe reported that thousands of emergency gas shut¬off valves are inaccessible; and

WHEREAS: emergency gas shut-offvalves are crucial safety features required by the state to stop the flow of explosive gas to homes and businesses during emergencies; and

WHEREAS: many of these valves may have been paved over or blocked by other means; and

WHEREAS: the Boston Globe further reports that service valves, which control gas flowing to individual buildings, are the ones most often buried or blocked; and

WHEREAS: those valves, typically contained in boxes embedded in streets and sidewalks, are considered an important stop gap during large fires that could be fueled further by gas; and

WHEREAS: While most houses have shut-off valves at the meter, those valves can be difficult to get to during a fire and do not prevent additional gas from the street from feeding a blaze; and

WHEREAS: "It is extremely important to expedite the shutting off of gas, n state Fire Marshal Stephen D. Coan said. "Any delay in securing a gas supply line is a potential hazard to firefighters and area residents." and

WHEREAS: Gas companies are required by federal and state regulations to ensure that all shut-off valves are readily accessible, and the State Department of Telecommunications and Energy is responsible for enforcing the regulations; and

WHEREAS: Inaccessibility to valves has been cited for causing delayed gas shut-off after at least two . tragedies in recent years -- an explosion in Weston last year that leveled a house and another in Hopkinton in 2002 in which two children were killed. Fire specialists stated that blocked valves are putting lives at risk; and

WHEREAS: The Department of Telecommunications and Energy says it has focused its past enforcement efforts on "critical valves," which control gas flow to large numbers of buildings on a street or streets. Those valves are inspected once a year; and

WHEREAS: Gas providers also say that municipalities should share part of the blame for the service valves being paved over and should keep gas companies abreast about paving projects; and

WHEREAS: The City of Boston has experienced gas explosions which has caused serious damage, injury and even death; therefore be it

ORDERED: That the appropriate committee of the Boston City Council convene an hearing to detennine what steps have been taken to correct this problem before a tragedy caused by the inaccessibility of emergency gas shut off valves occurs in Boston, and be it furthered

OREDERED: That the Boston Fire Department, Boston Public Works Department, Boston Inspectional Services Department, the Massachusetts Department of Telecommunications and Energy. the Massachusetts Fire Marshall, the Massachusetts Department of Public Works, National Grid, Street Repair Contractors, and the general public are invited to testify.

Referred to the Committee on City, Neighborhood Services and Veterans Affairs.

ORDINANCE AMENDING CITY OF BOSTON CODE CHAPTER IV (MINORITY AND WOMEN BUSINESS ENTERPRISE) (DOCKET NO. 0182)

Councilors YANCEY, PRESSLEY, JACKSON and WU offered the following:

WHEREAS, It is the policy of the City of Boston to encourage, assist, and provide equal opportunity for business enterprises owned by women and people of color to participate in the receipt of city contracts; and,

WHEREAS, The City of Boston should maximize economic opportunity for its residents including every segment of the business community. The City of Boston should seek to promote the full and equitable economic participation of all segments of the community. With these objectives in mind, the city should use its best efforts to ensure that business enterprises owned by women and people of color have an equitable opportunity to palticipate in the procurement system; and,

WHEREAS, The City of Boston is committed to ensure that business enterprises owned by women and people of color are utilized by the City of Boston to a more substantial and equitable extent.

NOW, THEREFORE,

Be it ordained by the City Council of Boston, as follows:

Section 1.

Chapter IV of the City of Boston Municipal Code is hereby amended by inserting at the end of section 4-4.3 the following:

When awarding contracts for services, the City of Boston Departments, Authorities, Agencies, and any Department or Agency acting on behalf of another ("Awarding Authorities") shall implement an annual goal of twenty five percent (25%) of the total contract dollar value of all city contracts shall be awarded to certified business enterprises owned by people of color; and an annual goal of ten percent (10%) of the total contract dollar value of all city contracts shall be awarded to certified business enterprises owned by women as defined pursuant to section 4-4.2. The Awarding Authorities shall use best efforts to ensure that certified business enterprises owned by women and people of color are awarded contracts for goods and services in the City of Boston.

Section 2.

If any provision shall be held to be invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction, then such provision shall be considered separately and apart from the remaining provisions, which shall remain in full force and effect.

Section 3.

The provisions of these sections shall be effective immediately upon passage.

Referred to the Committee on Government Operations.

ORDINANCE AMENDING CBC 6-2.5 (ELDERLY PROPERTY TAX EXEMPTION) (DOCKET NO. 0183)

Councilors YANCEY, LAMATTINA, O'MALLEY, MURPHY, PRESSLEY, JACKSON, FLAHERTY, WU and MCCARTHY offered the following:

Be it ordained by the City Council of Boston, as follows:

City of Boston Code CBC 6-2.5 be amended by adding the following new section:

6-2.6 Elderly Property Tax Exemption.

The Commissioner of Assessing shall receive applications for elderly tax exemptions from residents meeting the qualifications of Massachusetts General Laws Chapter 59, section 5, clause 41C once, and it shall be in full force and effect until either (a) the Commissioner is notified by the resident that he/she no longer meets the income requirements prescribed for the exemption; or (b) the Commissioner is notified that the resident no longer declares the property to be the primary residence; or (c) the Commissioner is notified that the property has been sold or rented to another; or (d) the Commissioner has been notified that the resident has passed away.

Referred to the Committee on Government Operations.

ORDINANCE MANDATING USE OF AUTOMATED EXTERNAL DEFIBRILLATORS IN BOSTON POLICE VEHICLES RESPONDING TO 911 CALLS IN CITY (DOCKET NO. 0184)

Councilors YANCEY, LAMATTINA, MURPHY, FLAHERTY, MCCARTHY and CIOMMO offered the following:

WHEREAS: An Automated External Defibrillator (AED) is a portable electronic device that analyses heart rhythms and provides a shock to restore the heart beat of a person suffering from cardiac arrest; and

WHEREAS: The American Heart Association recommends that all emergency rescue services have an AED at their disposal; and

WHEREAS: Defibrillation is most successful when administered within four minutes of the onset of cardiac arrest; and

WHEREAS: AEDs are increasingly available in such public places as airports, libraries, shopping malls, movie theatres, and community centers; and

WHEREAS: The City of Boston, in conjunction with the American Red Cross, can provide the Boston Police with defibrillator training courses regarding CPR protocols and the use of AEDs; and

WHEREAS: National statistics show 300,000 Americans die of sudden cardiac arrest every year, but that 50,000 of these deaths could be prevented if an AED is available; and

WHEREAS: Boston Police Officers often arrive on-scene before the Boston Fire Department and Boston Emergency Medical Services; Be It Therefore

ORDAINED: The City of Boston shall mandate that the Boston Police Department utilize functioning automated external defibrillators on police vehicles responding to 911 calls in the City of Boston.

Be it ordained by the City Council of Boston, asfollows:

11-##.1 Employment of Automated External Defibrillators in Boston Police Vehicles: The City of Boston shall mandate the Boston Police Department utilize functioning automated external defibrillators on police vehicles responding to 911 calls in the City of Boston.

11-##.2 Severability Clause for sections 11-10.1 to 11-10.2: If any provision of this measure is held invalid or the application thereofto any person or circumstance is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect other provisions or applications of the chapter, which can be given effect without the invalid provisions or applications, and to this and the provisions of this measure are declared severable.

11-##.3 Effective Date: This ordinance shall take effect 12 months after passage and publication of an approved summary thereof consisting of the title.

Referred to the Committee on Government Operations.

ORDINANCE AMENDING CBC CHAPTER 12-13 (PAID PARENTAL LEAVE) (DOCKET NO. 0185)

Councilors YANCEY, O'MALLEY PRESSLEY, WU and MCCARTHY offered the following:

Be it ordained by the City Council of Boston, as follows.

Chapter 12 is hereby amended by adding CBC 12-13A as follows:

12-13A.1 Definitions.

Unless specifically indicated otherwisc, the defmitions contained in CBC 12-13.1 shall apply and control these sections. Parent shall have the same definition contained in CBC 12-13.1 but these sections shall apply only to a Parent who is employed by the City of Boston and entitled to the employment benefits of the City of Boston.

12-13A.2 Legislative Intent.

These sections are intended to enhance the rights of Parents employed by the City of Boston and entitled to the employment benefits provided by the City of Boston; specificaly, these sections are intended to enhance the rights under CBC 12-13 ("Parental School Leave"). Parents of the school-aged pupil(s) in kindergarten and grades one (1) to twelve (12), inclusive may take the opportunity to spend up to twenty-one hours (21) per school calendar year for school visits if the Parent, prior to taking time off pursuant to these sections, gives clear and reasonable notice to the Parent's appropriate supervisor of the Parent's planned absence.

12-13A.3 Operation of Section.

The City of Boston shall not discharge nor in any way discriminate against a Parent of a Pupil in kindergarten or grades one (1) to twelve (12), inclusive, for taking off up to twenty-one (21) hours pursuant to these sections in each school calendar year for school visits regarding the Pupil, if the Parent, prior to taking time off pursuant to these sections, gives clear and reasonable notice to the Parent's appropriate supervisor of the Parent's planned absence. A Parent that is an employee of the City of Boston shall not be required to use existing vacation time, personal leave time, or compensatory time for purposes of this planned absence but shall be paid the parent's normal rate of pay from the City of Boston for each qualified hour of absence. The. Parent, if requested by the Parent's appropriate supervisor within the City of Boston, shall provide documentation from the Pupil's school as proof that the Parent visited the Pupil's school on a specific date and at a particular time. For purposes of this subsection, "documentation" shall mean whatever written verification of a parental visit the Pupil's school deems appropriate and reasonable.

Nothing in these sections shall be construed to prevent a Parent from using vacation time, personal leave time, or compensatory time to visit the Parent's Pupil's school once the Parent has exhausted the twenty-one (21) hours provided herein.

A parent who is discharged, demoted. Threatened, suspended, or in any other manner discriminated against in terms and conditions of employment by the City of Boston because the parent has taken qualified time off pursuant to these sections shall be immediately entitled to reinstatement and reimbursement of lost wages and work benefits resulting from such discharge, demotion, threat, suspension, or other related discrimination. If the City of Boston willfully refuses to rehire, reinstate, or otherwise restore a Parent who has been determined to be eligible for rehiring, reinstatement, or other restoration by a grievance procedure, arbitration, or hearing authorized by law, may be subject to a civil penalty in an amount equal to five (5) times the amount of the Parent's lost wages and work benefits derived from the Parent's employment by the City of Boston.

Referred to the Committee on Government Operations.

ORDINANCE INCREASING SAFETY OF STUDENTS ON SCHOOL BUSES (SEAT BELTS ON SCHOOL BUSES) (DOCKET NO. 0186)

Councilors YANCEY, LAMATTINA and JACKSON offered the following:

WHEREAS: The safety and security of the schoolchildren of the City of Boston is critical to the public health and welfare and is a crucial component of their learning environment. NOW THEREFORE;

Be it ordained by the City Council of Boston, as follows:

CBC Chapter X1X is hereby amended by inserting the following:

CBC 19-1.4 School Bus Safety - Seat Belts

Every school bus regularly employed for the transportation of children to schools in the City of Boston shall be equipped with seat belts, complying with the provisions of Massachusetts General Laws Chapter 90, Section 7B. This section shall not apply to those vehicles owned or leased by the Massachusetts Bay Transportation Authority. This section shall be effective immediately upon passage.

Referred to the Committee on Government Operations.

ORDINANCE INCREASING SAFETY OF STUDENTS ON SCHOOL BUSES (BUS MONITORS ON SCHOOL BUSES) (DOCKET NO. 0187)

Councilors YANCEY, LAMATTINA, O'MALLEY, PRESSLEY and JACKSON offered the following:

WHEREAS: The safety and security of the schoolchildren of the City of Boston is critical to the public health and welfare and is a crucial component of their learning environment. NOW THEREFORE;

Be it ordained by the City Council of Boston, as follows:

CBC Chapter X1X is hereby amended by inserting the following:

CBC 19-1.5 School Bus Safety - Bus Monitors

Every school bus with a capacity of thirty-five (35) or more passengers regularly employed for the transportation of children to schools in the City of Boston shall, in addition to the driver, operate with an employee known as a Bus Monitor during each trip. The Bus Monitor shall ensure the safety and orderly conduct of riders and the driver. This section shall not apply to those vehicles owned or leased by the Massachusetts Bay Transportation Authority. This section shall be effective immediately upon passage.

CBC Chapter X1X is hereby amended by inserting the following:

Referred to the Committee on Government Operations.

ORDINANCE CALLING FOR MANDATORY USE OF GPS TECHNOLOGY ON ALL EMERGENCY VEHICLES OPERATING IN CITY OF BOSTON (DOCKET NO. 0188)

Councilors YANCEY, MURPHY and WU offered the following:

WHEREAS: Global Positioning System (GPS) technology is used by many police, fire and emergency medical services throughout the world to determine which emergency vehicles are nearest to emergencies and to identify the shortest routes to destinations; and

WHEREAS: Early response time for the delivery of cardio pulmonary resuscitation (CPR) and defibrillation (external electric shock) is imperative for survival of a cardiac arrest victim whose brain cells and heart muscles will begin to die after four to six minutes without a pulse or respiration; and

WHEREAS: The likelihood of successful resuscitation decreases by approximately ten percent with each minute following the onset of sudden cardiac arrest; thus, the survival rate of a cardiac arrest victim drops to virtually zero if defibrillation is delayed for more than ten minutes; and

WHEREAS: The London Ambulance Service reduced its response time by a critical two minutes after implementing GPS technology; and

WHEREAS: The American Heart Association estimates that as many as 100,000 deaths could be prevented each year through early response time; and

WHEREAS: Minnesota; Southeast Michigan; Denver, Colorado; and Palm Beach County, Florida have implemented GPS technology; and

WHEREAS: Boston EMS has GPS Technology available but only uses it during certain events; and

WHEREAS: The use of GPS technology by Emergency Medical Services in the City of Boston would provide faster response time and save lives and reduce disabilities from injuries and insure that all residents in the City of Boston receive rapid medical response whenever they encounter an emergency; Trerefore

Be it ordained by the City Council of Boston, as follows:

CBC Chapter X1 is hereby amended by appending the following: _

11- II USE OF GPS TECHNOLOGY FOR EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES

11-11.1 Definitions

When used in this section the following term shall, unless the context clearly requires otherwise, have the following meaning:

Emergency vehicle means any vehicle that responds to 911 emergency calls in the City of Boston, It does include any vehicles owned or operated by the Commonwealth.

CAD system means the City of Boston's Computer Aided Dispatch system.

11-11.2 Employment of GPS Navigational System in Emergency Vehicles:

All emergency vehicles operating in the City of Boston shall employ a modern global positioning system navigational computer to identify the shortest route to 911 emergency call destinations.

11-11.3 Enforcement

Any City of Boston Department subject to the provisions of this section shall be responsible for ensuring that the department's contracting activities comply with the requirements of this section

11-11.4 Severability

If any provision of these sections or the application of these sections to any person or circumstance shall be held invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction, the validity of the remainder of these sections and the applicability of such sections to other persons or circumstances shall not be affected thereby,

11-10.5 Effective Date: This ordinance, being the exercise of a power specifically delegated to the City legislative body, is not subject to referendum, and shall take effect 12 months after passage and publication of an approved summary thereof consisting of the title.

Referred to the Committee on Government Operations.

ORDER FOR HEARING TO INVESTIGATE COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTER FUNDING, RACIAL DISPARITIES IN PUBLIC HEALTH AND BOSTON PUBLIC HEALTH COMMISSION'S DIS-

PARITIES PROJECT (DOCKET NO. 0189)

Councilors YANCEY and PRESSLEY offercd the followng:

That the appropriate committee of the Boston City Council holds a hearing to investigate community health center funding, racial disparities in public health, and the Boston Public Health Commission's Disparities Project.

Referred to the Committee on Healthy Women, Families and Communities.

ORDER FOR HEARING TO DISCUSS POVERTY AND UNEMPLOYMENT IN CITY OF BOSTON (DOCKET NO. 0190)

Councilors YANCEY offered the following:

WHEREAS: Poverty and unemployment are often viewed as being a cause of crime, educational underachievement, and poor health; and

WHEREAS: The federal government classifies an individual with an annual income of $10,830 or less as impoverished, or a family of three with an annual income of $18,310 or less as impoverished; and

WHEREAS: Based on federal standards, 19.6 percent of Boston individuals are living in poverty, and 15.4 percent of Boston families are living in poverty; and

WHEREAS: Half of Boston's white households in 2009 had incomes of $63,980 or less; half of Boston's Asian households had incomes of $36,670 or less; half of Boston's black households had incomes of $33,420 or less; and half of Boston's Latino households had incomes of $28,793 or less; and

WHEREAS: Unemployment and underemployment are major causes of poverty; and

WHEREAS: The American Community Survey of the US Census Department in 2008 cited unemployment in Boston among all races for those 16 and older at 7.S percent; among whites at 4.9 percent (14,824); among Asians at 8 percent (3,424); among Latinos at 10 percent (7,169); and among blacks at 13.2 percent (14,363); and

WHEREAS: Boston is rated as one of the ten most expensive cities in the United States: The median price of a condominium in downtown Boston or in surrounding communities is $537,000 (7.4% higher than in the first quarter of2012); one bedroom micro apartments (350 to 450 square feet) are being rented to young professionals for two thousand ($2000) a month in the Seaport District; and one bedroom apartments are renting for a minimum of one thousand ($1000) a month in Boston's poorest neighborhoods; and

WHEREAS: The continuous rise of real estate prices in Boston is drastically diminishing economic diversity among Boston's households; and

WHEREAS: Mayor Menino's proposal for building 30,000 new units in Boston by 2020 includes only 5,000 units viewed as affordable by those Boston households with an income of the city's 2013 median income of $75,000 or less a year; and

WHEREAS: The city, state, and business communities should have policies designed to promote the health and welfare of the people of the cities and states in which they are located; Therefore Be It

ORDERED: That the appropriate committee of thc Boston City Council be requested to invite representatives of the Mayor's office, ABCD, the Economic Development Industrial Corporations, the Greater Boston Chamber of Commerce, the state Office of Workforcc Development, and the Associated Industries of Massachusetts to discuss development of strategies to bring full employment to Boston; and Be further ordered

ORDERED: That representatives of the Boston Police Department, Boston Public Schools, Boston Public Health Commission, as well as the Commonwealth of Massachusetts' Executive Offices of Public Safety, Education, and Health and Human Services be invited to discuss the relationship of poverty and unemployment to crime, educational underachievement, and poor health in the City of Boston; and Be it further ordered

ORDERED: That representatives of the Boston Redevelopment Authority and the Department of Neighborhood Development be invited to discuss development of strategies to maintain stable economic diversity among households of Boston despite rising cost of housing; and Be it further ordered

ORDERED: That representatives of Boston's major employers, such as Massachusetts General Hospital, Stop & Shop, the University of Massachusetts, Steward Health Care System, Harvard University, and Brigham and Women's Hospital be invited to discuss the extent to which their hiring and promotion policies address the issues of poverty and unemployment in the City of Boston.

Referred to the Committee on Economic Development and Planning and Labor.

ORDER FOR HEARING TO DISCUSS HOMELESSNESS AMONG AFRICAN AMERICAN VETERANS (DOCKET NO. 0191)

Councilors YANCEY, JACKSON, WU and PRESSLEY offered the following:

WHEREAS: The U.S. Department of Veterans' Affairs (USDVA) says on any given day, as many as 250,000 veterans (male and female) are living on the streets or in shelters and that roughly 57 percent of all homeless veterans are African American or Hispanic; and

WHEREAS: One recent study, Health Care for Homeless Veterans Programs, indicates that African Americans are over four times more likely that other veteransto be homeless; and

WHEREAS: African Americans have been more likely than whites to be over diagnosed with psychosis and under diagnosed with affective, or anxiety disorders; to receive inpatient or emergency care rather than scheduled outpatient care; to be involuntarily committed; to receive excessive medication, especially anti-psychotic medications; to be place in seclusion and restraints; to leave treatment against medical advice; to be referred to the least desirable dispositions; not to receive substance abuse treatment when treatment is needed; and to be incarcerated with substance abuse problems; and

WHEREAS: The Veterans Administration has established a new Secretariat-level, 15-member Advisory Committee on Homeless Veterans and Ralph Cooper, a long-time, local advocate in aiding homeless veterans, is a committee membeJ; and

WHEREAS: Black Veterans for Social Justice, Inc., a non-profit, community-based organization in Brooklyn, New York, has served men and women veterans, their families and members of the community for the past 23 years, in the areas of social readjustment, housing, employment, compensation, disability, substance abuse, medical treatment, Post Traumatic Stress Disorder, family intervention, prison counseling, relocation into the community, and legal advocacy; and

WHEREAS: The Veterans Benefit Clearinghouse Inc., in Boston specifically targets the homeless veteran population whose demographics are: 85 percent African American, 10 percent Caucasian, and 5 percent Hispanic. Services available to program participants include case management and counseling, employment training and placement, pre-vocational training, emergency services - food pantry, rental assistance, utilities assistance, housing (SRO) and housing placement (section 8)- and health education; and

WHEREAS: Boston City Councillor Charles C. Yancey sponsored a resolution urging the National Black Caucus of Local Elected Officials to support a national study to determinc the cause of homelessness among African American veterms; and

WHEREAS: THOUSANDS and thousands of soldiers who risked their lives for our country will wander the

streets for food and sleep in the gutters tonight; Therefore be it

ORDERED: That the appropriate Committee of the Boston City Council convenes a public hearing to discus homelessness among African American veterans;and Be it Further

ORDERED: That representatives from the Veterans Administration, the Veterans Benefit Clearinghouse Inc., Black Veterans for Social Justice, the New England Shelter for Homeless Veterans, the City of Boston's Emergency Shelter Commission, the Boston City Council's Committee on hunger and homelessness, the Homeless Empowerment Project and the general public be invited to participate.

Referred to the Committee on City, Neighborhood Services and Veterans Affairs.

ORDER FOR HEARING REGARDING RACIAL DISPARITIES IN BOSTON (DOCKET NO. 0192)

Councilors YANCEY and JACKSON offered the following:

WHEREAS: The racial make-up of most city departments fails to reflect the true diversity of Boston's rich and multi-ethnic population; and

WHEREAS: The city of Boston's law department, which employs 22 attorneys and counsels, has only 2 attorneys of Color; and

WHEREAS: 87.1 percent of the 62 Boston Police Department employees earning over $100,000 annually are White; 9.7 percent are Black; 1.6 percent are Asian; and 1.6 percent are Latino; and

WHEREAS: 100 percent of Boston's Police captains, who head each police district, are White.

WHEREAS: Racial disparities in the City of Boston indicate that people of color have less access to health care, less access to credit and capital, higher poverty rates, poorer educational outcomes and higher incarceration rates; and

WHEREAS: Discrimination in employment opportunities in the City of Boston limits access to wealth for many people of color and resulting in the lack of access to goods, services and opportunities by people of color in the City of Boston; and

WHEREAS: Disparities in employment, which is evident in every department in the City of Boston, indicates that Asians, Latinos, and African Americans have limited access to wealth; and Disparities in employment, which is evident in every department in the City of Boston, indicates that Asians, Latinos, and African Americans have limited access to wealth; and Institutionalized racism has become common practice in the City of Boston, resulting in race-based barriers to gainful employment and professional advancement for people of color; Therefore Be It

ORDERED: That the appropriate committee of the Boston City Council holds a series of public hearings to examine each city department for racial disparities in terms of numbers of employees and salaries earned by employees, and whether or not certain policies, practices, or structures are placing Boston's non-white racial and ethnic groups at a disadvantage in relation to White employees in the City of Boston; and Be It Further

ORDERED: That Representatives from City LifeNida Urban, the Urban League of Eastern Massachusetts, the Chinese Progressive Association, the Boston Residents Jobs Policy Office, the City of Boston's Office of Civil Rights, the National Center for Fair & Open Testing, the Boston Society ofVulcans of Massachusetts, the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, The Vietnamese American Initiative for Development, the Massachusetts Association of Minority Law Enforcement Officers, the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services' Office for Civil Rights (Region I), and members of the public shall be invited to attend.

Referred to the Committee on Human Rights and Civil Rights.

ORDER FOR HEARING REGARDING BOSTON CABLE TELEVISION RATES (DOCKET NO. 0193)

Councilors YANCEY, CIOMMO, LAMATTINA, MCCARTHY, MURPHY, O'MALLEY, PRESSLEY and WU offered the following:

WHEREAS: Cable television first became available in the United States in 1948, with subscription services beginning in the following year, 1949; and

WHEREAS: The Comcast Corporation, based in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, is the largest cable operator, one of the biggest mass media, home Internet service provider, and third largest home telephone service provider in the United States, providing cable television, broadband Internet, telephone service and in some areas home security (including burglar alarms, surveillance cameras, fire alarm systems and home automation) to both residential and commercial customers in 40 states and the District of Columbia; and

WHEREAS: The top two largest cable companies by number of subscribers, as of September 2012, were Comcast with about 22 million subscribers and Time Warner Cable with 12.3 million subscribers and

WHEREAS: Some states, such as Massachusetts, regulate cable television on a comprehensive basis through a state commission or advisory board established for the sole purpose of cable television regulation. In Alaska, Connecticut, Delaware, New Jersey, Rhode Island, and Vermont, the agencies are state public utility commissions. In other areas of the country, cable is regulated by local governments such as a city cable commission, city council, town council, or a board of supervisors. These regulatory entities are called local franchising authorities (LFA); and

WHEREAS: LFAs may review any increases in basic service tier rates to verify that they accurately reflect increases in the cable company's programming or other costs that cable operators are allowed to pass through to customers; and

WHEREAS: The Mayor's Office of Cable Communications monitors cable television franchises with both Comcast and RCN-BecoComm; reports and mediates consumer issues regarding cable television service, perfonnance, rates, and construction; funds and collaborates with the Boston Community Access & Programming Foundation, (BNN- TV) which programs community access television on Comeast Channels 9 & 23 and RCN's Channels 15 & 99; and certifies eligible telecommunications providers to do business with the city of Boston under the city's Office of Telecommunieations policy" and

WHEREAS: The rates charged for basic cable service are legally regulated by the LFAs. The rates charged for other cable programming and services, such as expanded cable channelpackages, premium movie channels and pay-per-view sports events are regulated by cable TV providers; Therefore Be It

ORDERED: That the appropriate committee of the Boston City Council holds a public hearing to investigate current cable TV rates in the City of Boston; and Be It Further

ORDERED: That representatives of the Massachusetts Department of the Cable Television Division, The Mayor's Office of Cable Communications, COMCAST, RCN, and members of the public shall be invited to attend.

Referred to the Committee on City, Neighborhood Services and Veterans Affairs.

ORDER FOR HEARING TO DETERMINE WHAT STEPS ARE BEING TAKEN TO IDENTIFY CAUSES AND POTENTIAL REMEDIES FOR REDUCING AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENTS IN

CITY OF BOSTON (DOCKET NO. 0194)

Councilors YANCEY and O'MALLEY offered the following:

WHEREAS: Car accidents remain the leading cause of death among Americans, 1 to 34 years of age, according to the U.S. Department of Transportation; and

WHEREAS: These deaths, according to the Department of Transportation, cost our society more than $150 billion each year; and

WHEREAS: The typical cost for treating a victim of an automobile accident ranges from $6,000 to $9,000; and

WHEREAS: The Boston Police Department, according to an article in the Boston Herald, is studying Boston's deadliest roads to come up with a method for reducing fatalities and personal injuries caused by automobile accidents in the City of Boston; and

WHEREAS: Twelve fatal car accidents occurred, 2004, in the City of Boston, according to Sargent Matthew Whalen, chief crash investigator for the Boston Police Department; and

WHEREAS: Nearly 300 accidents occurred in 2004 along Blue Hill Avenue, in Mattapan, Dorchester and Roxbury, according to Boston police statistics; and

WHEREAS: Over 200 accidents occurred in 2004 along American Legion Highway in Dorchester, Roxbury and Roslindale, according to Boston police statistics; Be It Therefore

ORDERED: That the Boston City Council, in meeting assembled, hold a hearing to determine what steps are being taken to identify the causes and potential remedies for reducing automobile accidents in the City of Boston; and Be It Further

ORDERED: That the Commissioner of the Boston Police Department, the Commissioner of the Transportation Department, representatives of the Boston Fire Department and Boston Emergency Medical Services and the general public be invited to attend and testify.

Referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

ORDER REGARDING INSTALLATION OF SPEED BUMPS (DOCKET NO. 0195)

Councilors YANCEY, JACKSON, LAMATTINA, MCCARTHY, O'MALLEY and PRESSLEY offered the following:

WHEREAS: The City of Boston is committed to providing the safest streets possible for all of its residents, especially children and senior citizens, and

WHEREAS: many residents of Boston have been injured or killed in automotive accidents involving pedestrians, and

WHEREAS: "speed bumps" have the effect of reducing the speed of vehicles where they are used in heavily congested areas, thereby reducing 1he probability of fatal accident, and

WHEREAS: the Boston Housing Authority (BHA) houses approximately ten percent of Boston's residents, and a significant proportion ofBHA residents are children and elderly, and

WHEREAS: in 1998, a two-year old infant was killed in an automobile accident at the Gallivan Housing Development where the residents have requested speed bumps as a strategy to reduce the likelihood of a recurrence of this tragedy, and

WHEREAS: in August of this year Paris Booker, a promising scholar and athlete, was killed on Topliff Street in Dorchester when a speeding vehicle struck him while he was bicycling, and

WHEREAS: speed bumps have been installed on some private rights of way, private housing developments, in some BHA developments as well as certain public streets in Boston, Be It Therefore

ORDERED: That the appropriate committee of the Boston City Council convene hearings to dctermine the feasibility of installing permanent or temporary speed bumps on certain ptblic and private streets to help reduce the speed of vehicles in congested areas, And Be It Further

ORDERED: That the heads of Transportation Department, the Boston Housing Authority, Emergency Medical Services, Police, Fire and Public Works Departments be invited to testify.

Referred to the Committee on City, Neighborhood Services and Veterans Affairs.

ORDER FOR HEARING TO INVESTIGATE MEANS OF PROTECfING RESIDENTS FROM SIM CARD FRAUD (DOCKET NO. 0196)

Councilors YANCEY and MURPHY offered the following:

WHEREAS: The first Subscriber Identity Module (SIM) card was developed in 1991; and

WHEREAS: SIM cards contain subscriber information, authentication infonnation, text messages and phone book contacts; and

WHEREAS: SIM card fraud has led authorities in several nations to implement consumer protection measures that require buyers to have valid identification, such as a licenses or a voter registration cards, when registering for a mobile phone; And

WHEREAS: Legislation in South Africa that went into effect on July 1, 2009 required operators who buy prepay SIM cards to register their identities, physical addresses and cellular phone numbers with retailers. Existing customers, at the time, were given 18 months to register prepaid and contract SIM cards or their SIM cards would be deactivated; and

WHEREAS: Owners of stolen cell phones are responsible for all calls made up until the phones have been reported stolen; Be It Therefore

ORDERED: That the Boston City Council holds a public hearing to investigate means of protecting consumers from SlM: card fraud; Be It Further

ORDERED: That members of the cellular phone industry (Sprint, T-mobile, AT&T, and Verizon Wireless), Boston Police Department, and general public be invited to testify about whether or not SIM card legislation can protect residents from SIM card fraud.

Referred to the Committee on City, Neighborhood Services and Veterans Affairs.

ORDER FOR HEARING ON LOCATIONS OF CAB STANDS (DOCKET NO. 0197)

Councilors YANCEY, MURPHY, WU and ZAKIM offered the following:

ORDERED: That the Boston City Council conducts a hearing on the location of cab stands in the City of Boston and the laws, regulations, policies, practices, and procedures related thereto.

Referred to the Committee on City, Neighborhood Services and Veterans Affairs.

ORDER FOR HEARING REGARDING CELL PHONE TOWER PLACEMENT (DOCKET NO. 0198)

Councilors YANCEY and MURPHY offered the following:

WHEREAS: Cell phones have revolutionized how residents in the City of Boston live their lives; lines of communication have increased, both personal and business information flows more smoothly, parents are better able to keep track of their children and children are safer

and able to reach their parents when needed; and,

WHEREAS: Cell phones require a certain proximity to a tower for their signals to be at their strongest and heavily populated, dense cities require a certain number of towers in order for cell service to be at its best; and,

WHEREAS: The Public Improvement Commission is charged with regulating "how telecom and utility companies access and occupy the underground and above ground cable networks"; this process involves ensuring public input on how and where cell phone towers will be installed. Cell phone companies are frequently called before the neighborhood to explain and discuss their work; and,

WHEREAS: There are certain proposed and present cell phone towers that did not appear to have the necessary public process; history has shown repeatedly that involving communities in public processes allows neighborhood improvements to honestly reflect the needs of the community, while placing cell phone towers without community input is both disrespectful and counterproductive in terms of creating positive business-resident relationships; and,

WHEREAS: Especially when the health effects of cell phone and their towers are as yet unknown, community education and awareness is key in this issue. Complaints have been received about towers in some neighborhoods, and since the community involvement process can always be improved upon; NOW,

THEREFORE BE IT ORDERED: That the appropriate committee of the Boston City Council holds a hearing to examine what public processes have taken place with regards to cell phone tower and how those processes might be improved. Representatives from the Public Improvement Commission, the Metro Boston Micro Cell Project and other interested parties shall be invited to attend.

Referred to the Committee on City, Neighborhood Services and Veterans Affairs.

ORDER FOR HEARINGS TO REVIEW FISCAL YEAR 2015 BUDGET (DOCKET NO. 0199)

Councilor YANCEY offered the following:

Ordered: That the appropriate committee conducts hearings to review the fiscal year 2015 budget; and Be It Further

Ordered: That the appropriate Department Heads and the public be invited to testify.

Referred to the Committee on Post Audit and Oversight.

RESOLUTION THAT CITY OF BOSTON CONTRIBUTES FINANCIAL SUPPORT FOR ERECTION OF DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. MONUMENT IN BOSTON (DOCKET NO. 0200)

Couucilors YANCEY, O'MALLEY, CIOMMO, FLAHERTY, JACKSON, LAMATTINA, MCCARTHY, MURPHY, PRESSLEY,WU, ZAKIM aud LINEHAN offered the following:

WHEREAS: Reverend Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. was born in Atlanta, Georgia on January 15, 1929 and this year will be the 85th anniversary of his birth; and

WHEREAS: Dr. King received his bachelor of arts degree in sociology from Morehouse College in 1948 and he received his bachelor of divinity degree from Crozer Theological Seminary in Upland, Pennsylvania in 1951; and

WHEREAS: Dr. King, who served as a member of Twelfth Baptist Church in Roxbury, received a Doctorate in Systematic Theology from Boston University in 1955; and

WHEREAS: Dr. King met Coretta Scott at the Twelfth Baptist Church in Roxbury and manied her on June 18, 1953; and

WHEREAS: Dr. King fought for housing, education, and employment in Boston for all citizens; and

WHEREAS: Dr. King fought against discriminatory practices in Boston and throughout the United States of America; and

WHEREAS: Dr. King presided over the historic Montgomery, Alabama bus boycott, which resulted in the historic desegregation of Montgomery buses in 1956; and

WHEREAS: Dr. King and his staff organized mass demonstrations in Birmingham, Alabama in 1963 that eventually led to passage of the Civil Rights Act of 1964; and

WHEREAS: Dr. King was present at the White House while President Lyndon B. Johnson signed the Public Accommodation and Fair Employment sections to the Civil Rights Act of 1964 on July 2, 1964 in Washington, D.C.; and

WHEREAS: Dr. King received the Nobel Peace Prize in Oslo, Norway, on December 10, 1964; and

WHEREAS: Dr. King's life was tragically cut short by an assassin's bullet while he stood on the balcony of the Lorraine Motel on April 4, 1968 in Memphis, Tennessee where he was championing the cause of underprivileged workers. Be It Therefore

RESOLVED: That the Boston City Council, in meeting assembled, proclaims Wednesday, January 15,2015 as Reverend Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Day in the City of Boston; and Be It Further

RESOLVED: That the City of Boston contribute financial support for the erection of a MLK statue in the vicinity of Boston City Hall in the likeness of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. in recognition of Dr. King's courageous fight for justice in Boston and throughout the United States of America.

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

ORDER FOR HEARING REGARDING VEHICULAR CARBON MONOXIDE POISONING (DOCKET NO. 0201)

Councilors YANCEY and PRESSLEY offered the following:

WHEREAS: Carbon monoxide (CO) is a by-product of combustion from fuel burning appliances that, depending m the amount of gas inhaled, can cause nausea, headache, fatigue, and death. But CO alarms can detect the deadly gas and alert people of danger, and

WHEREAS: Government has a responsibility to protect its citizens who may not understand the dangers of cabon monoxide or who may not have the monetary resources available for purchasing CO detection device~ and

WHEREAS: The government could improve the public safety of its citizens by requiring the use of CO detection devices in automobiles. Such action would drastically cut incidents of accidental vehicular CO poisoning; and

WHEREAS: Researchers for the United States' National Highway Traffic Safety Administration reported in 1991 that deaths caused by vehicular CO poisoning could be prevented with a simpleCO detector costing just $11.39 per vehicle. This modification could eliminate nearly 60 percent of all accidental vehicular CO poisoning by automatically shutting off the ignition in a stationary automobile or automatically opening all electric windows n a moving vehicle; and

WHEREAS: Such modification; however, was not enforced and consequently 16,000 people died of vehicular CO poisoning in the United States and Canada between 1991 and 2001; and

WHEREAS: Several people died of vehicular CO poisoning in New England during the blizzard of 2013, including two people in Boston, Massachusetts and two people in Meriden, Connecticut; and

WHEREAS: Carbon monoxide in homes and automobiles is the leading cause of accidental poisoning in the country, claiming the lives of 1,500 people in the

US annually and causing approximately 40,000 visits to emergency rooms, according to the Journal of the American Medical Association. The actual numbers of deaths caused by CO exposure; however, are suspected to be much higher than reported because low levels of atmospheric carbon monoxide can trigger myocardial infarction (heart attack) in those with cardiac problems; Therefore Be It

ORDERED: That the appropriate committee of the Boston City Council holds a public hearing to investigate safety measures that may reduce the number of fatalities caused by vehicular CO poisoning in the City of Boston; and Be It Further

OREDERED: That representatives ofthe United States' National Highway Traffic Safety Administration,Boston Fire Department, Boston Police Department, Boston Emergency Medical Services, Boston Public Health Commission, and members of the public shall be invited to attend.

Referred to tbe Committee on Environment and Parks.

ORDER FOR HEARING TO EXAMINE STATUS OF INSTITUTIONAL EXPANSION BOARD (DOCKET NO. 0202)

Councilors YANCEY, CIOMMO, MURPHY, PRESSLEY and WU offered the following:

BE IT ORDERED: Thatthe appropriate committee of the Boston City Council holds a hearing to examine the status of the Institutional Expansion Board created by CBC 10-5.

Referred to the Committee on Government Operations.

ORDER FOR HEARING REGARDING BOSTON HOUSING AUTHORITY'S TRASH RECYCLING POLICY (DOCKET NO. 0203)

Councilors YANCEY, LAMATTINA, O'MALLEY, PRESSLEY and WU offered the following:

WHEREAS: Government agencies and the majority of the public recognize the importance of recycling; and

WHEREAS: Recycling has become a major issue as scientific research suggests the earth is being depleted too fast to sustain a healthy balance; and

WHEREAS: The City of Boston's Public Works Department provides free weekly recycling services to residents in large apartment buildings (more than six units) and condominiums; and

WHEREAS: Large Apartment Buildings in the City of Boston are required to provide Recycling services per City Council Ordinance entitled: Ordinance Regarding Access to City Recycling Programs for Large Residential Buildings, which went into effect January 2003; and

WHEREAS: The City of Boston delivered large wheeled recycling carts to Boston residences with one to six units between June 2009 and June 2010; and

WHEREAS: Several residents who reside in Boston Public Housing properties have expressed concern that they have been excluded from the City of Boston's Curbside Recycling program; and

WHEREAS: The BHA houses approximately 10 percent of the city's residents; Be It Therefore

ORDERED: That the appropriate committee ofthe Boston City Council convenes a hearing to review policy of the Boston Housing Authority regarding recycling by city residents residing on BHA properties; And Be It Further

ORDERED: That Representatives from The Mayor's office, Public Works Department, the Sanitation Department, Boston Housing Authority, the Massachusetts Department of Environmental Protection, and the general public be invited to participate.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Parks.

ORDER FOR HEARING TO INVESTIGATE SAFETY STANDARDS OF FLOOR SANDING AND REFINISHING TRADE IN CITY OF BOSTON (DOCKET NO. 0204)

Councilors YANCEY and WU offered the following:

WHEREAS: Two Boston workers died recently from injuries they sustained in an explosion and fire while refinishing a stairwell in which they were using fast-drying, solvent-based sealants and polyurethane; and

WHEREAS: Many solvent-based products used in the installation and finishing of hardwood floors are often highly flammable and/or combustible and pose significant risks of fires and explosions; and

WHEREAS: The use of these products in enclosed and poorly ventilated areas may cause a significant build-up of vapors, to a point where sparks or open flames can ignite the vapors, causing fires or explosions; and

WHEREAS: Solvents in lacquer, which are heavier than air and which sink to the floor, can even be ignited by a spark from a fan motor being used to blow the deadly fumes outside; and

WHEREAS: Some workers in the floor sanding and refinishing trade may be untrained about the hazards of using these highly-flammable products without adequate ventilation within the same vicinity as potential ignition sources such as cigarettes, gas pilots, or electrical circuit breakers; and

WHEREAS: Prolonged and repeated exposure to high levels of these vapors may produce both acute and chronic adverse health effects, and sufficient absorption of these products through the skin cOlild lead to adverse systemic health effects; and

WHEREAS: The provision of adequate product-specific training for the use of solvent-based products, the use of respirators, the use of less flammable or non-flammable and non-combustible products and the use of less toxic products could prevent both short-term and long-term adverse effects in workers; and

WHEREAS: The floor sanding and refinishing trade, according to media accounts, is unregulated in the City of Boston, which is host to nearly 150 registered floor refmishing businesses; Be It Therefore

ORDERED: That the Boston City Council hold a public hearing to determine if Boston should take measures to regulate the floor sanding and refinishing trade to prevent further injuries in the City of Boston; and Be it Further

ORDERED: That representatives of the floor sanding and refinishing industry, Viet-AID in Dorchester, the Boston Public Health Commission, the Boston Fire Department, the state Executive Office of Public Safety, federal Occupational Safety and Health Administration, and the general public be invited to attend and testify at this hearing.

Referred to the Committee on Economic Development and Planning and Labor.

ORDER FOR HEARING TO DISCUSS STATE OF EMERGENCY REGARDING HIV/AIDS EPIDEMIC IN COMMUNITIES OF COLOR IN BOSTON (DOCKET NO. 0205)

Councilors YANCEY and PRESSLEY offered the following:

WHEREAS: Healing Our Land is a nonprofit, faith-based organization in Dorchester to facilitate a collective response to the issue of HIV/AIDS as it disproportionately affects communities of color in the City of Boston; and

Several cities, including Baltimore, Houston, New

York City; Alameda County in California, and the State of Alabama have declared States of Emergencies with plans of actions and recommendations to respond in communities of color with respect to the HIV/AIDS Epidemic; and Healing Our Land is recommending that cities expand discussion of HIV prevention on an ongoing basis, among local elected officials and the community at large on the importance of HIV prevention and intervention initiatives; and

WHEREAS: Healing Our Land's recommendations include increased resources to provide culturally and linguistically sensitive prevention services for at-risk and HIV-infected persons, and to evaluate the effectiveness of these prevention services; and

WHEREAS: Recommendations also require cities' health departments to fund prevention activities that specifically target HIV negative at-risk populations, in addition to funding activities to reduce secondary infection; and

WHEREAS: Healing Our Land also urges cities to provide funding for the integration of HIV prevention education in primary care settings as well as in grades K-12; employing programs that are age-appropriate and culturally and linguistically sensitive; and

WHEREAS: Recommendations require city health departments, medical providers and institutions to become more effective in identifying HIV-infected individuals, enrolling them in care, and integrating prevention education as part of their ongoing care and expand access to health screening services that will promote early diagnosis and entry into care for HIV infection; and

WHEREAS: African Americans make up 13 percent of the U.S. population but they make up 70 percent of those infected, according to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention; and

WHEREAS: The Massachusetts Departrnent of Public Health states African American women in Massachusetts have the fastest growing infection rates, being 39 times more likely (and Latino women 19 times more likely) to become infected; Be It Therefore

ORDERED: That the Boston City Council, in meeting assembled, declare a State of Emergency with a plan of action with respect to the HIV/AIDS Epidemic in Communities in Color in the City of Boston; and Be it Further

ORDERED: That the Boston City Council, in meeting assembled, discusses implementation of the recommendations such as faith-based counseling and a testing pilot with Boston Public Health Commission and the Massachusetts Department of Public Health; Be It Further

That the Boston City Council, in meeting assembled, also discusses implementation of the Boston Area Client Assistance and Referral System, a commission with comprehensive representation and a line item in the City budget for coalition initiatives.

Referred to the Committee on Healthy Women, Families and Communities.

ORDER FOR HEARING TO DISCUSS RESOURCES AND SERVICES AVAILABLE TO INDIVIDUALS WITH SICKLE CELL DISEASE (DOCKET NO. 0206)

Councilors YANCEY, PRESSLEY and JACKSON offered the following:

WHEREAS, Sickle cell disease is an inherited disorder that affects hemoglobin, the molecule in red blood cells that delivers oxygen to cells throughout the body. Signs and symptoms of sickle cell disease usually begin in early childhood. Characteristic features of sickle cell disease include anemia, repeated infections and periodic episodes of pain; and

WHEREAS, According to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), sickle cell disease affects millions of people throughout the world and is the most common inherited blood disorder in the United States. The CDC estimates that sickle cell disease affects 90,000 to 100,000 Americans and occurs in about 1 out of every 500 African-American births and 1 out of every 36,000 Hispanic-American births; and

WHEREAS, Sickle cell disease is a major public health concern as the life expectancy of persons with sickle cell disease is reduced because patients suffer progressive tissue and organ damage and are prone to bacterial infections; and

WHEREAS, In the United States, babies are screened for sickle cell disease at birth allowing for early treatment; however, significant gaps remain in continuing care for children and adults affected by the disease; and

WHEREAS, Many area hospitals offer programs and treatment protocols for patients affected by sickle cell disease, including Brigham and Women's Hospital, Boston Medical Center, Dana-Farber Cancer Center and Tufts Medical Center; and

WHEREAS, It is imperative that the City of Boston ensure that sickle cell patients receive services and treatments from birth to adulthood including preventive care, education, ongoing counseling programs and access to communication networks to improve the quality of life for sickle cell patients; NOW

THEREFORE BE IT ORDERED, That the appropriate committee of the Boston City Council holds a hearing to examine the resources and services that are available to individuals suffering from sickle cell disease. Representatives from the Boston Public Health Commission, the state Department of Public Health, the Boston Public School Department, Brigham and Women's Clinic-The Joint Center for Sickle Cell and Thelassemic Disorders, Massachusetts General Hospital, Children's Hospital, Boston Medical Center and the Greater Boston Sickle Cell Disease Association and other interested patties shall be invited to attend.

Referred to the Committee on Healthy Women, Families and Communities.

ORDER FOR HEARING TO INVESTIGATE SOCIAL SERVICES AVAILABLE TO VICTIMS OF COMMUNITY VIOLENCE (DOCKET NO. 0207)

Councilors YANCEY, MCCARTHY, MURPHY, O'MALLEY, PRESSLEY, WU, LAMATTINA and JACKSON offered the following:

WHEREAS: Community violence includes acts such as rapes, beatings, shootings and stabbings; And

WHEREAS: One study found that over 75 percent of those in high-violence neighborhoods had been exposed to community violence; And

WHEREAS: Past research has docnmented that exposure to community violence may have enduring consequences on children's development, beginning in the preschool years and continuing through adolescence; And

WHEREAS: The research has demonstrated that although some children may internalize problems and become anxious, fearful or withdrawn, others may externalize problems and learn to use violence to attain their wishes, or to identify with the aggressor, as a way to solve interpersonal conflict with the adult world or with their peers; And

WHEREAS: Community violence is recognized as a public health issue, especially among the young; Be It Therefore

ORDERED: That the Boston City Council holds a hearing to discuss social services available to victims of community violence; Be It Further

ORDERED: That members of the Boston Public Health Commission, the Boston Police Department, anti-violence groups, and community members be invited to testify about the forms of individaul and group treatments that are available for Boston youths suffering from Post Traumatic Stress Disorder resulting from community violence; And Be It Further

ORDERED: That members of the Boston Public Health Commission, the Boston Police Department, Anti-

violence groups, and community members be invited to testify about whether or not the City of Boston is providing sufficient support for violence and sexual as~ault prevention programs in the City of Boston.

Referred to the Committee on Healthy Women, Families and Communities.

ORDER FOR HEARING TO INVESTIGATE CITY'S LACK OF CABLECASTING OF BOSTON CITY COUNCIL AFFAIRS (DOCKET NO. 0208)

Councilors YANCEY and JACKSON offered the following:

WHEREAS: The Program Manager of the Boston City Council produces audio/video recordings of the Boston City Council's weekly meeting and of the many hearing of Boston City Council committees; and

WHEREAS: Comcast broadcasts live coverage of the weekly meetings of the Boston City Council on channel A-51; and

WHEREAS: Comcast broadcasts live coverage of most of the hcarings of committees of the Boston City Council on channel A-51; and

WHEREAS: Comcast broadcasts these events live during regular business hours; and

WHEREAS: During the regular business hours that the City Council is not is session and no hearing is occurring, Comcast broadcasts recorded meetings and hearings of the City Council as programmed by the Program Manager; and

WHEREAS: Outside of regular business hours, no broadcasts of City Council occur on Comcast; and

WHEREAS: The lack of coverage outside of regular business hours may have a detrimental impact on the residents, visitors, and constituents of the City of Boston; NOW THEREFORE BE IT

ORDERED: That the Boston City Council conducts a hearing on the lack of coverage of the affairs of the Boston City Council on Comcast and the possibilities for expanding this coverage or these broadcasts.

Referred to tbe Committee on City, Neighborhood Services and Veterans Affairs.

ORDER FOR A HEARING MANDATING PLACEMENT OF FUNCTIONING AUTOMATED EXTERNAL DEFIBRILLATORS IN PUBLIC BUILDINGS IN BOSTON (DOCKET NO. 0209)

Councilor YANCEY offered the following:

WHEREAS: An Automated External Defibrillator (AED) is a portable electronic device that analyses heart rhythms and provides a shock to restore the heart beat of a person suffering from cardiac arrest; and

WHEREAS: The American Heart Association recommends that all emergency rescue services have an AED at their disposal; and

WHEREAS: Defibrillation is most successful when administered within four minutes of the onset of cardiac arrest; and

WHEREAS: AEDs are increasingly available in such public places as airports, libraries, shopping malls, movie theatres, and community centers; and

WHEREAS: The City of Boston, in conjunction with the American Red Cross, can provide the Boston Police with defibrillator training courses regarding CPR protocols and the use of AEDs; and

WHEREAS: National statistics show 300,000 Americans die of sudden cardiac arrest every year, but that 50,000 of these deaths could be prevented if an AED is available; Be It Therefore

ORDERED: The Boston City Council holds a public hearing to deliberate the prospect of mandating placement of functioning Automated External Defibrillators in public buildings in the City of Boston.

Referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

ORDER FOR HEARING TO DISCUSS DISPLACEMENT, COMMUNITY STABILITY, AND NEIGHBORHOOD PRESERVATION (DOCKET NO. 0210)

Councilors JACKSON, ZAKIM, LAMATTINA, O'MALLEY, PRESSLEY, WU, LINEHAN, YANCEY and MURPHY offered the following:

WHEREAS: The foreclosure crisis and the surge of residential housing conversion by corporate landlords backed by investors are causing displacement and community instability; and

WHEREAS: Corporate landlords and investors have a great interest in making tremendous profit from buying bank-owned housing stock and being absentee owners; and

WHEREAS: In effect, these absentee owners-such as City Realty - who are disconnected from the community, force neighboring long-term homeowners out of their homes, raise rent prices to unreasonable amounts, and ignore their duty to repair uninhabitable conditions; and

WHEREAS: More than half of Boston residents who are able to obtain housing are rent-burdened, paying more than 30% of their household gross income on housing and, thus, sacrificing healthcare, healthy food, and transportation to make ends meet; and

WHEREAS: For those residents who are unable to afford housing, they become part of the thousands of homeless people seeking one of a limited number of subsidized housing units, beds in homeless shelters, and space on the streets of Boston; and

WHEREAS: Both the middle class and the most vulnerable Boston residents, particularly the elderly, disabled, and low-income families, sutler from being unable to afford the high housing cost; and

WHEREAS: The increased demand for subsidized housing, homeless shelters, and no-fault eviction court proceedings due to rent increases and foreclosures shift the large-scale cost from the private sector to the public sector; and

WHEREAS: It is imperative that the Boston City Council continue to develop healthy communities and preserve the populations and cultures of neighborhoods against forced displacement; and, NOW,

THEREFORE BE IT ORDERED, That the appropriate committee of the Boston City Council hold a hearing to discuss the effect of the role of corporate landlords and investors in the City's housing stock and community instability and examine the current regulations with the focus of preserving and developing housing for healthy communities and neighborhoods; and

BE IT ORDERED, That the appropriate committee of the Boston City Council invite Boston Redevelopment Authority, Department of Neighborhood Development, tenant associations, and all interested parties, including Boston residents who are tenants, homeowners, and fonner homeowners who lost their homes in foreclosure, to testify.

Referred to tbe Committee on Housing.

ORDER FOR HEARING TO DISCUSS DIVERSITY IN POST-SECONDARY INSTITUTIONS (DOCKET NO. 021 I)

Councilors JACKSON, YANCEY, PRESSLEY, WU and FLAHERTY offered the following:

WHEREAS: In order for Boston to bolster our economy, maintain a competitive workforce, improve health conditions, and lower crime rates, the City of Boston must ensure that opportunities for post-secondary education

are strong for its diverse population; and

WHEREAS: There is an indirect correlation between educational attainment and arrest and incarceration rates; and

WHEREAS: Increased educational attainment improves health, lower crime rates and yields more civically engaged citizens; and

WHEREAS: Greater Boston consists of over 50 post-secondary institutions but yet only 46% of Boston Public School students in the class of 2005 completed college within a seven year period; and

WHEREAS: 76% of Boston Public School students are Black and Hispanic; and

WHEREAS: To prepare our diverse Boston student population for the 21st century challenges, our post-secondary institutions need to cultivate diverse population, including having the most well-represented group of educators;

WHEREAS: It is imperative for the City of Boston to collaborate with educators (including faculty and administrators), community leaders, business leaders and other residents to understand the need for and to increase diversity in post-secondary education; and, NOW

THEREFORE BE IT ORDERED, That the appropriate committee of the Boston City Council hold a hearing to discuss diversity in post-secondary institutions and invite interested parties to attend the hearing.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

ORDER FOR HEARING TO DISCUSS ENTREPRENEURSHIP-IN-RESIDENCE PROGRAM IN CITY HALL (DOCKET NO. 0212)

Councilors JACKSON and WU offered the following:

WHEREAS: Boston's entrepreneurial and innovative ecosystem consists of talented individuals who can help the City of Boston find creative solutions to help strengthen City programs and functions; and

WHEREAS: The implementation of an Entrepreneur-in-Residence program in City government is crucial to further engagement in the innovative spirit that will boost and sustain our city's economy through the stimulation of new industries and the creation of new jobs; and

WHEREAS: An Entrepreneur-in-Residence program would engender collaboration between entrepreneurs and the City's departments for the purpose of providing opportunities to stimulate economic development, to enhance community engagement, to strengthen government programs, and to make government functions simpler, easier to access, more efficient, and more responsive to public needs; and

WHEREAS: Other cities, such as San Francisco, Los Angeles, Portland, and New York, have adopted models of Entrepreneur-in-Residence programs in an effort to improve public safety, to address individual and public health concerns, and to implement technologies that facilitate greater efficiency in the process of economic development; and

WHEREAS: The City of Boston should join in this innovative movement to unite government and entrepreneurs for the purpose of improving the quality of life in the critical areas of, but not limited to, education, healthcate, transportation, public safety, and the environment; and

THEREFORE BE IT ORDERED, That the appropriate committee of the Boston City Council hold a hearing to discuss the implementation of an Entrepreneur-in-Residence program; and

BE IT FURTHER ORDERED, That the appropriate departments of the Mayor's Office and all other interested parties be invited to testify.

Referred to the Special Committee on Small Business, Entrepreneurship and Innovation.

President LINEHAN moved that Docket No. 0213 which was previously filed in error was corrected and substituted as follows:

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEE (DOCKET NO. 0213)

Councilor LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, January 31, 2015, the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against her name until May 1, 2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Corinne Walsh, Senior Legislative Assistant & Budget Analyst, $2115.38, full time

Passed under suspension ofthe rules.

LATE-FILED MATTERS

The Chair stated that in absence of objection, four late-filed matters would be added to the Agenda. No objection being heard, the following matters were so added:

Councilor CIOMMO in the Chair.

PETITION FOR SPECIAL LAW RE: ACT CONCERNING LONG-TERM HOMEOWNERS (DOCKET NO. 0226)

Councilor LINEHAN moved that Rule 12 be invoked to include Councilor CIOMMO as co-sponsor. Motion prevailed.

Councilors LINEHAN, MURPHY, CIOMMO, FLAHERTY, O'MALLEY, MCCARTHY, LAMATTINA, JACKSON, PRESSLEY, WU, YANCEY and ZAKIM offered the following:

WHEREAS, The City of Boston has one of the highest costs of living of any city in the country, as well as one of the most expensive real estate markets; and,

WHEREAS, long-term homeowners can see their property tax bills increase, making it difficult for some of them to continue to afford to stay in their home; and, THEREFORE BE IT

ORDERED, That a petition to the General Court, accompanied by a bill for a special law relating to the City of Boston to be filed with an attested copy of this order be; and hereby is, approved under Clause 1 of Section 8 of Article II, as amended, of the Articles of Amendment to the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, to the end that legislation be adopted precisely as follows, except for clerical or editorial changes of form. only:

PETITION FOR A SPECIAL LAW RE:

AN ACT CONCERNING LONG-TERM HOMEOWNERS

SECTION 1. Notwithstanding section 5 of chapter 59 of the General Laws or any general or special law to the contrary, the assessing department of the city of Boston shall implement a tax deferral program for long-term residents of the city of Boston.

SECTION 2. (a) The assessing department of the City of Boston shall defer the real estate property tax payment, to an amount determined as hereinafter provided, of a person who is 55 years of age or older as of July 1 of the tax year; or of a person who owns the same jointly with his or her spouse, either of whom is 55 years of age or over; or of a person who owns the same jointly or as a tenant in common with a person not his or her spouse, either of whom is 55 years of age or over; provided, that such

person has been domiciled in the commonwealth for the preceding 10 years; and: (1) has so owned and occupied the same real property as his or her domicile for 10 consecutive years; or (2) is a surviving spouse who inherits such real property and has occupied such real property in the commonwealth as his or her domicile for 10 consecutive years and who otherwise qualifies under this act; provided, however, that said surviving spouse and his or her current spouse, if married, had during the preceding year gross receipts from all sources not in excess of the amount of income determined by the commissioner of revenue for the purposes of subsection (k) of section 6 of Chapter 62, for a single person who is not a head of household.

(b) To qualify for a tax deferral under this act the real estate tax due on the property for which the deferral is sought, as reduced by abatements and exemptions, if any, for the year in question shall have increased by at least 10 per cent over the prior year's real estate tax due, as reduced by abatements and exemptions, if any.

(c) An individual with an income that exceeds the amount determined under subsection (k) of section 6 of chapter 62 shall not be eligible for a tax deferral under this act.

(d) In determining the total period ownership of an applicant for deferral under this act, the time during which the same property was owned by a husband or wife individually shall be added to the period during which such property was owned by said husband and wife jointly.

SECTION 3. (a) Any person eligible for the tax deferral program authorized by this act may, within 3 months after the date on which the bill or notice of assessment was sent or by April 1 of the tax year, whichever is later, apply to the board of assessors of the city of Boston for a deferral of all or part of such real property from taxation during such year; provided, however, that in the case of real estate owned by a person jointly or as a tenant in common with a person not his or her spouse, the deferral shall not exceed that proportion of total valuation which the amount of his or her interest in such property bears to the whole tax due. The board of assessors shall grant such deferral; provided, that the owner or owners of such real property have entered into a tax deferral and recovery agreement with said board of assessors on behalf of the city of Boston. The tax deferral and recovery agreement shall provide:

(1) that no sale or transfer of such real property may be consummated unless the taxes which would otherwise have been assessed on the exempt portion of the real property have been paid, with interest at the rate of 4 per cent per annum. or such lesser or higher rate as may be determined by the legislative body of the city of Boston, subject to its charter, no later than the beginning of the fiscal year to which the tax relates;

(2) that the total amount of such taxes due, plus interest, for the current and prior years does. not exceed 50 per cent of the owner's proportional share of the full and fair cash value of such real property;

(3) that upon the demise of the owner of such real property, the heirs-at-law, assignees or devisees shall have first priority to said real property by paying in full the total taxes which would otherwise have been due, plus interest; provided, however, that if such heir-at-law, assignee or devisee is a surviving spouse who enters into a tax deferral and recovery agreement under this act, payment of the taxes and interest due shall not be required during the life of such surviving spouse. Any additional taxes deferred, plus interest, on said real property under a tax deferral and recovery agreement signed by a surviving spouse shall be added to the taxes and interest which would otherwise have been due, and the payment of which has ~n postponed during the life of such surviving spouse, in determining the 50 per cent requirement of subparagraph (2);

(4) that if the taxes due, plus interest, are not paid by the heir-at-law, assignee or devisee or if payment is not postponed during the life of a surviving spouse, such taxes and interest shall be recovered from the estate of the owner; and

(5) that any joint owner or mortgagee holding a mortgage on such property has given written prior approval for such agreement, which shall be made a part of such agreement.

(b) In the case of each tax deferral and recovery agreement entered into between the board of assessors of the city of Boston and the owner or owners of such real property, said board of assessors shall forthwith cause to be recorded in the registry of deeds of the county or district in which the city or town is situated a statement of their action which shall constitute a lien upon the land covered by such agreement for such taXes as have been assessed under the provisions of this chapter, plus interest as hereinafter provided. A lien filed pursuant to this act shall be subsequent to any liens securing a reverse mortgage, excepting shared appreciation instruments. The statement shall name the owner or owners and shall include a description of the land adequate for identification. Unless such it statement is recorded the lien shall not be effective with respect to a bona fide purchaser or other transferee without actual knowledge of such lien. The filing fee for such statement shall be paid by the City of Boston and shall be added to and become a part of the taxes due_

(c) In addition to the remedies provided by this act, the recorded statement of the assessors provided for in this clause shall have the same force and effect as a valid taking for nonpayment of taxes pursuant to section 53 of chapter 60 of the General Laws, provided that:

(1) interest shall accrue at the rate provided in this act until the conveyance of the property or the death of the person whose taxes have been deferred, after which time interest shall accrue at the rate provided in section 62 of said chapter 60;

(2) no assignment of the City of Boston's interest under this clause may be made pursuant to section 52 of said chapter 60; and

(3) no petition under section 65 of chapter 60 to foreclose the lien may be filed before the expiration of 6 months from the conveyance of the property or the death of the person whose taxes have been deferred.

SECTION 4. This act shall take effect on July 1, 2015.

SECTION 5. The authority to grant a deferral under this act shall expire on June 30, 2017 unless extended by a vote of the City of Boston City Council and approval of the Mayor.

On motion of Councilor LINEHAN, the rules were suspended; the order was passed.

Councilor LINEHAN in the Chair.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEE
(DOCKET NO. 0227)

Councilor LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Wednesday, January 14, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, March 13, 2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Andrew Baldizon, Secretary, $600.00, part time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

ORDER RE: SUPERINTENDENT TO SUBMIT STATEMENT OF INTEREST FORMS (DOCKET NO. 0228)

Councilor YANCEY offered the following:

Ordered: That having convened in open meeting on _____, 2015, the City Council of Boston, in accordance with its charter, by-laws, and ordinances, has voted to authorize the Superintendent to submit to the Massachusetts School Building Authority the Statement of Interest Forms dated on, or before, April 10, 2015, for the following school:

Mattapan High School (new), Old State Hospital

Which describes and explains the following deficiencies and the priority category(s) for which the City of Boston may be invited to apply to the Massachusetts School Building Authority in the future.

Priority 1- Replacement or renovation of a building which is structurally unsound or otherwise in a condition seriously jeopardizing the health and safety of school children, where no alternative exists.

Priority 2 - Elimination of existing severe overcrowding.

Priority 5 - Replacement, renovation or modernization of the hearing system in any schoolhouse to increase energy conservation and decrease energy related costs in said schoolhouse.

Priority 7 - Replacement or addition to obsolete buildings in order to provide for a full range of programs consistent with state and approved local requirements.

And hereby further specifically acknowledges that by submitting this Statement of Interest, the Massachusetts School Building Authority in no way guarantees the acceptance or the approval of an application, the awarding of a grant or any other funding commitment from the Massachusetts School Building Authority, or commits the City of Boston School District to filing an application for funding with the Massachusetts School Building Authority.

Passed in City Council:

Attest:

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

PETITION FOR SPECIAL LAW RE: ACT TO RESTORE BOSTON'S GOVERNMENTALLY-INVOLVED HOUSING PROTECTION (DOCKET NO. 0229)

Councilors FLAHERTY, MURPHY, O'MALLEY, CIOMMO, LAMATTINA, PRESSLEY, WU, YANCEY and LINEHAN offered the following:

WHEREAS, Boston is facing a housing crisis and it is incumbent that the City preserves its affording housing market.

WHEREAS, There are 30,435 privately owned, subsidized apartments in Boston and close to 2,000 have been converted to high market rents.

WHEREAS, According to the Mayor's "Housing a Changing City", 607 apartments fall under the Commonwealth's Chapter 13A regulations and are considered to be a priority for the City.

WHEREAS, According to the Mayor's "Housing a Changing City" report, 3,038 apartments are considered to be at elevated risk for conversion into market-rate housing within the next ten years.

WHEREAS, A significant number of these units are in some of the City's highest-priced neighborhoods where the financial incentives for developers to convert to market-rate are high. THEREFORE BE IT

ORDERED, That a petition to the General Court, accompanied by a bill for special law relating to the City of Boston to be filed with an attested copy of this order be, and hereby is, approved under Clause 1 of Section 8 of Article II, as amended, of the Amendments to the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, to the end that legislation be adopted providing precisely as follows, except for clerical or editorial changes of form only:

PETITION FOR A SPECIAL LAW RE:

SECTION 1. Whereas, a serious public emergency exists with respect to the housing of citizens in Boston residing in governmentally-involved housing, inasmuch as there is a threat that many low-income individuals and families residing in such housing, particularly those elderly and disabled, may be threatened with displacement as a result of prepayment of mortgage financing, loss of use restrictions, expiring subsidy contracts, and expected increases in rent, and there is a threat that affordable housing stock will be lost due to expiration of use restrictions and subsidy contracts and such pre-payment, further exacerbating an extreme housing shortage within the city for low-income families and voters, and whereas, in approving Chapter 40 P of the General Laws, the voters did not exempt such housing from protection or regulation and whereas it is the city's policy to encourage owners of this governmentally-involved housing to accept incentives to keep such housing affordable and avert displacement, that such emergency should be met by the city of Boston immediately; therefore, this act is declared to be in the public interest.

SECTION 2. (A) Notwithstanding the provisions of any general or special law to the contrary, including, without limitation, the provisions of chapter forty P of the General Laws and chapter 282 of the Acts of nineteen hundred and ninety-four, for so long as the City Council of Boston shall determine that the circumstances described in section one hereof continue to exist, the City of Boston shall by ordinance regulate the rent for the use or occupancy of governmentally¬involved or formerly governmentally-involved housing to the extent such regulation is not preempted by federal law or by section six of chapter 708 of the Acts of nineteen hundred and sixty-six as amended, once the basis for federal or state rent regulation or preemption no longer exists. For purposes of this act, "governmentally-involved housing" is defined as housing units which the United States, the Commonwealth or any authority created under the laws thereof (i) insures the mortgage thereon, or owns, operates, finances, or subsidizes such housing units, and (ii) regulates the individual rents thereof, including without limitation housing units constructed or rehabilitated pursuant to Section 202 of the Housing Act of 1959, as amended (12 U.S.C. § 1701q), Sections 221 (d) and 236 of the National Housing Act, as amended (12 U.S.C. § § 17151(d) or 1715z-1), Section 811 of the Cranston-Gonzalez National Affordable Housing Act, as amended (42 U.S.C. § 8013), or Section 13A of chapter 708 of the Acts of nineteen hundred and sixty-six, added by Section 10 of chapter 855 of the Acts of nineteen hundred and seventy, as amended (M.G.L. c. 23A App. §1-13A), or housing units financed or subsidized pursuant to project-based programs for low-income persons under Section 8 of the United States Housing Act of 1937, as amended (42 U.S.C. § 1437f), or the project-based Massachusetts Rental Voucher Program, so-called (see line item 7004-9004 of Section 2 of chapter 159 ofthe Acts of two thousand, as well as 760

C.M.R. Part 49.00), or housing units with mortgage insurance under Sections 207 or 220 of the National Housing Act, as amended, and subject to a rent regulatory agreement or other controls pursuant to applicable law with the Boston Redevelopment Authority, but not including the following:

(1) housing units owned or acquired by the City of Boston through tax foreclosure;

(2) except for publicly owned dwelling units or units which are financed or subsidized with project-based Section 8, housing units in a one-to-four family building or structure which are not part of a larger housing development, whether on one or more sites;

(3) structures containing housing units subsidized with mobile tenant-based rental assistance that would not otherwise come within the definition of governmentally involved housing;

(4) public housing owned or operated by a local housing authority under chapter 121B of the General Laws, the United States Housing Act of 1937 (42 U.S.C. § § 14S7a et seq.), or any successor act or public housing programs formerly assisted under the United States Housing Act of 1937;

(5) housing units which received mortgage insurance pursuant to sections 207 or 220 of the National Housing Act but not subject to a rent regulatory agreement or other controls with the Boston Redevelopment Authority as well as housing units which received mortgage insurance pursuant to section 608 of the National Housing Act, regardless of whether there was a rent regulatory agreement or other controls with the Boston Redevelopment Authority or not;

(6) housing units which received mortgage insurance pursuant to Section 221(d) of the National Housing Act and which never received a federal or state subsidy or below market interest rate mortgage subsidy; and

(7) housing units where the sole government involvement is the owner's participation in federal, state, or municipal funded programs for home repairs, energy conservation, or lead paint abatement.

For the purpose of this act, "formerly governmentally-involved housing" is defined as housing which was governmentally-involved housing as of July 1, 1994, or which becomes governmentally involved housing after July 1, 1994, but which then no longer is owned, operated, financed, subsidized, mortgage-insured, or rent-regulated by the United States, the Commonwealth, or any authority created under the laws thereof, provided that "formerly governmentally involved housing" shall include any housing receiving subsidy under Section 8(t) of the United States Housing Act of 1937 (42 U.S.C. § 1437f(t)).

For the purpose of this act, "low-income" is defined as annual household income which is eighty per cent or less of the median income for the area as determined by the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development, with adjustments for smaller and larger families.

The City of Boston shall by ordinance create an official body designated by the Mayor to establish as the maximum rent for the governmentally-involved and formerly governmentally-involved housing units the rent in effect therefore on July 1, 1994, or six months before the basis federal or state rent regulation or preemption lapsed, whichever is later, adjusted to insure such rent provides a fair net operating income as of the date of the official body's decision, provided, however, said ordinance shall authorize the official body to make individual adjustments in such maximum rents as may be necessary to remove hardships or to correct other inequities, the official body shall observe the principle of maintaining maximum rents for such housing units at levels which will yield to owners a fair net operating income from such housing units. In determining whether the maximum rent for such housing units yields a fair net operating income, due consideration shall be given to, among other relevant factors; (1) increases in property taxes; (2) unavoidable increases in operating and maintenance expenses; (3) major capital improvement of the housing units, distinguished from ordinary repair, replacement, and maintenance; (4) increases or decreases in living space, services, furniture, furnishings or equipment; and (5) substantial deterioration of the housing units, other than ordinary wear and tear, or failure to perform ordinary repair, replacement, or maintenance.

(B) Such ordinance shall provide that no person shall bring an action to recover possession of a governmentally-involved housing unit, or of a formerly governmentally involved housing unit, to the extent that such regulation is not otherwise preempted by federal law or section six of chapter 708 of the acts of nineteen hundred and sixty-six as amended, unless:

(1) The tenant has failed to pay the rent to which the owner is entitled;

(2) The tenant has violated an obligation or covenant of tenancy not inconsistent with Chapter 93A of the General Laws or this act other than the obligation to surrender possession upon proper notice, and has failed to cure the violation after having received written notice thereof;

(3) The tenant is causing, committing, or permitting a nuisance in, or substantial damage to the housing unit, or is creating substantial interference with the comfort, safety, or enjoyment of the owner or other occupants ofthe same or any adjacent unit;

(4) The tenant has used or permitted use of a housing unit for illegal purposes;

(5) The tenant, who had a written lease or rental agreement which has terminated, has refused, after written requests or demand by the owner, to execute a written extension or renewal thereof for a farther term of like duration on terms not inconsistent with or violative of any provision of this act;

(6) The tenant has refused the owner reasonable access to the housing unit for the purpose of making necessary repairs or improvements required by law, or for the purpose of inspection as permitted or required by the lease or law, or for the purpose of showing the housing unit to any prospective purchaser or mortgagee;

(7) The tenant holding at the end of a lease term is a subtenant not approved by the owner; or

(8) The owner seeks to recover possession for any other just cause not in conflict with the provisions and purposes of this act or chapter 93A of the General Laws.

The provisions of this section shall be construed as additional restrictions on the right to recover possession of such housing units.

(C) Such ordinance shall also provide that no person shall remove any governmentally-involved or formally governmentally-involved housing accommodation from low-income rental housing use (including but not limited to sale, lease, or other disposition of the property which may have such an effect), or convert such property to a condominium or cooperative, without first obtaining a permit for that purpose from the official body, to the extent that such provision is not preempted by federal law or section six of chapter 708 of the acts of nineteen hundred and sixty-six as amended. Such permit may be subject to terms and conditions not inconsistent with the purposes and provisions of this act, including, without limitation,

(a) incentives to continue in effect the low-income restrictions previously in place for the property and (b) where sale, lease, or disposition of the property may result in the loss of all or a portion of the property for low-income rental housing use, the right of an incorporated tenants association in such housing, the city of Boston, the Boston Housing Authority, non-profit community development corporations, or other equivalent bona fide non-profit organizations to negotiate for, acquire and operate such property on substantially equivalent terms and conditions as offered or available to a bona fide third-party purchaser.

(D) To the extent not preempted by federal law or section six of chapter 708 of the acts of nineteen hundred and sixty-six as amended, such ordinance shall require that owners of governmentally-involved housing, or formerly governmentally involved housing, affirmatively seek out and accept any prospective governmental housing resources, whether tenant-based or project-based, which maximize affordability of the housing units consistent with the income character of the property arid the owner a right to obtain a fair net operating income for the housing units, provided that the City shall assist owners by identifying such governmental housing resources.

(E) To the extent not preempted by federal law or section six of chapter 708 of the acts of nineteen hundred and sixty-six as amended, and so long as such regulation is consistent with the owner's right to obtain a fair net operating income, such ordinance shall also provide that the City may establish local preferences, priorities, and income limits for admission to governmentally-involved housing or former governmentally-involved housing upon unit turnover, consistent, to the extent with the income profile of the property twelve months prior to the date of the loss or rent preemption or the decision to not renew an expiring subsidy contract. The official body may approve an alternative plan requested by the owner, consistent with the provisions of this Act. No ordinance or regulation shall require an owner to create a tenancy involving any person with a history of conduct which would, if repeated, be grounds for eviction from such housing.

(F) Such ordinance shall also provide that the official body may grant exemptions and exceptions to the general provisions of this act when such action would tend to maintain or increase the supply of affordable housing in Boston, including, without limitation, promoting the sale of properties to bona fide tenant organizations or non-profit community development corporations under terms and conditions which would tend to maintain the income character of the property.

(G) Such ordinance shall provide that the official body may promulgate such rules, regulations and orders as it may deem necessary to effectuate the purposes of this act and the ordinance. The official body may hold hearings on any matters within its authority under this act and ordinance. Any hearings regarding matters related to regulation of rents or removal permits for governmentally involved or formerly governmentally involved housing or regarding compliance with other provisions of this act, or the ordinance, orders, rules, or regulations adopted or promulgated hereunder, shall be conducted by the official body in accordance with the provisions of section eleven of chapter thirty A of the General Laws except that requirements (7) and (8) of such section eleven shall not apply to such hearings.

(H) All decisions of the crucial body may be appealed to the housing court department of the trial court, city of Boston division, by any person aggrieved thereby, whether or not previously a party in the matter, within thirty calendar days after notice of such decision. Judicial review of adjudicatory decisions shall be conducted in accordance with section fourteen of chapter thirty A to the General Laws. Judicial review of regulations shall be conducted in accordance with section seven of chapter thirty A of the General Laws. The housing court department of the trial court, city of Boston division, shall have jurisdiction to enforce the provisions hereof and any ordinance, rule or regulation adopted hereunder, and on application of the official body or any aggrieved person may restrain or enjoin violations of any such ordinance, rule, or regulation. In the interests of justice, the court may allow any necessary parties to be joined in or to intervene in any action brought hereunder and may in its discretion allow or require an action to proceed as a class action.

SECTION 3. It shall be unlawful for any person to do or omit to do any action in violation of this act, or any order, ordinance, rule or regulation adopted or promulgated hereunder. Whoever willfully violates any provision of this act or any order, ordinance, rule or regulation adopted or promulgated hereunder or whoever makes a false statement in any testimony before the official body or its agents, or whoever knowingly supplies the official body with false information shall be punished by a fine of not more than four hundred dollars or by imprisonment for not more than ninety days, or both; provided, however, that in the case of a second or subsequent offense, or where the violation continues after notice thereof, such person shall be punished by a fine of not more than two thousand dollars, or by imprisonment for not more than one year, or both.

SECTION 4. The provisions of this act are severable, and if any of its provisions shall be held unconstitutional or otherwise invalid by any court of competent jurisdiction, the decision of such court shall not affect or impair any of the remaining provisions.

SECTION 5. The provisions of M.G.L. c. 40P shall not apply to any ordinance adopted under this authority.

SECTION 6. This act shall take effect upon passage.

On motion of Councilor MCCARTHY, the rules were suspended; the order was passed.

CONSENT AGENDA

The Chair moved adoption of a Consent Agenda in which the following-named Councilors offered s of a condolence or congratulatory nature as set forth after each Councilor's name:

Councilor Yancey: In memory of Charles Gunn (Docket No. 0214) In memory of Michelle Gailliard (Docket No. 0215) In memory of Richard Wicker (Docket No. 0216) In memory of Police Officer Wenjian Liu (Docket No. 0217) In memory of Police Officer Rafael Ramos (Docket No. 0218)

Councilor Flaherty: Recognizing Joseph Gorham (Docket No. 0219)

Councilor LaMattina: Recognizing Cassius Cash (Docket No. 0220)

Councilor Ciommo: In memory of Rogera E. Robinson (Docket No. 0221)

Councilor Pressley: In memory of Charles Turner (Docket No. 0222) In memory of Delta Grant (Docket No. 0223)

Councilors Jackson, Pressley and Yancey: Recognizing five people from the University of Massachusetts Boston, Department of Gerontology (Docket No. 0224)

Councilor Linehan: In memory of Richard F. O'Brien (Docket No. 0225)

The chair stated that in absence of objection, fourteen late-filed matters would be added to the Consent Agenda.

No objection being heard, the following matters were added:

Councilor Murphy: In memory of Gregory Murphy (Docket No. 0230)

Councilor O'Malley: In memory of Mathias C.

O'Malley (Docket No. 0231) In memory of Stella D. Kasparian (Docket No. 0232)

Councilor Ciommo: In memory of Kevin J. Long (Docket No. 0233)

Councilor Murphy: In memory of Francis X. Bellotti, Jr. (Docket No. 0234)

Councilor LaMattina: In memory of Helen Finno (Docket No. 0235) In memory of Louise M. Lunde (Docket No. 0236) In memory of Patricia A. "Patti" Harty (Docket No. 0237) In memory of Josephine M. Nelson (Docket No. 0238) In memory of Filippa Pizzi (Docket No. 0239)

Councilor Ciommo: In memory of Paul X. Flaherty, Jr. (Docket No. 0240)

Councilor Yancey: In memory of Maggie Lee Celester (Docket No. 0241) In memory of Governor Mario Cuomo (Docket No. 0242) In memory of Martin Luther King, Jr. (Docket No. 0243)

The matters contained within the Consent Agenda were severally adopted.

Adjourned at 2:20 p.m. on motion of President Linehan in memory of Paul X. Flaherty, Jr., Rogera E. Robinson, Kevin Long, Richard O'Brien, Patricia Harty, Louise Lunde, Helen Finno, Josephine Nelson, Filippa Pizzi, Mary Pagliuca, Francis Bellotti, Jr., Gregory Murphy, Mathias T. O'Malley, Stella Kasparian, Delta Grant, Charles Turner, Marie Marshall and Martin Luther King, Jr., to meet again on Wednesday, February 4, 2015 at 12:00 p.m.

Note: All debate of City Council eliminated from proceedings in accordance with Chapter 447, Acts of 1947.

CITY OF BOSTON

Proceedings of the Boston City Council

Wednesday, February 4, 2015

Regular meeting of the City Council held in the Christopher A. Iannella Chamber, City Hall, at 12:10 p.m. President Linehan in the Chair.

INVOCATION

Father Raymond Collins, Our Lady of Perpetual Help, delivered the invocation, and the meeting was opened with the pledge of allegiance to the flag.

PRESENTATION BY COUNCILOR JACKSON

Councilor JACKSON presented a resolution to a few of the members from the cast of MOTOWN and declared February 3, 2015 as Motown Day in the City of Boston and then they sang a song performing as Diana Ross and Berry Gordy.

STATEMENT BY PRESIDENT LINEHAN

President LINEHAN read a resolution into the record being sent to the New England Patriots for the 2015 Super Bowl Champion win breaking all kinds of records and taking home their fourth Lombardi award for Bill Belichik and Tom Brady. Today while the parade is going on, the City Council declares February 4, 2015 as New England Patriots Day in the City of Boston.

STATEMENT OF PRESIDENT LINEHAN

President LINEHAN moved to adopt the minutes from the January 14, 2015 meeting. **Motion prevailed.**

ORDER AUTHORIZING CITY OF BOSTON TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND GRANT FROM MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION ("MASSDOT") IN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED $736,906.02 TO ASSIST CITY IN FUNDING POSITIONS IN BOSTON TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT CENTER ("TMC") FOR NEXT FISCAL YEAR (DOCKET NO. 0244)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

January 14, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith for your approval an Order authorizing the City of Boston Transportation Department to accept and expend a grant given by the Massachusetts Department of Transportation ("MassDOT") in an amount not to exceed Seven Hundred Thirty-Six Thousand, Nine Hundred Six Dollars and Two Cents ($736,906.02) to assist the City in funding positions in the Boston Traffic Management Center ("TMC") for the next four fiscal years.

Since April 2009, MassDOT has funded four positions in the TMC as part of the Economic Stimulus Bill of 2006. Even though funding from that bill is no longer available, MassDOT desires to continue to fund positions in the TMC in recognition of the critical role the TMC plays in daily traffic and incident management in the City.

MassDOT will fund positions on a staggered basis, funding four positions in FY15, three positions in FY16, two positions in FY17, and one position in FY18.

I urge your Honorable Body to pass this Order as soon as possible so that the City of Boston may accept the funds and expend them for the purposes for which they are given.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND A GRANT AWARDED BY THE MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION, TO BE ADMINISTERED BY THE BOSTON TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT, TO SUPPORT THE TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT CENTER.

WHEREAS, since April of 2009, the Massachusetts Department of Transportation ("MassDOT") has funded four staff positions in the Boston Traffic Management Center ("TMC") as part of the Economic Stimulus Bill of 2006 (2006 Mass. Acts ch. 23); and

WHEREAS, even though funds from the bill are no longer available, MassDOT desires to continue to assist the Boston Transportation Department to fund positions in its TMC, in recognition of the critical service that the TMC provides in daily traffic management in the City; and

WHEREAS, MassDOT will fund four positions in the TMC on a staggered basis for the next four fiscal years, funding four positions in FY15, three positions in FY16, two positions in FY17, and one position in FY18; therefore be it

ORDERED: that the Mayor, acting on behalf of the City of Boston be, and hereby is authorized, pursuant to section 53 A of chapter 44 of the Massachusetts General Laws, to accept and expend a grant given by the Massachusetts Department of Transportation in an amount not to exceed Seven Hundred Thirty-Six Thousand, Nine Hundred Six Dollars and Two Cents ($736,906.02).

Referred to the Committee on City, Neighborhood Services and Veterans Affairs.

ORDER AUTHORIZING CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND GRANT TOTALING $80,465 FROM URBAN SUSTAINABILITY DIRECTOR'S NETWORK TO CITY OF BOSTON'S OFFICE OF ENVIRONMENT, ENERGY, AND OPEN SPACE TO SUPPORT MULTICITY MICROGRIDS WORKSHOP TO CARRY OUT A COLLABORATIVE LEARNING WORKSHOP FOR FIVE MEMBER CITIES OF CREATING MORE RESILIENT GRID (DOCKET NO. 0245)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

January 16, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I hereby transmit for your approval an Order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend funds totaling Eighty Thousand Four Hundred and Sixty Five dollars ($80,465.00) from Urban Sustainability Director's Network to the City of Boston's Office of Environment, Energy, and Open Space to support the Multi-City Microgrids workshops to carry out a collaborative learning workshop for five member cities to the end of creating a more resilient electric grid.

I urge your Honorable Body to adopt this Order as

soon as possible so that the City of Boston may accept the funds expeditiously and expend them for the purposes for which they were granted.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

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AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND FUNDS FROM URBAN SUSTAINABILITY DIRECTOR'S NETWORK.

ORDERED: That the Mayor, acting on behalf of the City of Boston be, and hereby is authorized, pursuant to section 53A of chapter 44 of the Massachusetts General Laws, to accept and expend funds totaling Eighty Thousand Four Hundred and Sixty Five dollars ($80,465.00) from Urban Sustainability Director's Network to the City of Boston's Environment Department to support the Multi-City Microgrids workshops.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Parks.

ORDER AUTHORIZING POLICE COMMISSIONER TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND FUNDS OF $50,000 FROM EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH FOR PURPOSE OF SUPPORTING NALOXONE (NARCAN) PROGRAM (DOCKET NO. 0246)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

January 14, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I hereby transmit for your approval an Order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend funds in the amount of $50,000 from the Executive Office of Health and Human Services Department of Public Health for the Boston Police Department. Funds will be used to support the Naloxone (Narcan) program.

I urge your Honorable Body to adopt this order as soon as possible so that the City of Boston may accept the funds expeditiously and expend them for the purposes for which these funds were granted.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

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AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND FUNDS FROM THE EXECUTVE OFFICE OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH NALOXONE PROGRAM FOR THE BOSTON POLICE DEPARTMENT.

ORDERED: That the Police Commissioner, acting on behalf of the City of Boston be, and hereby is authorized, pursuant to section 53A of chapter 44 of the Massachusetts General Laws, to accept and expend the award of the Executive Office of Health and Human Services Department of Public Health, for the purposes of supporting the naloxone (narcan) ptogram, not to exceed the amount of Fifty Thousand Dollars ($50,000.00).

Referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

ORDER AUTHORIZING POLICE COMMISSIONER TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND FUNDS OF $1,261 FROM WESTED, TO BE UTILIZED BY BOSTON POLICE DEPARTMENT OFFICE OF RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT TO QUERY INCIDENTS, ARREST AND OTHER RELATED CATEGORIES DATA FOR YEARS 2009-JUNE 2014 (DOCKET NO. 0247)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

January 16, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I hereby transmit for your approval an Order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend funds from WestEd for the Boston Police Department. Funds will be utilized by the BPD's Office of Research and Development to query incidents, arrest and other related categories data for the years 2009-June 2014.

I urge your Honorable Body to adopt this Order as soon as possible so that the City of Boston may accept the funds expeditiously and expend them for the purposes for which these funds were granted.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

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AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND FUNDS FROM WESTED FOR DATA FOR YEARS 2009 - JUNE 2014.

ORDERED: That the Police Commissioner, acting on behalf of the City of Boston be, and hereby is authorized, pursuant to section 53A of chapter 44 of the Massachusetts General Laws, to accept and expend the award of funds from WestEd for the Boston Police Department. Funds will be utilized by the Boston Police Department's Office of Research and Development to query incidents, arrest and other related categories data for the years 2009-June 2014 not to exceed the amount of One Thousand Two Hundred Sixty One Dollars ($1,261.00).

The rules were suspended; the order was passed.

ORDER AUTHORIZING POLICE COMMISSIONER TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND FUNDS OF $5,000 FROM ABEKAM CONSULTING FOUNDATION TO BE UTILIZED BY BOSTON POLICE DEPARTMENT HUMAN TRAFFICKING UNIT TO COVER OVERTIME COST IN EXECUTION IDENTIFIED TRAFFICKING "STINGS" AND IS RELATED TO CEASE BOSTON (DOCKET NO. 0248)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

January 16, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I hereby transmit for your approval an Order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend funds from the AbekaM Consulting Foundation for the Boston Police Department. Funds will be utilized by the BPD's Human Trafficking Unit to cover overtime cost in the execution of identified trafficking "stings" and is related to CEASE Boston, an initiative of the Mayor's Office, Demand Abolition and the BPD.

I urge your Honorable Body to adopt this Order as soon as possible so that the City of Boston may accept the funds expeditiously and expend them for the purposes for

which these funds were granted.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND FUNDS FROM ABEKAM CONSULTING FOUNDATION FOR OVERTIME FOR THE BOSTON POLICE DEPARTMENT HUMAN TRAFFICKING UNIT.

ORDERED: That the Police Commissioner, acting on behalf of the City of Boston be, and hereby is authorized, pursuant to section 53A of chapter 44 of the Massachusetts General Laws, to accept and expend the award from AbekaM Consulting Foundation for the Boston Police Department. Funds will be utilized by the BPD's Human Trafficking Unit to cover overtime cost in the execution of identified trafficking "stings" and is related to CEASE Boston, an initiative of the Mayor's Office, Demand Abolition and the Boston Police Department not to exceed the amount of Five Thousand Dollars ($5,000.00).

The rules were suspended; the order was passed.

ORDER AUTHORIZING POLICE COMMISSIONER TO ACCEPT DONATION OF USED EXERCISE EQUIPMENT FROM EQUINOX SPORT CLUB TO BE PLACED IN FITNESS CENTER AT DISTRICT A1 POLICE DEPARTMENT (DOCKET NO. 0249)

The following was received:
City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

January 20, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I herewith submit for your approval, an Order to accept for the benefit of the City of Boston, a donation of used exercise equipment, including a hammer strength rack, weights, dumbbells and barbells, a treadmill, stationary bikes, an elliptical machine, and various accessories including medicine balls, battle ropes and resistance bands, from Equinox Sports Club. This equipment will be placed in the fitness center at District A1 and will promote health and wellness of the officers assigned there.

I urge your Honorable Body to adopt this Order as soon as possible so that the City of Boston may accept the items expeditiously and use them for the purpose for which they were granted.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT A DONATION OF EXERCISE EQUIPMENT FROM EQUINOX SPORTS CLUB.

ORDERED: That the Police Commissioner, be and hereby is authorized, in accordance with Section 53A 1/2 of Chapter 44 of the Massachusetts General Laws to accept as a gift a donation from Equinox Sports Club of various pieces of used gym equipment, including a hammer strength rack, weights, dumbbells and barbells, a treadmill, stationary bikes, an elliptical machine, and various accessories including medicine balls, battle ropes and resistance bands for placement in the fitness center at District A1. The additional equipment will help promote health and wellness among the officers.

The rules were suspended; the order was passed.

ORDER FOR CONFIRMATION OF APPOINTMENT OF MR. MICHAEL WOODALL AS CHAIR OF BOSTON WATER AND SEWER COMMISSION, TERM EXPIRING ON JANUARY 4, 2016 (DOCKET NO. 0250)

The following was received:
City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

January 13, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith for your confirmation an Order regarding the appointment of Mr. Michael Woodall, of 19 Burard Street in West Roxbury, as the Chair of the Boston Water and Sewer Commission. I am appointing Mr. Woodall pursuant to the authority vested in me by Chapter 436 of the Acts of 1977, subject to your confirmation. Mr. Woodall will serve as a Mayoral appointee for the remainder of the term expiring on January 4, 2016.

I urge your Honorable Body to pass this Order.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

ORDER TO CONFIRM THE APPOINTMENT OF MICHAEL WOODALL TO THE BOSTON WATER AND SEWER COMMISSION FOR THE REMAINDER OF A TERM EXPIRING JANUARY 4, 2016.

ORDERED: That the appointment of Michael Woodall, residing at 19 Burard Street, West Roxbury, to the Boston Water and Sewer Commission, for the remainder of a term ending January 4, 2016, be, and hereby is, confirmed.

Referred to the Committee on City, Neighborhood Services and Veterans Affairs.

ORDER APPROVING HOME RULE PETITION TO GENERAL COURT ENTITLED "AN ACT RELATIVE TO CHANGING NAME OF STATE-BOSTON RETIREMENT SYSTEM TO THE BOSTON RETIREMENT SYSTEM" (DOCKET NO. 0251)

The following was received:
City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

January 30, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith for your approval a home rule petition to the General Court entitled "An Act Relative to Changing the Name of the State-Boston Retirement System to the Boston Retirement System." The Boston Retirement Board voted unanimously on May 21, 2014 to support this name change. You, the Boston City Council, also previously approved this home rule on September 10, 2014. Subsequently, counsel to the Massachusetts House of Representatives identified additional sections of state law that need to be similarly amended and asked that we pass this legislation locally as it is redrafted here before you.

Currently the City of Boston's Retirement system is referenced throughout the Massachusetts General Laws and Code of Massachusetts Regulations by four different names. Being referenced by multiple names creates confusion for our members and can cause issues with litiga-

tion and investments. This special act will give clarity to our members and will create a more efficient and effective system.

I urge your Honorable Body to join me in this effort, and pass this legislation expeditiously.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

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ORDERED: That a petition to the General Court, accompanied by a bill for a special law relating to the City of Boston to be filed with an attested copy of this Order be, and hereby is, approved under Clause One (1) of Section Eight (8) of Article Two (2), as amended, of the Amendments to the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, to the end that legislation be adopted precisely as follows, except for clerical or editorial changes of form only:

PETITION FOR A SPECIAL LAW RE: AN ACT RELATIVE TO CHANGING THE NAME OF THE STATE-BOSTON RETIREMENT SYSTEM TO THE BOSTON RETIREMENT SYSTEM

SECTION 1. Section 1 of chapter 32 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2012 Official Edition, is hereby amended by striking out, in lines 120 and 138, the words "State-Boston" and inserting in place thereof, in each instance, the following word:- Boston.

SECTION 2. Section 2 of said chapter 32, as so appearing, is hereby amended by striking out, in line 25, the word "State-Boston" and inserting in place thereof the following word:- Boston.

SECTION 3. Section 3 of said chapter 32, as so appearing, is hereby amended by striking out, in line 208, the words "State-Boston" and inserting in place thereof the following word:- Boston.

SECTION 4. Section 4 of said chapter 32, as so appearing, is hereby amended by striking out, in lines 74, 96, 162 and 177 the words "State-Boston" and inserting in place thereof, in each instance, the following word:- Boston.

SECTION 5. Section 5 of said chapter 32, as so appearing, is hereby amended by striking out, in lines 296 and 297, line 300, 302, 307, lines 310 and 311 and in line 344 the word "State-Boston" and inserting in place thereof, in each instance, the following word:- Boston.

SECTION 6. Section 22 of said chapter 32, as so appearing, is hereby amended by striking out, in lines 10, 807, 808 and 809, 842, 847 and 850, the word "State-Boston" and inserting in place thereof, in each instance, the following word;- Boston.

SECTION 7. Said section 22 of said chapter 32, as so appearing, is hereby amended by striking out, in lines 848 and 849, the words "State-Boston retirement board" and inserting in place thereof the following words:- Boston retirement system.

SECTION 8. Section 23 of said chapter 32, as so appearing, is hereby amended by striking out, in lines 2 and 3, and in lines 12 and 15, the word "State-Boston" and inserting in place thereot~ in each instance, the following word:- Boston.

SECTION 9. Section 91 of said chapter 32, as so appearing, is hereby amended by striking out, in line 126, and in lines 131 and 132, the word "State-Boston" and inserting in place thereof, in each instance, the following word:- Boston.

SECTION 10. Section 1 of chapter 309 of the acts of 1955 is hereby amended by striking out, in line 8, the word "State-Boston" and inserting in place thereof the following word:- Boston.

SECTION 11. Section 1 of chapter 669 of the acts of 1956 is hereby amended by striking out, in line 19, the word "State-Boston" and inserting in place thereof the following word:- Boston.

SECTION 12. Section 1 of chapter 444 of the acts of 1984 is hereby amended by striking out, in line 4, the word "state-Boston" and inserting in place thereof the following word:- Boston.

SECTION 13. Section 6 of chapter 147 of the acts of 1995 is hereby amended by striking out, in lines 184, 187 and 202, the word "State-Boston" and inserting in place thereof, in each instance, the following word:- Boston.

SECTION 14. Section 10 of chapter 61 of the acts of 2009 is hereby amended by striking out, in line 10, the word "State-Boston" and inserting in place thereof the following word:- Boston.

SECTION 15. Section 21 of said chapter 61 is hereby amended by striking out, in line 3, the word "State-Boston" and inserting in place thereof the following word:- Boston.

SECTION 16. Notwithstanding any general or special law or ordinance or by-law to the contrary, the phrase "State-Boston retirement board" wherever it appears in a general or special law, shall mean the Boston retirement board.

SECTION 17. Notwithstanding any general or special law or ordinance or by-law to the contrary, the phrase "State-Boston retirement system" wherever it appears in a general or special law, shall mean the Boston retirement system.

SECTION 18. Any business formerly transacted under the names "State-Boston retirement system", "State-Boston retirement system", "State-Boston retirement board" and "Boston retirement board" or any contracts entered into by the aforementioned, remains in full force and effect pursuant to this act.

The rules were suspended; the order was passed.

ORDER APPROVING HOME RULE PETITION TO GENERAL COURT ENTITLED "AN ACT RELATIVE TO VOTING PRECINCTS IN CITY OF BOSTON" (DOCKET NO. 0252)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

January 30, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith for your approval a home rule petition to the Genetal Court entitled "Petition for a Special Law Re: An Act Relative to Voting Precincts in the City of Boston."

This Home Rule Petition will allow the City to establish an additional polling location in certain precincts in order to alleviate crowds and lines in those precincts that have experienced recent growth. It will not change any precinct or ward boundary lines, and will not change representation for purposes of congressional, representative, senatorial, or councilor districts.

Over the last ten years, certain precincts in the City, including those located in the downtown areas and in the Seaport district, have grown dramatically due to the con-

struction of large, multi-unit residences and the expansion of college dormitories. This growth has occurred "up" as opposed to "out." While the geographic footprint of the precincts has remained the same, there are thousands more people living in them. The creation of an additional polling location in certain precincts would decrease voter wait times, alleviate over-crowding, and allow poll workers to do their jobs more efficiently. The Home Rule Petition would permit the City to establish an additional polling location in the following precincts:

Ward 3, Precinct 1 (North End)
Ward 3, Precinct 6 (Beacon Hill, Financial District and Waterfront)
Ward 3, Precinct 7 (South End)
Ward 3, Precinct 8 (Downtown and Chinatown)
Ward 5, Precinct 1 (Downtown, Chinatown, Bay Village)
Ward 6, Precinct 1 (South Boston to Broadway Station, Seaport)

This Home Rule Petition is necessary so that the new polling locations may be included in the Commonwealth's state-wide Voter Registration Information System.

I urge your Honorable Body to join me in this effort to ensure greater efficiency in the voting process.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

ORDERED: That a petition to the General Court, accompanied by a bill for a special law relating to the City of Boston to be filed with an attested copy of this Order be, and hereby is, approved under Clause One (1) of Section Eight (8) of Article Two (2), as amended, of the Amendments to the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, to the end that legislation be adopted precisely as follows, except for clerical or editorial changes of form only:

PETITION FOR A SPECIAL LAW RE: AN ACT RELATIVE TO VOTING PRECINCTS IN THE CITY OF BOSTON.

SECTION 1. Notwithstanding any general or special law to the contrary, precinct 1 of ward 3 of the city of Boston shall be 1 precinct for the purpose of forming congressional, representative, senatorial, councilor or city council districts but shall have 2 polling places for the purpose of voting at any federal, state or municipal elections. Each such polling location shall be located in a public, orderly and convenient portion of the precinct as determined by the board of election commissioners of the city of Boston and shall be known as precincts 1A of ward 3 and 1B of ward 3, respectively.

SECTION 2. Notwithstanding any general or special law to the contrary, precinct 6 of ward 3 of the city of Boston shall be 1 precinct for the purpose of forming congressional, representative, senatorial, councilor or city council districts but shall have 2 polling places for the purpose of voting at any federal, state or municipal elections. Each such polling location shall be located in a public, orderly and convenient portion of the precinct as determined by the board of election commissioners of the city of Boston and shall be known as precincts 6A of ward 3 and 6B of ward 3, respectively.

SECTION 3. Notwithstanding any general or special law to the contrary, precinct 7 of ward 3 of the city of Boston shall be 1 precinct for the purpose of forming congressional, representative, senatorial, councilor or city council districts but shall have 2 polling places for the purpose of voting at any federal, state or municipal elections. Each such polling location shall be located in a public, orderly and convenient portion of the precinct as determined by the board of election commissioners of the city of Boston and shall be known as precincts 7A of ward 3 and 7B of ward 3, respectively.

SECTION 4. Notwithstanding any general or special law to the contrary, precinct 8 of ward 3 of the city of Boston shall be 1 precinct for the purpose of forming congressional, representative. senatorial, councilor or city council districts but shall have 2 polling places for the purpose of voting at any federal, state or municipal elections. Each such polling location shall be located in a public, orderly and convenient portion of the precinct as determined by the board of election commissioners of the city of Boston and shall be known as precincts 8A of ward 3 and 8B of ward 3, respectively.

SECTION 5. Notwithstanding any general or special law to the contrary, precinct 1 of ward 5 of the city of Boston shall be 1 precinct for the purpose of forming congressional, representative, senatorial, councilor or city council districts but shall have 2 polling places for the purpose of voting at any federal, state or municipal elections. Each such polling location shall be located in a public, orderly and convenient portion of the precinct as determined by the board of election commissioners ofthe city of Boston and shall be known as precincts 1A of ward 5 and 1B of ward 5, respectively.

SECTION 6. Notwithstanding any general or special law to the contrary, precinct 1 of ward 6 of the city of Boston shall be 1 precinct for the purpose of forming congressional, representative, senatorial, councilor or city council districts but shall have 2 polling places for the purpose of voting at any federal, state or municipal elections. Each such polling location shall be located in a public, orderly and convenicnt portion of the precinct as determined by the board of election commissioners of the city of Boston and shall be known as precincts 1A of ward 6 and 1B of ward 6, respectively.

SECTION 7. The board of election commissioners of the city of Boston may take all necessary actions to ensure compliance with this act including, but not limited to, assuring the accuracy of the voting lists as located at each polling location determined pursuant to sections 1 through 6. The board of election commissioners of the city of Boston shall divide precincts 1, 6, 7, and 8 of ward 3, precinct 1 of ward 5, and precinct 1 of ward 6 into sub precincts as set forth in sections 1 through 6, and only the names of voters who reside in each sub precinct shall appear on the voting list for that sub precinct.

SECTION 8. This act shall take effect 180 days after its passage.

Referred to the Committee on Government Operations.

COMMUNICATION FROM COUNCILOR BILL LINEHAN THAT HE WILL BE OUT OF TOWN FROM TUESDAY, JANUARY 20, 2015 AND WILL RETURN ON TUESDAY, JANUARY 27, 2015 AT 4:00 P.M. (DOCKET NO. 0253)

Communication from Councilor Bill Linehan that he will be out of town from Tuesday, January 20, 2015 and will return on Tuesday, January 27, 2015 at 4:00 p.m.

Placed on file.

APPOINTMENT BY THE MAYOR
(DOCKET NO. 0254)

Notice was received from the Mayor of the resignation of Paul G. Alfonso as the Commissioner of the Boston Water and Sewer Commission.

Placed on file.

APPOINTMENT BY THE MAYOR
(DOCKET NO. 0255)

Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of Austin Blackmon, as Chief of Energy, Environment and Open Space, effective January 19, 2015.

Placed on file.

APPOINTMENT BY THE MAYOR
(DOCKET NO. 0256)

Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of Patricia M. Lyons, as Acting Commissioner of the Property Management Department, effective January 5, 2015.

Placed on file.

APPOINTMENT BY THE MAYOR
(DOCKET NO. 0257)

Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of Shaun Blugh, as Chief Diversity Officer, effective January 5, 2015.

Placed on file.

APPOINTMENT BY THE MAYOR
(DOCKET NO. 0258)

Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of Gina Fiandaca, as Commissioner of the Boston Transportation Department, effective January 18, 2015.

Placed on file.

APPOINTMENT BY THE MAYOR
(DOCKET NO. 0259)

Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of Rosanne Foley, as Executive Director of the Boston Landmark Commission, effective January 20, 2015.

Placed on file.

APPOINTMENT BY THE MAYOR
(DOCKET NO. 0260)

Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of Giselle Sterling, as Interim Commissioner of Veterans' Services, effective January 16, 2015.

Placed on file.

COMMUNICATION RECEIVED FROM CITY CLERK OF FILING AGREEMENT BETWEEN CITY OF BOSTON AND BRIDGEVIEW APARTMENTS LIMITED PARTNERSHIP PURSUANT TO CHAPTER 121A PROJECT, SECTION 6A OF MASSACHUSETTS GENERAL LAW (DOCKET NO. 0261)

Communication was received from the City Clerk of the filing agreement between the City of Boston and the Bridgeview Apartments Limited Partnership pursuant to Chapter 121A project, Section 6A of The Massachusetts General Law.

Placed on file.

COMMUNICATION RECEIVED FROM COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS, RE: PETITION OF NSTAR ELECTRIC COMPANY PURSUANT TO SECTION 6 OF CHAPTER 665 OF ACTS OF 1956 FOR EXEMPTIONS FROM BOSTON ZONING CODE FOR SUBSTATION AT SEAFOOD WAY IN SOUTH BOSTON AND APPROVAL PURSUANT TO G.L.C. 164, SEC 72 (DOCKET NO. 0262)

Communication was received from The Commonwealth of Massachusetts, re: Petition of NSTAR Electric Company pursuant to section 6 of Chapter 665 of the Acts of 1956 for exemptions from the Boston Zoning Code for a substation at Seafood Way in South Boston and Approval Pursuant to G.L.c. 164, Sec 72.

Placed on file.

APPOINTMENT BY THE MAYOR
(DOCKET NO. 0263)

Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of Laura Oggeri, as Chief Communications Officer, effective December 29, 2014.

Placed on file.

APPOINTMENT BY THE MAYOR
(DOCKET NO. 0264)

Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of Turahn Dorsey, as Chief of Education, effective September 29, 2014.

Placed on file.

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There was a recess to watch the Patriots Super Bowl Parade in front of City Hall.

REPORT ON ORDER DIRECTING CITY COUNCIL TO EXAMINE AMENDMENTS TO 2014-2015 CITY COUNCIL RULES (DOCKET NO. 0180)

Councilor CIOMMO in the Chair.

Councilor MURPHY, on behalf of the Committee on Rules and Administration, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 0180, order directing the City Council to examine amendments to the 2014-2015 City Council Rules (referred January 14) - recommending the order ought to pass in a new draft.

The report was accepted; the order, in its new draft, was passed; yeas 13.

Councilor LINEHAN in the Chair.

REPORT ON ORDER AUTHORIZING CITY OF BOSTON TO SUBMIT TO MASSACHUSETTS SCHOOL BUILDING AUTHORITY STATEMENTS OF INTEREST FOR ACCELERATED REPAIRS PROGRAM FOR FOLLOWING SCHOOLS: YOUNG ACHIEVERS SCIENCE & MATH K-8; COMMUNITY ACADEMY OF SCIENCE AND HEALTH; TECHBOSTON ACADEMY; ELLIS SCHOOL; MCKAY K-8 SCHOOL; CURLEY SCHOOL; AND SUMNER SCHOOL. STATEMENTS OF INTEREST DESCRIBE AND EXPLAIN DEFICIENCIES AND PRIORITY CATEGORY FOR WHICH CITY OF BOSTON

MAY BE INVITED TO APPLY TO THE MASSACHUSETTS SCHOOL BUILDING AUTHORITY IN FUTURE (DOCKET NO. 0170)

Councilor CIOMMO, on behalf of the Committee on Ways and Means, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 0170, message of the Mayor and order authorizing the City of Boston to submit to the Massachusetts School Building Authority the Statements of Interest for the Accelerated Repairs Program for the following Schools: Young Achievers Science & Math K-8; Community Academy of Science and Health; TechBoston Academy; Ellis School; McKay K-8 School; Curley School; and the Sumner School. The Statements of Interest describe and explain the deficiencies and priority category for which the City of Boston may be invited to apply to the Massachusetts School Building Authority in the future (referred January 14) - recommending the order be passed.

The report was accepted; the order was passed.

ORDER FOR HEARING REGARDING FURNITURE FLAMMABILITY STANDARDS IN BOSTON FIRE PREVENTION CODE (DOCKET NO. 0265)

Councillors ZAKIM, MURPHY and YANCEY offered the following:

WHEREAS, Over the years a significant amount of furniture, including furniture in Boston City Hall, has been manufactured to include flame retardant chemicals in accordance with flammability standard TB-133; and

WHEREAS, Many flame retardant chemicals are known carcinogens and can be hazardous to the health of both fire fighters and the public they are sworn to serve; and

WHEREAS, The new flammability standard TB 117-2013 eliminates the use of these harmful flame retardants; and

WHEREAS, Until this year Massachusetts law required all furniture in public spaces to meet TB-133, which necessitates the use of harmful flame retardants; and

WHEREAS, Furniture in Massachusetts public spaces equipped with automatic sprinklers are now able to instead meet TB 117-2013; and

WHEREAS, The Professional Fire Fighters of Massachusetts recently passed a resolution endorsing a transition to TB 117-2013; THEREFORE BE IT

ORDERED, That the appropriate committee of the Boston City Council hold a hearing to discuss amending the Boston Fire Prevention Code to adopt TB 117-2013 for public spaces with automatic sprinklers; and that representatives of the Boston Fire Department, Fire Fighters Local 718, the Professional Fire Fighters of Massachusetts, and the Silent Spring Institute, along with other interested parties, be invited to testify.

Referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

ORDER FOR HEARING REGARDING FAA CHANGES USING RUNWAYS 27, 33L AND 4L AT LOGAN AIRPORT (DOCKET NO. 0266)

Councilors MCCARTHY, WU, O'MALLEY, PRESSLEY, LINEHAN, LAMATTINA, JACKSON and YANCEY offered the following:

WHEREAS, In late 2012, the FAA announced plans to implement the use of Runways 27 and 33L and 4L at Logan International Airport to save fuel and improve safety and efficiency And

WHEREAS, The impact of these changes where immediately and negatively felt in the communities of Hyde Park. Roslindale and Mattapan among others, The Increase in the number of low flying planes over residential neighborhoods has caused a significant increase in noise and concerns over environmental effects And

WHEREAS, These newly implemented concentrated flight path RNA V procedures have impacted the quality of life of residents in neighborhoods that were not previously overflown by low-flying traffic And

WHEREAS, Questions have remained unanswered regarding number of flights, hours of operation of those flights, Heights at which these flights are allowed to fly over residential areas, effect of cumulative noise and environmental impacts and whether the FAA satisfied its legal obligation related to public participation And

WHEREAS, The FAA had made an early determination that there would be "no significant impact" to these changes prior to a complete community engagement and since there is now currently in place a public comment period ending January 27, 2015 And

WHEREAS, The results of this public comment period has not been concluded or made available to the public.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT ORDERED, That the appropriate committee of the Boston City Council hold a hearing to discuss methods and procedures to determine noise and environmental impacts on residential communities and availability of results of current public comment period. Representatives from Massachusetts Port Authority, Logan Airport, the FAA and other interested parties shall be invited to attend.

Referred to the Special Committee on Transportation, Public Infrastructure, Planning and Investment.

ORDINANCE AMENDING CBC SECTION 6-6.3, SCHEDULE OF PARKING FINES (DOCKET NO. 0267)

Councilor ZAKIM offered the following:

WHEREAS, The neighborhoods of Fenway, Kenmore Square, and Audubon Circle are vibrant residential communities in our City; and

WHEREAS, These neighborhoods are disproportionately impacted by parking issues due to their proximity to Fenway Park; and

WHEREAS, The fine for violating the City's Residential Parking program is $40 but the market rate for Fenway Park event parking greatly exceeds this figure, leading to misaligned incentives and willful and excessive residential parking violations during Fenway Park events.

NOW THEREFORE,

Be it ordained by the City Council of Boston, as follows:

Section I.

CBC Chapter VI, Section 6-6.3 shall be amended by adding the following subsections:

jj. The fine for parking a vehicle in the Fenway/Kenmore Residential Parking District during Fenway Park Events, unless said vehicle displays in the rear window a valid and current sticker as issued by the Transportation Department for the Fenway/Kenmore Residential Parking District, shall be one hundred dollars and no cents ($100.00) for each such violation. A penalty of thirty-three dollars and no cents ($33.00) shall be assessed if the fine remains unpaid twenty¬one (21) days after issuance of a notice of such violation.

kk. "Fenway Park Events" means any Major League Baseball game played at Fenway Park. including two (2) hours before the scheduled game time and two (2) hours after the conclusion of the game. Exclusively for the purposes of subsection (jj) above, the Transportation Commissioner may designate additional uses of Fenway Park as "Fenway Park Events" ¬including but not limited to

athletic events, concerts, and other special events.

Section 2.

The provisions of this ordinance shall be effective immediately upon passage.

Referred to the Committee on Government Operations.

ORDER FOR A HEARING ON FEASIBILITY OF CURBSIDE COMPOSTING PROGRAM IN BOSTON (DOCKET NO. 0268)

Councilors O'MALLEY, PRESSLEY, JACKSON, WU, YANCEY, ZAKIM, LAMATTINA, MCCARTHY, CIOMMO and LINEHAN offered the following:

WHEREAS: Compost is rich in nutrients, improves the water-holding capacity of soil and encourages good root structure while reducing or eliminating the need for chemical pesticides making it a great material for use in gardens, landscaping and agriculture; and

WHEREAS: The City Council's City, Neighborhood Services and Veterans Affairs Committee held a hearing in May 2014 during which representatives of the Mayor's office, environmental advocates and other stakeholders offered public testimony on the status of curbside composting in Boston; and

WHEREAS: City-run curbside composting programs exist in over 90 cities in the United States, including Portland, OR, Seattle, W A, Boulder, CO and San Francisco, CA where it has existed since 1996; and

WHEREAS: San Francisco diverts 80 percent of its waste from landfills through composting and recycling. In its first year of curbside composting, Portland decreased trash production by 37 percent; and

WHEREAS: Cambridge conducted a feasibility study in the summer of2012 and will begin a one-year curbside composting pilot program for about 800 households starting in April 2014; and

WHEREAS: In Jamaica Plain, a local start-up called Bootstrap Composting that picks up food waste curbside, has 800 residential and 50 commercial customers, and is partnered with three farms. This service has diverted more than 675,000 pounds of food scraps from landfills for fertilizing fields since 2011; and

WHEREAS: Local colleges have embraced composting programs, with Boston University diverting more than 1,000 tons of compost from its waste and Harvard University planning to become "zero waste" by 2020 through increased composting among other initiatives; and

WHEREAS: The finished compost can be used for landscaping in Boston's parks and gardens or could be sold to local farmers, creating a full circle of food returning to food for Boston residents; THEREFORE BE IT

ORDERED: The Boston City Council, hereby assembled, orders a hearing on the feasibility of a curbside composting program in the City of Boston. Representatives from the Department of Public Works, Bootstrap Composting, and other interested parties shall be invited to attend.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Parks.

ORDER FOR HEARING TO REVIEW AND DISCUSS OPPORTUNITY FOR SUSTAINABILITY OF BOSTON PUBLIC BRANCH LIBRARIES THROUGH MIXED USE DEVELOPMENT PROPOSALS (DOCKET NO. 0269)

Councilors BAKER, O'MALLEY, PRESSLEY, WU, MCCARTHY, LAMATTINA, FLAHERTY, JACKSON, CIOMMO and LINEHAN offered the following:

WHEREAS: Some of the libraries in the City of Boston are struggling financially and need major upgrades and improvements; and

WHEREAS: Integrating a mix of uses with our libraries may offer solutions to the many issues currently facing our libraries; and

WHEREAS: Mixed-use buildings offer libraries a chance to be more integrated into the communities that house them; and

WHEREAS: Mixed-use development will allow for the expansion of the use of library buildings to drive more generation of revenue; and

WHEREAS: Libraries continue to evolve into centers of community gathering and learning; and

WHEREAS: Mixed use libraries propose the potential benefits of sharing space with other entities to help meet the needs of community residents; and

WHEREAS: Mixed use libraries represent the opportunity for keeping the local library a vibrant and relevant part of the community. THEREFORE, BE IT

ORDERED: That the appropriate committee in the Boston City Council conduct a hearing to explore the possibility of renovating or rebuilding libraries in the City of Boston as mixed-use opportunities in an effort to increase visibility and access and generate revenue.

Referred to the Committee on Economic Development and Planning and Labor.

ORDER FOR HEARING REGARDING BOSTON CITY CHARTER AND PROPOSED REVISIONS (DOCKET NO. 0270)

Councilor BAKER, O'MALLEY, LINEHAN, FLAHERTY, JACKSON, MCCARTHY, PRESSLEY and WU offered the following:

WHEREAS, The structure of government in the City of Boston consists of a Mayor as the Chief Executive Officer of the City and the City Council as the legislative body of the city; and,

WHEREAS, The Boston City Charter is a series of state laws and special acts that confers authority and powers upon the Mayor and the City Council. The Boston City Charter establishes the procedures of mayoral approval of City Council actions, authorizes the City Council to originate ordinances, and identifies the responsibilities and duties of the Mayor and City Council; and,

WHEREAS. The Boston City Charter has been amended over the years to allow for the City Council to reconsider mayoral disapproval of certain actions, to change the membership of the City Council to nine district councilors and four elected at-large, and to change the elected school committee to an appointed school committee; and,

WHEREAS, As the legislative branch, the City Council serves an important role in ensuring that the needs of the city's residents are met. It is important for the City Council to have the proper mechanisms in place to provide accountability and efficiency of government.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT ORDERED. That the appropriate committee of the Boston City Council holds a hearing to examine the Boston City Charter and to discuss proposed amendments and revisions. Representatives from the City of Boston, residents of the city, and other interested parties shall be invited to attend.

Referred to the Special Committee on Charter Reform.

ORDINANCE AMENDING CITY OF BOSTON CODE, ORDINANCES, CHAPTER 6-6.6, IMPOUNDMENT OF VEHICLES (DOCKET NO. 0271)

Councilors BAKER, PRESSLEY, CIOMMO, JACKSON, LAMATTINA, MCCARTHY, MURPHY, WU, YANCEY and O'MALLEY offered the following:

WHEREAS, There is currently no dedicated fund within the City Of Boston specifically designated for programs that support victims of human trafficking in the City of Boston and law enforcement programs targeting solicitation in the City of Boston; and,

WHEREAS, There is currently an ordinance citing that fine monies collected for certain crimes relating to "solicitation and prostitution as defined by MGL Chapter 272" shall be dedicated to "prostitution recovery programs" in the City of Boston and law enforcement programs targeting solicitation in the City of Boston; and,

WHEREAS, Law enforcement has limited resources to appropriately combat human-trafficking related crimes in the City of Boston and there are limited resources for programs available to victims of human-trafficking; and,

WHEREAS, It is imperative that the City of Boston has a mechanism in place to ensure that the fines collected pursuant to CBC 6-6.6(d) be used for programs that support victims of human trafficking and law enforcement programs targeting solicitation as required by the ordinance; NOW THEREFORE,

Be it ordained by the Ciiy Council of Boston, as follows:

Section I.

CBC Chapter VI, Section 6.6 shall be amended in subsection (d) by striking the last sentence and inserting in place thereof the following:

To the extent permitted by G.L. c. 140 § 172, fines collected to the provisions of this section shall be deposited into a revolving fund within the Boston Police Department with disbursement at the direction of the Commissioner of the Boston Police Department, pursuant to the provisions of G.L. c. 44, §53EI/2, and shall be subject to annual authorization by the City Council with the approval of the Mayor. Said fund shall be utilized as follows: for prostitute recovery programs in the City of Boston and law enforcement programs targeting solicitation in the City of Boston. The total amount which may be expended from such fund in a fiscal year shall not exceed amounts authorized under the aforesaid Section 53E 1/2.

Section 2. Effective Date

The provisions of this ordinance shall be effective immediately upon passage.

Referred to the Committee on Government Operations.

ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 17 OF CITY OF BOSTON CODE· ORDINANCES, BODY WORK, AND MASSAGE INDUSTRY REGISTRATION AND INSPECTION REQUIREMENTS (DOCKET NO. 0272)

Councilors BAKER, PRESSLEY, O'MALLEY, YANCEY, LINEHAN, JACKSON, WU and ZAKIM offered the following:

WHEREAS, The City of Boston is committed to reducing exploitation of women by providing law enforcement with the tools necessary to combat human trafficking and resources for survivor services and programming; and

WHEREAS, The State of Massachusetts took over regulation of massage businesses in 2006 but exempted other body-work-related businesses offering services such as reflexology, acupressure; and

WHEREAS, Leaving these businesses unregulated may lead to health and safety issues for . patrons, as well as result in an environment that provides opportunities for individuals to exploit and traffic women under the guise of a business, and it can also lead to exploitation of employees; and

WHEREAS, By requiring annual registration, the City of Boston can promote and professionalize legitimate body-work related businesses while simultancously reducing opportunities for exploitation;

NOW THEREFORE,

Be it ordained by the City Council of Boston, as follows:

City of Boston Code, Ordinances, Chapter 17 is hercby amended by adding the following new section and subsections:

17-18 Registration Requirements for the Practice of Bodywork and Massage Therapy.

17-18.1 Definitions

When used in this section the following terms shall have the following meanings:

Bodywork shall refer to the practice of Reflexology and/or Asian Bodywork including, but not limited to the following: Acupressure, AMMATherapy®, Chi Nei Tsang, Five Element Shiatsu, Integrative Eclectic Shiatsu, Japanese Shiatsu, Jin Shin Do®, Bodymind Acupressure™, Macrobiotic Shiatsu, Shiatsu Amma therapy, Traditional Thai Massage, Tuina, Zen Shaitsu, and Ayurvedic medicine.

Bodywork therapist shall mean a person who performs bodywork therapies or services or both as defined herein.

Commissioner shall mean the Commissioner of the Inspectional Services Department or designee.

Certification shall mean successful completion of the most current requirements of the American Organization for Bodywork Therapies of Asia (AOBTA®), National Certification Commission for Acupuncture and Oriental Medicine (NCCAOM), American Reflexology Certification Board, or other nationally recognized credentialing organization or its successor organization or equivalent organization(s) that provides certification based on a review of candidate qualifications and credentials and an examination of knowledge in the field. Such certification credentials must be approved by the Commissioner of the Inspectional Services Department.

Department shall mean the Inspectional Services Department.

Establishment shall mean any location, or portion thereof, which provides bodywork therapy services on the premises, massage therapy services on the premises, or both. Any health care facility licensed by an agency of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, or the office of any health care professional licensed by the Commonwealth of Massachusetts wherein bodywork therapy services are not provided on an occasional out-call basis is not an establishment for the purposes of this section. Any location within a licensed health care facility or health care professional's office which is dedicated to and maintained for the use of a bodywork therapist or massage therapist or both who performs occasional therapy services to the patients of the facility is an establishment for the purposes of the provisions oftbis section and the portions of the facility or office wherein bodywork therapy services, massage therapy services, or both are provided must be in compliance with the standards established by the provisions of this section.

Massage shall mean the systematic treatment of the soft tissues of the body by use of pressure, friction, stroking, percussion, kneading, vibration by manual or mechanical means, range of motion for purposes of demonstrating muscle excursion or muscle flexibility and nonspecific stretching. Massage therapy may include the use of oil, ice, hot and cold packs, tub, shower, steam, dry heat or cabinet baths, in which the primary intent is to enhance or

restore the health and well~being of the client. Massage therapy shall not include diagnoses, the prescribing of drugs or medicines, spinal or other joint manipulations or any services or procedures for which a license to practice medicine, chiropractic, occupational therapy, physical therapy or podiatry is required by law.

Massage therapist shall mean a person licensed by the state board of registration of massage therapy who instructs or administers massage or massage therapy for compensation.

Person shall mean any individual, firm, corporation, partnership, organization, or other entity.

17-18.2 Exemptions

Any physician, chiropractor, osteopath, nurse, physical therapist, massage therapists or acupuncturist operating within the scope of a Commonwealth of Massachusetts license or registration and not representing him or herself as a bodywork therapist shall be exempt from the registration requirements of this section. Hospitals, long-term care facilities, and home health agencies licensed or certified under the laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts shall be exempt from the registration requirements of this section.

17-18.3 Therapist Registration Requirements

A. It is a violation of the provisions of this section for any person who is not registered under the provisions of this section to represent being a bodywork therapist or massage therapist or both or to hold himself or herself out to the public as being a bodywork therapist, massage therapist, or both by using a title on signs, mailboxes, address plates, stationery, announcements, telephone listings, calling cards, or other instruments of professional identification or advertisements of any sort.

B. All bodywork therapists and massage therapists providing bodywork services, massage services, or both in the City of Boston shall register no later than July 1 st of each year with the Inspectional Services Department ("ISD") identifying all establishments and addresses of such establishments where the bodywork services, massage services, or both are performed. The initial registration fee shall be $25.00 with an annual renewal fee of$15.00. All bodywork therapists must attest to and affirm that they have proper certification credentials. All massage therapists must attest to and affirm that they are properly licensed with the state Board of Professional Licensure.

17-18.4 Establishment Registration Requirements

A. AII bodywork or massage establishments shall register with the Department no later than July 1 st of each year. The initial registration fee shall be $25.00 with an annual renewal fee of $15.00.

B. It is a violation of the provisions of this section for an for a bodywork establishment or massage establishment who not registered under the provisions of this section to represent being a bodywork establishment or massage establishment or both or to hold himself or herself out to the public as being a bodywork therapist, massage therapist, or both by using a title on signs, mailboxes, address plates, stationery, announcements, telephone listings, calling cards, or other instruments of professional identification or advertisements of any sort.

17-18.5 Practice Standards for Bodywork and Massage Establishments, Personnel, Equipment, and Supplies

A. Establishment Standards

(1) All registered establishments must contain a waiting area for clients within the establishment.

(2) The establishment shall maintain a properly installed smoke detector and fire extinguisher.

(3) Bodywork may be conducted only in rooms, which are adequately lighted and ventilated, and so constructed that they be kept clean. Floors, walls, ceilings and windows must be kept free of dust, soil, and other unclean substances.

(4) A plan describing sanitation measures must be provided to the Department for any bodywork which entails disrobing or draping, use of oils or lotions, or use of a massage-type of table.

B. Personnel

(1) All persons who perform bodywork or massage therapy at an establishment must be currently registered with the Department.

(2) All therapists conducting bodywork at an establishment shall be deemed to be employees of the establishment and shall not be considered independent contractors.

(3) A therapist may only perform bodywork at the licensed establisbment(s) listed on the therapist license. Therapists may provide services off-site for single events, such as health fairs and demonstrations, provided they notify the Department at least two (2) days prior to the event.

(4) Therapist and establishment licenses are not transferable.

(5) The use of aliases is prohibited. If the therapist or establishment owner wishes to use a name other than that which appears on a license, both names must be used in all advertising and representations.

C. Equipment

(1) All equipment and supplies used in the performance of bodywork shall be maintained in a safe and clean manner.

(2) If any latex-containing products are used, a sign shall be conspicuously posted so stating and all clients shall be advised that latex-containing products are used.

17-18.6 Inspections

A. The Department shall inspect all establishments subject to the provisions of these sections on an annual basis. Establishments are also subject to periodic inspections by the Department during all business hours. The Commissioner shall charge a fee of fifty ($50.00) dollars for an annual inspection. Such fee shall be paid by check or money order made payable to the City of Boston.

B. The purpose of inspections is to verify compliance with the provisions of these sections.

C. Denying access to the Department for purposes of inspections may result in penalties pursuantto CBC 17-18.7.

D. The establishment may be subject to penalties pursuant to CBC 17-18.7, when an inspection does not meet the standards and requirements set by these regulations.

E. Re-inspection shall take place when an establishment does not pass a regular inspection. The establishment shall submit an application for re-inspection, which shall include:

1. A correction plan to be submitted to the Department within five (5) business days of the initial inspection.

2. If more than one re-inspection is required, a re-inspection fee of fifty ($50.00) dollars shall be paid by check or money order made payable to the City of Boston.

3. A re-inspection application must be submitted to the Department in writing.

17-18.7 Penalties and Enforcement

A. The provisions of CBC 17-18 may be enforced in accordance with the non¬criminal disposition process of M.G.L. c. 40, s. 21D, provided that this section shall not preclude the City of Boston from proceeding to restrain a violation by injunction.

B. Any failure to comply with the provisions of CBC 17-18.3, 17-18.4, and 17-18.5 will result in the assessment of a fine of three hundred dollars ($300) per month beginning in the first month in which the violation is found and continuing for each subsequent month thereafter.

C. If any provision of this subsection imposes greater restrictions or obligations than those imposed by any other general law, special law, regulation, rule, ordinance, by-law, order, or policy, then the provisions of this subsection control.

D. The Commission shall promulgate rules and regulations necessary to implement and enforce this subsection, pursuant to M.G.L., c. 30A.

17 -18.8 Severability

If any section, subsection, or provision of CBC 17-18 is for any reason held invalid or unconstitutional by any Court of competent jurisdiction, then such provision shall be considered separately and apart from the remaining provisions which shall remain in full force and effect.

17-18.9 Effective Date 90 days after passage

Referred to the Committee on Government Operations.

ORDER FOR HEARING TO DISCUSS INCREASING STUDENT REPRESENTATIVES ON BOSTON SCHOOL COMMITTEE AND ALLOWING TWO STUDENT REPRESENTATIVES FULL VOTING RIGHTS (DOCKET NO. 0273)

Councilor JACKSON, FLAHERTY, O'MALLEY, WU, PRESSLEY and YANCEY offered the following:

WHEREAS: The Boston School Committee consists of seven voting members who serve four-year staggered terms and a non-voting student representative who serves a one-year term year; and

WHEREAS: The Boston Student Advisory Council (BSAC) is a citywide body of student leaders representing their respective high school and a member of BSAC serves as the non-voting student representative on the Boston School Committee; and

WHEREAS: The student representative represents over 56,000 Boston Public School students and although they can voice their opinion on topics before the School Committee, they are not called upon to vote despite the fact that students are often the ones most affected by the votes of the School Committee; and

WHEREAS: The Massachusetts Board of Elementary and Secondary Education grants their student representative a vote on matter and the student's voice was crucial in the decision to allow for student input in teacher evaluations; and

WHEREAS: At the high school level in Boston Public Schools, a student elected by his or her peers sits on the School Site Council as a full voting member and helps to make important decisions for their school; and

WHEREAS: Increasing the student representation on the School Committee to two student representatives with full voting rights will create an intergenerational governing body of BPS, increase decision making power for young people and enhance the accountability and transparency of the School Committee; and, NOW

THEREFORE BE IT ORDERED, That the appropriate committee of the Boston City Council hold a hearing to discuss increasing the student representation on the Boston School Committee and allowing two student representatives full voting rights; and

BE IT FURTHER ORDERED. That representatives from the Boston Public Schools, the Boston Student Advisory Council, members of the Boston School Committee, Interim Superintendent John McDonough, Chief of Education Rahn Dorsey, Advisor to the Student Representative on BESE Donna Taylor, the Student Representative on BESE Donald Willyard, Student Representative to the Boston School Committee Ayo Ojumuyiwa, and other interested parties shall be invited to testify.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

ORDER FOR HEARING TO DISCUSS RECRUITING AND RETAINING EDUCATORS OF COLOR WITHIN BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS (DOCKET NO. 0274)

Councilors JACKSON, PRESSLEY and YANCEY offered the following:

WHEREAS: The Boston Public Schools (BPS) student population is one of the most diverse in the country, but the district continues to face challenges in achieving a diverse workforce, especially in recruiting and retaining educators of color; and

WHEREAS: In the BPS April 2014 report, 83% of BPS students are students of color, but only 21% of teachers are black, 10% of teachers are Hispanic/Latino and 6% of teachers are Asian; and

WHEREAS: These numbers, combined with the guidance counselor staffing numbers, have remained consistent since 2007; this consistency demonstrates that BPS struggles to meet the Judge Garrity order requiring the district to achieve a staffing composition of 25% blacks and 10% other minorities in all Boston public schools, including the three exam schools; and

WHEREAS: The shortage of teachers of color-especially the dearth supply of male teachers of color, deprives all students of qualified and certified role models who have similar backgrounds, can be sources of inspiration to all students, and can be instrumental in Closing the achievement gap; and

WHEREAS: It is imperative that the Boston City Council examines the current and past hiring practices, retention goals and obstacles, development and training programs, and relating efforts of BPS with the focus of sustaining a workforce more diverse than that required by the court order; and NOW

THEREFORE BE IT ORDERED, That the appropriate committee of the Boston City Council hold a hearing to discuss the recruitment and retention of educators of color within BPS and invite the BPS Office of Human Capital and other interested parties to attend the hearing.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

ORDER FOR HEARING TO DISCUSS USAGE OF SCHOOL BUILDING ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS OVER LAST TWENTY YEARS AND CONDITION OF BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY FACILITIES (DOCKET NO. 0275)

Councilor JACKSON, YANCEY, ZAKIM, BAKER, O'MALLEY, LAMATTINA and WU offered the follow-

ing:

WHEREAS: Provided in Chapter 208 of the Acts of 2004, the Massachusetts School Building Authority (MSBA) was established to replace the state's School Building Assistance Program (SBA); and

WHEREAS: Prior to MSBA, the former SBA provided assistance on funding of public school building projects; and

WHEREAS: The current MSBA is charged with management, planning and financial sustainability of a new program for school building construction grants, among other responsibilities within the state; and

WHEREAS.: The MSBA's revenue stream is one penny of the state's 6.25-percent sales tax; and

WHEREAS: Since 2004 the MSBA has created three different school building construction programs: (1) the "model school program", (2) the "Green and Accelerated Repair Programs", (3) the "Science Lab Initiative"; and

WHEREAS: The Boston Public Schools (BPS) have submitted statements of interests and some of those applications were granted; and

WHEREAS: Among Boston's public schools, many more school buildings than the granted projects are in need of repair, renovations, and modernization; and

WHEREAS: It is imperative for the City of Boston to examine the usage of the state's school building assistance programs as they relate to Boston's public schools, the conditions of the public elementary and secondary school buildings and funding to improve the public school facilities; and, NOW

THEREFORE BE IT ORDERED, That the appropriate committee of the Boston City Council hold a hearing to discuss the usage of the school building assistance programs over the last twenty years and the condition of Boston Public Schools elementary and secondary facilities and invite interested parties to attend the hearing.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

ORDER FOR HEARING REGARDING LANGUAGE ACCESS FOR STUDENTS AND FAMILIES IN BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS (DOCKET NO. 0276)

Councilors JACKSON, YANCEY and WU offered the following:

WHEREAS, Boston Public Schools (BPS) has approximately 22,988 students who do not speak English as their first language, and many of their parents and guardians have limited English proficiency; and

WHEREAS, The BPS Office of the English Language Learners identified issues and concerns, including the following: (1) ELL students and families experience a lack of student and family access to infonnation, rights and updates especially in native language; (2) lack of culturally proficient teachers or trainings so that they can recognize, understand and appreciate the students and families; and, (3) lack of coordination amongst schools around needs and access to services to help the students succeed; and

WHEREAS, BPS does not have an adequate number of internal staff to provide translation and interpretation services; and

WHEREAS, It is important for the City Council to ensure that our Boston Public Schools ELL students and parents receive quality language access service; and,NOW

THEREFORE, BE IT ORDERED, That the appropriate committee of the Boston City Council hold a hearing to discuss the language access resources to students and parents and that representatives from the relevant BPS departments and members of public be invited to attend and testify.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

ORDINANCE REGARDING PURCHASE AND SALE OF SECONDHAND CELL PHONES AND OTHER WIRELESS COMMUNICATION DEVICES (DOCKET NO. 0277)

Councilors JACKSON, O'MALLEY, CIOMMO and LAMATTINA offered the following:

WHEREAS: The City of Boston has seen an increase in criminal activity associated with the theft and resale of cell phones and other wireless communication devices; and

WHEREAS: The U.S. Department of Justice, Bureau of Justice Assistance reported that the Boston Regional Intelligence Center found a more than 207% increase in iPhone thefts between 2010 and 2012 in the greater Boston area; and

WHEREAS: Such thefts, at times involving physical violence, pose a significant safety issue for all Bostonians, visitors, and commuters in the City of Boston; and

WHEREAS: Secondhand electronics merchants and sellers of secondhand wireless devices present an avenue for the disposal of cell phones and other personal electronic devices; and

WHEREAS: Pawnshops and other secondhand merchants could also provide a route through which stolen electronic devices might be sold; and

WHEREAS: The Boston City Council is committed to addressing public safety issues and taking reasonable steps to protect the lives of the people in Boston.

NOW THEREFORE.

Be it ordained by the Boston City Council, as follows:

Section 1.

Title XVII, section 4 of the City of Boston Municipal Code shall be amended by including a new Section 18, Regulation of the Purchase and Sale of Secondhand Cell Phones and Other Wireless Communication Equipment by Pawnbrokers and Secondhand Dealers

17-18.1. Definitions

In this section, the following words and phrases shall have the meanings stated in this Section, unless the context otherwise requires:

a. "Wireless Communication Device" means any device through which personal wireless services, as defined in 47 U.S.c. 332(c)(7)(C)(i), are transmitted.

b. "Secondhand Dealer" means any person who engages in the business of purchasing, selling, receiving, trading, consignment selling or othetwise transferring for value any secondhand property. This shall not include providers of commercial mobile service, as defined in 47 USC 332(d), and such provider's authorized agents and retailers that have contractual relationships with the provider to sell the provider's authorized products and services.

c. "Secondhand Property" means any previously owned device or equipment.

17-18.2. Maintenance of Records

a. At the time of each transaction, each Secondhand Dealer must document the description of each cell phone or wireless communication device and shall include the Mobile Equipment Identifier (MEID), International Mobile Station Equipment Identity (IMEI) or Electronic Serial Number (ESN) of the Wireless Communication Device.

b. The record under this subsection shall also contain a receipt with the purchase amount and a statement that the person selling the device is of lawful age; that the driver's license number or other government-issued identification number and all othcr identifying in-

formation provided by the seller of such property are true and correct; and that the person selling such property is the lawful owner of such article of property with absolute authority to sell such property.

17-18.3. False Statements - Prohibited

It shall be unlawful for any person who sells a cell phone or Wireless Communication Device to a Secondhand Dealer to submit false or fraudulent information on any receipt required under this section.

17-18.4. Identification of Seller - Required

a. Prior to purchase, every Secondhand Dealer shall require two forms of identification to be shown by each person attempting to sell any cell phone or wireless communication device. At least one of the two forms of identification must list the person's name and residence address. At least one of the two forms of identification must be a photographic identification issued by a federal, state or local governmental entity. Forms of identification may include, but are not limited to, a state driver's license, a state identification card, a passport, a military identification card, or a credit card or utility bill.

b. If the seller does not have a photographic identification card issued by a federal, state or local governmental entity, the business shall photograph the customer. The photograph shall be in color. On the reverse side of the photograph, the secondhand dealer shall record the seller's name, residence address, and date of birth, gender, height and weight.

17-18.5. Removal of Identifying Marks Prohibited

No Secondhand Dealer shall remove, alter or obliterate any manufacturer's make, model, or serial number, personal identification number, or identifying marks engraved or etched upon a cell phone or Wireless Communication Device. In addition, no business shall purchase a cell phone or wireless communication device where the manufacturer's make, model, or serial number, personal identification number or identifying marks engraved or etched upon the device has been removed, altered or obliterated.

17-18.6. Inspection of Records

The records required under this Section shall, at all times during the Secondhand Dealer's business hours, be open,to inspection by any member of the police force or designee.

17-18.7. Violation and Penalty.

In addition to any other penalty provided by law, any person, firm, corporation, limited liability company, partnership or other business entity or commercial establishment of any type whatsoever violating the provisions of this Section or any other sections in this chapter shall, upon conviction, pay a fine of at least one hundred ($100.00) dollars but not more than five hundred dollars ($500.00) and may be subject to imprisonment for not more than sixty (60) days. A separate offense shall be deemed committed on each transaction.

Section 2. Repealer.

All ordinances and provisions thereof inconsistent or conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance shall be repealed to the extent of such conflict or inconsistency.

Section 3. Severability.

If any paragraph or provision of this ordinance shall be adjudicated invalid or unenforceable, such determination shall not, to the extent severable, affect any other paragraph or provision of this ordinance, which shall otherwise remain in full force and effect.

This ordinance shall take effect upon final passage and publication in accordance with the laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

STATEMENT

This ordinance amends Chapter XVII, Licensing and Regulations Affecting Certain Trades, to require all businesses in the City of Boston that purchase secondhand cellphones and other wireless communication equipment to maintain adequate records of the transactions and require identification be produced by the seller of the devices.

Referred to the Committee on Government Operations.

ORDINANCE INSTITUTING BOSTON CIVILIAN REVIEW BOARD (DOCKET NO. 0278)

Councilors YANCEY, JACKSON and PRESSLEY offered the following:

There shall be within the City of Boston a Board known as the Boston Civilian Review Board comprised of eleven (11) members) whose minimum age will be eighteen (18) years, and who shall be appointed by 11 Boston nonprofit organizations that do not receive funding from. public safety grants agencies, foundations or individuals.

Each member shall be appointed by a nonprofit agency for tenus of two (2) years, ending on April 30, 2017; provided, however, that six (6) of the initial members shall be designated for term expiring April 30,2016 and the five (5) members for terms expiring April 30, 2017.

0.0.0 DEFINITIONS

(1) The term "Board" means the Boston Civilian Review Board (BCRB).

(2) The term "complaint" means a written report made by any individual regarding police misconduct. (3) The term "sanction" means disciplinary action and/or retraining recommended in response to a substantiated complaint, or a recommendation that restitution be made by the City of Boston.

(4) The term "immediate family" means spouse, sibling" parent, child, domestic partner, and guardian.

0.0.0. BOARD DUTIES

The Board shall review grievances of Boston citizens with complaints against members of the Boston Police Department operating within the Board's jurisdiction.

The Board shall have subpoena power with authority to act independently to receive, investigate, and conduct hearings on complaints of misconduct against Boston Police Officers, including those involving harassment, false imprisonment, use of excessive force, serious bodily injury, a death resulting by law enforcement action, and abusive language, which may be related to race, gender, religion, eilinicity, disability, or sexual orientation.

The Board shall have power to issue sanctions requiring retraining. restitution, or disciplimary action.

The Board shall have authority to sanction the behavior of supervisors for misconduct

The Board shall guarantee whistleblower protection for law enforcement officers who report misconduct of fellow officers.

The Board shall investigate grievances with absolute sovereignty from the influences of Boston city govern-

ment and the Boston Police Department.

Board findings, recommendations. and imposed sanctions are final and must be accepted by the Boston Police Department without any deduction of charges or downgrading of disciplinary recommendations, and swiftly imposed within 72 hours.

The Board shall act as an advisory board to Boston's Mayor, City Council, and Police Commissioner regarding Boston police policies, practices, and procedures.

The Board shall act as an effective advocate for reformation of police practices that at are harmful to the life and liberty of civilians in the City of Boston.

0-0.0 COMPOSITION OF BOARD

All members of the Board shall be residents of the City of Boston.

Board members must have extensive experience in the areas of civil rights and community leadership.

Board members must be reflective of Boston's diversity in regards to age, race, gender, language, religion, ethnicity, disability, and sexual orientation.

Each Board member shall be selected to serve by one of eleven non-profit organizations chosen for their outstanding commitment to civil rights and justice in the city of Boston.

Board members shall not hold any public office or have employment with the City of Boston; and no Board member shall be a member of the immediate family of any incumbent elected official of the city of Boston. nor should they have financial ties with any incumbent elected official in Boston, and no Board member shall be a former or current member of a municipal, county, state, or federal law enforcement agency operating in the City of Boston.

No member of the Board shall receive compensation apart from stipends for Board meeting attendance and reimbursement for reasonable expenses incurred in connection with service of the Board.

0.0.0 DUTIES OF EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

The Executive Director shall be responsible for carrying out policies and decisions of the Board.

The Executive Director shall be required to submit monthly reports to Boston~ s Mayor, City Council. and police commissioner of new complaints against members of the Boston Police Department

The Executive Director shall also be required to submit monthly reports to Boston's Mayor, City CounciL and police commissioner of all sanctions issued by the Board requiring retraining, restitution, or disciplinary action of any member of the Boston Police Department

0.0.0 SEVERABIUTY.

The provisions of this section are severable. If a court declares invalid any such provision of the application to any person or circumstance, the invalidity shall not affect the validity of any other provision or application.

Referred to the Committee on Government Operations.

ORDINANCE MANDATING USE OF BODY CAMERAS BY BOSTON POLICE AND ESTABLISHING PROPER PROCEDURES FOR USAGE (DOCKET NO. 0279)

Councilor YANCEY offered the following:

This ordinance is issued to both order the use of body cameras by all of Boston's Police Officers prescribed by this rule, as well as provide Officers and Supervisors with guidelines for the use, management, access, retention, the handling of evidence, storage, and retrieval of recorded media captured by body cameras as well as sanctions for failing to abide by the specified procedures of this rule. It is effective as of the passage of this ordinance or a date specified by the Boston City Council.

1. GENERAL CONSIDERATIONS

The Department has adopted the use of body cameras on police Officers to improve relations with the local community; foster better accountability of its personnel; capture digital audio-video evidence for criminal. civil, and traffic-related court cases; assist officers with recalling facts or other details captured by the equipment that will help them accurately atticulate a chain of events when writing reports; be used as a training tool for Officer safety and best practices in the Boston Police Department (BPD); assist in the assessment of contacts between officers and the public by reviewing procedures and interpersonal actions; and provide useful tools for training of new recruits. All provisions laid out in this rule shall be reflected in all related rules and procedures of the BPD.

2. DEFINITIONS

(l) "Body camera" shall refer to that device which can record both audio and video of an interaction between an Officer and a Civilian.

(2) "Officer" shall refer to that which is defined in Rule 103 of the BPD Rules and Procedures.

(3) "Undercover" shall refer to all Officers who are commissioned to investigate individuals or groups throughout the city as an individual other than themselves in order to ascertain information and evidence against the subject(s) of their investigation.

(4) "Off-duty" shall refer to all Officers that are not in uniform and not performing their regular duties as a paid detail for a municipal or private project.

3. TRAINING AND QUALIFICATIONS

All uniformed and plainclothes Officers who work in the field who are not considered "undercover" or "off-duty" shall be expected to wear a body camera to record all interactions with the public at-large. The Department will be responsible for ensuring authorized personnel adequately train each Officer in the use of body cameras.

Before body cameras are mounted on the Officers, Department personnel are required to participate in a Department sponsored training period hosted by the selected body camera distributor(s) in the use and operation of the equipment.

Body camera training will be mandatory for all Officers. Supervisors, Record Management/Evidence personnel, and all other personnel who may use or othenvise be involved with body cameras.

4. AUTHORIZATION OF USE OF BODY CAMERA

Each Officer that is required to wear a body camera must sign out the equipment before the beginning of their shift and must return it to the same location at the end of their shift, signing their name on the same list indicating this action has been taken. The Shift Supervisor must also affix their signature to the same list, approving the use of the body camera by the Officer.

Officers are expected to check the functionality of their device periodically during their shift. If a body camera is to malfunction in any way during an Officer's shift, the

Officer must immediately inform their Supervisor. Any body camera that fails to operate properly in the course of an Officer's shift must immediately be returned to the originating District and replaced with a functioning body camera before an Officer can return to their shift.

5. PLACEMENT AND OPERATION

All Officers equipped with a body camera must place the device on their lapel. Before signing the body camera out of its storage location, each Officer must ensure the equipment works and is not faulty in any way.

The body camera is to be turned on whenever responding to a call or before an Officer interacts with a civilian. The Officer must inform the civilian of the presence of the body camera and must, while recording, obtain the consent of the civilian to continue recording the interaction. If a civilian verbally requests on camera that the camera be shut off, the Officer must do so.

A. Scenarios where an Officer must turn their body cameras on include:

1. Responding to a call.
2. Traffic violations.
3. Motor-vehicle accident scenes.
4. During all interrogations of suspected criminals, victims, witnesses or persons of interest.
5. In the pursuit of a suspect.
6. While in the process of an arrest.
7. Crime scenes.
8. Traffic stops.
9. Suspicious vehicle stops.
10. Suspicious person stops.
11. Priority responses.
12. Vehicle pursuits.
13. Work-related transports.
14. Vehicle searches.
15. Physical confrontations.
16. Crimes in progress.
17. When advising an individual of their Miranda rights.
18. When ordered to do so by a supervisor.

B. Scenarios where an Officer many not use their body cameras:

1. Instances of civil disobedience, except if the use of force is permitted or in the case of the arrest of a participant.
2. Lawful protests and approved marches.
3. A civilian is partially or fully unclothed.
4. During the course of a trial inside of a courtroom.
5. To protect the identity of an officer in an undercover capacity.
6. To protect the identity of a confidential reliable informant.
7. The incident or event is such duration that the body camera is deactivated to conserve power and/or storage.
8. The Officer reasonably believes that the stopping of the recording will not result in the loss of critical evidence.
9. If the Officer is requested to stop filming.
10. When ordered by a Supervisor to cease recording.

Officers are expected to use general wherewithal to determine if a situation warrants the use of the body camera that is not enumerated above or throughout the rest of this document. Officers are encouraged to record all interactions rather than fail to record an interaction that may have required its usage in the final analysis.

Use of the body camera must be included in all incident reports. A reason for not using the body camera must be articulated in a written report or expressed verbally on camera before turning it off. Officers must use their discretion to not record in scenarios where it is impossible and impractical to do, and where doing so would threaten harm to the Officer.

Body cameras are not to be used for the purpose of surveillance of Officers or Department employees, or for initiating an investigation or initiating disciplinary action against an Officer or Department employee. However, data captured by the body camera may be accessed and/or used as evidence: relating to a complaint of misconduct made against an Officer; or in situations where evidence of Officer misconduct is discovered during the course of authorized access or review of video data with regard to pending administrative, criminal, civil, or traffic matters.

Officers must not use their body camera for personal reasons, any other reason which is not consistent with those defined in this policy above or without the approval of the Commissioner.

6. WRITING A REPORT

To ensure the accuracy of written reports regarding an incident, an Officer should review audio and video data before making a report or statement. An Officer shall note the following in his/her report:

a. Whether audio or video evidence was gathered relating to the events described in the report.

b. If the body camera was deactivated prior to the conclusion of the event, the fact that the body camera was deactivated and the basis for deactivation.

c. Any malfunction occurring during the situation that is the subject of the report

Officers shall classify recorded events as appropriate based on the options available under the classification/storage software. This classification should be done shortly after the recorded incident is concluded, but must be done prior to upload at the end of the Officer's shift,

7. STORAGE AND MAINTENANCE OF DATA

All video data is to be stored in a third-party facility contracted by BPD through the City of Boston. This data is to remain stored for no longer than thirty (30) calendar days after which it will be pennanently deleted.

Video that is considered to be useful for upcoming court cases or in the pursuit of identifying, detaining, charging and trying a suspect or suspects shall remain stored until such time as the investigation, subsequent court case and appeals shall be resolved.

8. ACCESSING VIDEO DATA

Only designated data management personnel shall have access to the video data. Custody of this data shall only be temporarily released outside of storage in the following scenarios:

1. Suspect interrogation.
2, Court cases.
3. Appeal cases by defendants.
4. BOLO public alerts
5. Disciplinary hearings for an Officer

Video data will be subject to the Freedom of Information Act with the written approval of the Commissioner.

Video data may be released to any civilian who is a subject of a particular video file. A civilian may fill out a form at their local District to request a copy of the video file for their own purpose. The Commanding Officer and the Commissioner must approve this request. Video must be released unless doing such would cause the harm of an Officer or other civilians; would impede an ongoing investigation; or the video is being used in an ongoing court case.

Video data may be released for the purposes of research to study the effects of using body cameras or all such research for which the study of such video would prove essential. This would require the explicit consent of the Commissioner, the Commanding Officer and any person(s) who may be recorded in such video. All video data which is used for research purposes will be done so without the personal information of subject(s) in the video or pertinent details of the case related to such video being made available to the researcher(s) or general public.

Any subject of a video must be made aware that their video has been requested and receive a form with the name of the Officer or any Third Party who requested it. Consent of the subject must be given before such video be made available to the Officer or Third Party.

Any copy of video data which is released to a subject of such video, or used for the purposes of a court case or appeal, or given up for research, or any other scenario where video data is shared outside of its storage facility must be signed out by said Party at the District that claims ownership of video data or the Boston Police Department Headquarters. Video data will be made available on a Universal Serial Bus (USB) flash drive.

9. DISCIPLINARY MEASURES FOR IMPROPER USE OF BODY CAMERA

Failure to wear a body camera while on duty shall result in the use of discipline found in Rule 109, Section 32, Rule 102 s.1 O(d) of the BPD Rules and Procedures.

Failure to properly maintain the body camera during a shift shall result in the use of discipline found in Rule 109, Section 32, Rule 102 s.4(c) of the BPD Rules and Procedures.

Failure to keep the body camera on during an interaction with a civilian where consent has been given and no acceptable written or verbal reasoning is given for the turning off of the body camera shall result in the use of discipline found in Rule 109, Section 32, Rule 102 s.4(f) of the BPD Rules and Procedures.

Failure to produce written or verbal communication for not turning the body camera on or turning the body camera off in the course of an interaction with a civilian, found in Rule 109, Section 32, Rule 1025.8 of the BPD Rules and Procedures.

Failure to turn off the body camera when a civilian does not give consent to being recorded shall result in the use of discipline found in Rule 109, Section 32, Rule] 02 s.17 of the BPD Rules and Procedures.6

10. EVIDENTIARY EXCLUSION AND PRESUMPTION FOR UNRECORDED ENCOUNTER

Any evidence obtained in an unrecorded encounter of one of the types listed in Section SA of this policy.

In any instance in which an officer wearing a camera is accused of misconduct, a failure to record that incident would create an evidentiary presumption against the officer.

11. SEVERABILITY

The provisions of this section are severable. If a court declares invalid any such provision of the application to any person or circumstance, the invalidity shall not affect the validity of any other provision or application.

Referred to the Committee on Government Operations.

ORDER FOR HEARING TO EXPLORE UTILITY AND ADOPTION OF OFFICIAL MUNICIPAL FONT (DOCKET NO. 0280)

Councilor O'MALLEY, JACKSON, MCCARTHY, ZAKIM, YANCEY, WU, PRESSLEY, BAKER and LINEHAN offered the following:

WHEREAS: In 2013 Chattanooga, Tennessee became the first municipality in the United States to adopt an official font; it has already been incorporated into the city's website, out of state tourism billboards and its public library; and

WHEREAS: The City of Chattanooga and other municipalities such as Eindhoven, in the Netherlands, and Lisbon, Portugal have utilized the concept of a city font in order to reflect the identity, history and brand ofa municipality; for example, Lisbon's "LX Type" is based on its signature criss-crossing tram patterns, Chattanooga's "Chatype" takes cues from the Cherokee alphabet; and

WHEREAS: There are many potential uses for an official city font for Boston: signage networks on our transit systems, on emergency and police vehicles and on city materials such as trash receptacles; and

WHEREAS: The amount of interactions we have with text and signage everyday can increase our attachment to a streamlined font as a "piece" of the city; and

WHEREAS: Boston is a hub for innovation, creativity and design, as well a city that embraces its heritage; and

WHEREAS: A city font will inspire collaboration between designers, art students, historians and Boston residents; THEREFORE BE IT

ORDERED: The Boston City Council, hereby assembled, orders a hearing to explore the utility and adoption of an official municipal font.

Referred to the Special Committee Small Businesses, Entrepreneurship and Innovation.

ORDER FOR NONBINDING PUBLIC OPINION ADVISORY QUESTIONS REGARDING 2024 SUMMER OLYMPIC AND PARALYMPIC GAMES, TO PURSUANT TO M.G.L. CHAPTER 53, SECTION 18A (DOCKET NO. 0281)

Councilor Zakim offered the following:

WHEREAS, The City of Boston and its people cherish the fundamental governing principles of participatory democracy and spirited public debate; and

WHEREAS, The United States Olympic Committee ("USOC"), a private organization, has selected Boston as its bid city to the International Olympic Committee ("IOC"), a private organization, for the 2024 Summer Olympic & Paralympic Games; and

WHEREAS, Boston 2024, the local organizing committee, is a private organization; and

WHEREAS, These private efforts may require the elected officials and residents of the City of Boston to make significant financial and operational commitments to both the USOC and IOC; and

WHEREAS, The potential for a Boston Olympics presents the opportunity for tremendous impact, both positive and negative, on the residents of the City of Boston; and

WHEREAS, The unprecedented scale of these impacts necessitates the officially recorded input of the residents of the City of Boston; THEREFORE BE IT

ORDERED, That pursuant to Massachusetts General Laws Chapter 53, Section 18A, the City of Boston Elections Department shall place on the official ballot for the Boston Municipal Election on November 3, 2015 the following nonbinding public opinion advisory questions and answer choices:

1. Should Boston host the 2024 Summer Olympic & Paralympic Games (the "Games")? YES/NO

2. If Boston were to host the 2024 Olympics, should the City commit any public money to support the

Games? YES/NO

3. If Boston were to host the 2024 Olympics. should the City make anyfinancial guarantees to cover cost overruns for the Games? YES/NO

4. If Boston were to host the 2024 Olympics, should the City use its power of eminent domain to take private land on behalf of the Games? YES/NO

Referred to the Special Committee on 2024 Olympics.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES
(DOCKET NO. 0282)

President LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, January 24, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, March 13, 2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:
William MacGregor, Secretary, $2,423.08, full time
Hannah Smith, Administrative Asst., $1,846.16, full time
Elizabeth Sullivan, Secretary ,$2,807.70, full time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES
(DOCKET NO. 0283)

President LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, January 31, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, March 13, 2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Nicholas G. Carter, Secretary, $1,461.54, full time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES
(DOCKET NO. 0284)

President LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, January 24, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, March 13, 2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Mohona Siddique ,Secretary, $1,692.31, full time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES
(DOCKET NO. 0285)

President LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, January 24, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, March 13, 2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Maria Farrell, Secretary, $600.00, part time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES
(DOCKET NO. 0286)

President LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, November 29, 2014 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position sct against their name until Friday, December 26,2 014:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Jessica A. Taubner, Secretary, $3,818.00 ,full time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES
(DOCKET NO. 0287)

President LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, December 27, 2014 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, March 13, 2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Jessica A. Taubner. Secretary. $2,318.00. full time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES
(DOCKET NO. 0288)

President LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, January 31, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, February 6, 2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Amanda Curley, Secretary, $2,769.24, full time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES
(DOCKET NO. 0289)

President LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, February 7, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, March 13, 2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Amanda Curley, Secretary, $1,730.78, full time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

STATEMENT OF COUNCILOR O'MALLEY

Having unanimous consent to do so, Councilor O'MALLEY wanted to remind the Council that along with Councilor LAMATTINA he would be hosting the Clean Boston Task Force for a meeting in the Piemonte Room today at 5:00 and recommended they all show up and discuss local matters with the various attendees.

CONSENT AGENDA

The Chair moved adoption of a Consent Agenda in which the following-named Councilors offered s of a condolence or congratulatory nature as set forth after each Councilor's name:

Councilor LaMattina: In memory of Mary V. (Giardina) Pagliuca (Docket No. 0290) Recognizing Francisco Urena (Docket No. 0291)

Councilor O'Malley: Recognizing Marilyn Cook Shea (Docket No. 0292)

Councilor Flaherty: Congratulating WCEA TV Cuenca Vision (Docket No. 0293) Recognizing Firefighter Rolando Oyola (Docket No. 0294) Recognizing Firefighter Wilfredo Martinez (Docket No. 0295) Recognizing Dr. Kendall Guy (Docket No. 0296) Recognizing Elder Carlton Williams (Docket No. 0297) Recognizing Elder Katherine Kakwi (Docket No. 0298) Recognizing Mrs. Almira Wallace (Docket No. 0299)

Councilor Ciommo: Recognizing Donna Higgins (Docket No. 0300)

Councilors Ciommo and Murphy: In memory of Mary T. Merrigan (Docket No. 0301) In memory of Peter Koutoujian, Sr. (Docket No. 0302)

Councilor Pressley: Recognizing Ms. Geraldine M. Cuddyer (Docket No. 0303) Congratulating Zipcar Boston (Docket No. 0304)

Councilor O'Malley: In memory of James J. Mulry (Docket No. 0305) In memory of Teresa Jeanette Fagan (Docket No. 0306)

Councilor Baker: Congratulating Joann Sacco (Docket No. 0307) Congratulating Frederick J. Doherty (Docket No. 0308)

Councilor O'Malley: In memory of Bernard Bolgrien (Docket No. 0309) Recognizing Bryan Pedersen (Docket No. 0310) Recognizing Dr. Felix Antonio Cruz Jiminian (Docket No. 0311)

Councilors O'Malley and Jackson: Recognizing Anthony J. Gully (Docket No. 0312)

Councilor O'Malley: In memory of Joseph Giglio (Docket No. 0313) Recognizing Benjamin Perkins (Docket No. 0314)

Councilor Yancey: In memory of Donna Elaine Harding (Docket No. 0315) In memory of Mary Singleton (Docket No. 0316) In memory of Eileen Oneta Walcott (Docket No. 0317) In memory of Mildred Downing (Docket No. 0318)

Councilor Jackson: Recognizing 6 people for their leadership to the Boston City Council (Docket No. 0319) Recognizing Stanley Wiggins (Docket No. 0320) Recognizing Dareline Jackson (Docket No. 0321)

Councilor McCarthy: Recognizing Jerry Tardieu (Docket No. 0322)

Councilor Linehan: Congratulating Edward Duggan (Docket No. 0323)

Councilors Linehan and Flaherty: In memory of William R. Harris, Sr. (Docket No. 0324) In memory of Maureen P. Greene (Docket No. 0325)

Councilor O'Malley: Recognizing 47 students on their participation in the 2015 Joseph P. Manning Spelling Bee (Docket No. 0326)

Councilor Murphy: Congratulating Mr. Donald Saunders (Docket No. 0327)

The chair stated that in absence of objection, ten late-file matters would be added to the Consent Agenda.

No objection being heard the following matters were added:

Councilor Yancey: Declaring January 31, 2014 as Pastor Howard Dudley Ebbin Day (Docket No. 0328)

Councilor Murphy: In memory of Joyce A. O'Brien (Docket No. 0329)

Councilor LaMattina: Recognizing Marie Reppucci (Docket No. 0330) Recognizing Elaine Palmer (Docket No. 0331) Recognizing Deloris Rodriguez (Docket No. 0332) Recognizing Dr. Elia Coppola (Docket No. 0333)

Councilor Ciommo: In memory of Nicholas F. Caruso, Jr. (Docket No. 0334) In memory of Gerald M. Ridge (Docket No. 0335) In memory of Pauline D. Wright (Docket No. 0336)

Councilor Jackson: In memory of Johannis Nesdekidis (Docket No. 0337)

Councilor Linehan: Declaring February 4th New England Patriots Day (Docket No. 0338)

The matters contained within the Consent Agenda were severally adopted.

NEXT MEETING

Adjourned at 2:53 p.m. on motion of President Linehan, in memory of Mary T. Merrigan, Peter Koutoujian, Sr., Nicholas Caruso, Jr., Robert "Bobby" Prey, Pauline D. Wright, Dr. Elia Coppola, Patricia Kilcoyne, Joe Santaniello, William Harris, Sr., Maureen Greene, Steve Reis, Sylvia Connaughton, Stephen C. Matthews, Jeanette Fagan, James J. Mulry, Bernard Bolgrien, Maggie Celester, Mildred Downing, John Vaughan and Eileen McCarthy Forsyth, to meet again on Wednesday, February 11, 2015 at 12:00 p.m.

Note: All debate of City Council eliminated from proceedings in accordance with Chapter 447, Acts of 1947.

CITY OF BOSTON

Proceedings of the Boston City Council

Wednesday, February 11, 2015

Regular meeting of the City Council held in the Christopher A. Iannella Chamber, City Hall, at 12:10 p.m. President Linehan in the Chair.

INVOCATION

Rabbi Daniel Klein, Boston Synagogue, delivered the invocation, and the meeting was opened with the pledge of allegiance to the flag.

PRESENTATION BY PRESIDENT LINEHAN

President LINEHAN wanted to thank the citizens of Boston for their patience and participation in allowing the City to address the public safety operations during the past eighteen days of critical snowfall. He also commended the public safety workers and transportation people working during all the emergency situations which have come as a result of the snow.

STATEMENT OF PRESIDENT LINEHAN

President LINEHAN moved to adopt the minutes from the February 4, 2015 meeting. **Motion prevailed.**

ORDER AUTHORIZING CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND CAPITAL GRANT CONTRIBUTION IN THE AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED $4,379,436 FROM MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION, HIGHWAY DIVISION. THIS CAPITAL GRANT CONTRIBUTION IS AWARDED TO CITY OF BOSTON THROUGH PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT FOR DESIGN OF CONSTRUCTION PLANS, SPECIFICATIONS AND ESTIMATES AND FOR PROVIDING CONSTRUCTION PHASE ENGINEERING SERVICES FOR REDESIGN OF LONG ISLAND BRIDGE CROSSING OVER BOSTON HARBOR (DOCKET NO. 0339)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

February 5, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith for your approval an Order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend a capital grant contribution in an amount not to exceed $4,379,436.00 from the Massachusetts Department of Transportation, Highway Division.

This capital grant contribution is awarded to the City of Boston through the Public Works Department for the design of construction plans, specifications and estimates, and for providing construction phase engineering services for the redesign of the Long Island Bridge crossing over Boston Harbor. It is anticipated that this phase of the project will be completed before the end of calendar year 2019.

I urge your honorable body to adopt this Order as soon as possible so that the City of Boston may accept and expend these funds expeditiously.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

AN ORDER TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND A CAPITAL GRANT CONTRIBUTION FROM THE MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION, HIGHWA Y DIVISION IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED FOUR MILLION THREE HUNDRED SEVENTY NINE THOUSAND FOUR HUNDRED THIRTY SIX DOLLARS ($4,379,436.00) FOR THE REDESIGN OF THE LONG ISLAND BRIDGE OVER BOSTON HARBOR.

ORDERED: That the Commissioner of the Public Works Department, acting on behalf of the City of Boston be, and hereby is, authorized pursuant to section 53A of chapter 44 of the Massachusetts General Laws, to accept and expend a capital grant contribution in an amount not to exceed Four Million Three Hundred Seventy Nine Thousand Four Hundred Thirty Six Dollars ($4,379,436.00) from the Massachusetts Department of Transportation, Highway Division, awarded to the City of Boston for the design of construction plans, specifications and estimates, and for providing construction phase engineering services for the redesign of the Long Island Bridge crossing over Boston Harbor. It is anticipated that this phase of the project will be completed before the end of calendar year 2019.

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

ORDER AUTHORIZING CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND CAPITAL CONTRIBUTION IN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED $1,280,000 FROM BOSTON REDEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY (BRA) IN SUPPORT OF CONNECT HISTORIC BOSTON INITIATIVE. THIS CAPITAL GRANT CONTRIBUTION IS BEING AWARDED TO CITY OF BOSTON THROUGH PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT IN CAPACITY OF DEVELOPMENT MITIGATION FUNDS WHICH WILL BE USED TO ASSIST WITH RECONSTRUCTION OF CAUSEWAY STREET IN BOSTON AS PART OF CONNECT HISTORIC BOSTON INITIATIVE (DOCKET NO. 0340)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

February 5, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith for your approval an Order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend a capital grant contribution in an amount not to exceed $1,280,000.00 from the Boston Redevelopment Authority (BRA) in support of the Connect Historic Boston Initiative.

This capital grant contribution is being awarded to the City of Boston through the Public Works Department in the capacity of development mitigation funds which will be used to assist with the reconstruction of Causeway Street in Boston as part of the Connect Historic Boston Initiative. The funds are currently held in an escrow account established by the BRA and will be transferred to the City of Boston upon completion of a Memorandum of Agreement held between the BRA and the City of Boston Public Works Department.

I urge your honorable body to adopt this Order as soon as possible so that the City of Boston may accept and expend these funds expeditiously.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

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AN ORDER TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND A CAPITAL GRANT CONTRIBUTION FROM THE BOSTON REDEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED ONE MILLION TWO HUNDRED EIGHTY THOUSAND DOLLARS ($1,280,000.00) FOR THE RECONSTRUCTION OF CAUSEWAY STREET IN BOSTON AS PART OF THE CONNECT HISTORIC BOSTON INITIATIVE.

ORDERED: That the Commissioner of the Public Works Department, acting on behalf of the City of Boston be, and hereby is, authorized pursuant to section 53A of chapter 44 of the Massachusetts General Laws, to accept and expend a capital grant contribution in an amount not to exceed One Million Two Hundred Eighty Thousand Dollars ($1,280,000.00) from the Boston Redevelopment Authority, awarded to the City of Boston in the capacity of development mitigation funds which will be used to assist with the reconstruction of Causeway Street in Boston as part of the Connect Historic Boston Initiative. The funds are currently held in an escrow account established by the BRA and will be transferred to the City of Boston upon completion of a Memorandum of Agreement held between the BRA and the City of Boston Public Works Department.

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

ORDER AUTHORIZING CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND AMOUNT OF $500,000 IN FORM OF LUMP SUM AGREEMENT FROM MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO FUND BEAUTIFICATION AND STREETSCAPE IMPROVEMENTS TO MATTAPAN SQUARE (DOCKET NO. 0341)

The following was received:
City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

February 5, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I hereby transmit for your approval an Order authorizing the City of Boston to expend the amount of $500,000 in the form of a lump sum agreement from the Massachusetts Department of Transportation to fund the beautification and streetscape improvements to Mattapan Square.

The Massachusetts Department of Transportation, pursuant to an earmark in Section 2A of Chapter 70 of the Acts of 2014, has awarded the Public Works Department funds for streetscape improvements along the Blue Hill Avenue corridor from Mattapan Square to Walk Hill Street.

I urge your Honorable Body to adopt this Order so that the City of Boston may expend the funds expeditiously for the purpose for which these funds are requested.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

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AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF BOSTON TO EXPEND FUNDS FROM MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION FOR THE BEAUTIFICATION AND STREETSCAPE IMPROVEMENTS TO MATTAPAN SQUARE.

WHEREAS, the Massachusetts Department of Transportation has awarded Public Works Department funds for beautification and strcetscape improvements to Mattapan Square, pursuant to an earmark in Section 2A of Chapter 79 of the Acts of 2014. and

WHEREAS, the funds in the amount of $500.000 will be utilized by the City of Boston for streetscape improvements along the Blue Hill Avenue corridor from Mattapan Square to Walk Hill Street, therefore be it

ORDERED: that the Mayor, acting on behalf of the City of Boston be, and hereby is, authorized pursuant to G. L. c. 44, s. 53A to expend, upon receipt from Massachusetts Department of Transportation funds not to exceed the amount of $500.000.

Referred to the Committee on City, Neighborhood Services and Veterans Affairs.

ORDER AUTHORIZING CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND AMOUNT OF NOT MORE THAN $500,000 FROM HARVARD UNIVERSITY OF CAMBRIDGE, MA. THIS GRANT IS A WARDED TO CITY OF BOSTON THROUGH PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT TO FUND CITY-LED AND CITY MANAGED EVERETT STREET IMPROVEMENTS PROJECT (DOCKET NO. 0342)

The following was received:
City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

February 5, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith for your approval an Order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend a grant contribution in an amount not to exceed $500,000.00 from Harvard University of Cambridge, MA.

This grant is awarded to the City of Boston through the Public Works Department for the city-led and city-managed Everett Street Improvements Project, to include sidewalk upgrades. street trees, and other improvements to be determined in consultation with relevant city agencies located in the Brighton neighborhood of Boston. It is anticipated that this project will be completed before the end of fiscal year 2016.

I urge your honorable body to adopt this Order as soon as possible so that the City of Boston may accept and expend these funds expeditiously.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

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AN ORDER TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND A CAPITAL GRANT CONTRIBUTION FROM HARVARD UNIVERSITY OF CAMBRIDGE, MASSACHUSETTS IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED FIVE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS FOR THE EVERETT STREET IMPROVEMENTS PROJECT.

ORDERED: That the Commissioner of the Public Works Department, acting on behalf of the City of Boston be, and hereby is, authorized pursuant to section 53A of chapter 44 of the Massachusetts General Laws, to accept and expend a capital grant contribution from Harvard University of Cambridge, Massachusetts in an amount not to exceed Five Hundred Thousand Dollars ($500,000.00). The funds will provide capital improvements including sidewalk upgrades, street trees, and other improvements to be determined in consultation with relevant city agencies for the Everett Street Improvement Project located in the Bdghton neighborhood of Boston; said project is anticipated to be completed before the end of fiscal year 2016.

Referred to the Committee on City, Neighborhood Services and Veterans Affairs.

ORDER AUTHORIZING CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND FUNDS FROM UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY, PORT SECURITY GRANT PROGRAM FY15 IN AMOUNT OF $472,500. THIS GRANT WAS MADE FOR PURPOSE OF DESIGNING AND CONSTRUCTING NEW DOCK FACILITY FOR BOSTON FIRE MARINE UNIT (DOCKET NO. 0343)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

February 5, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I hereby transmit for your approval an Order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend funds from the United States Department of Homeland Security, Port Security Grant Program for FY15. This award of $472,500.00 is made for the purpose of designing and constructing a new dock facility for the Boston Fire Department Marine Unit.

I urge your Honorable Body to adopt this Order as expeditiously as possible so that the City of Boston may accept the funds expeditiously and expend them for the purpose for which they were granted.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND FUNDS FROM THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY, PORT SECURITY GRANT PROGRAM (PSGP) FOR THE PURPOSE OF DESIGNING AND CONSTRUCTING A NEW DOCK FACILITY FOR THE BOSTON FIRE DEPARTMENT MARINE UNIT.

ORDERED: That the Commissioner of the Fire Department, acting on behalf of the City of Boston be, and hereby is, authorized pursuant to section 53A of chapter 44 of the Massachusetts General Laws, to accept and expend an award of Four Hundred Seventy Two Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (472,500.00) from the United States Department of Homeland Security, Port Security Grant Program (PSGP) for the purpose of designing and constructing a dock facility for the Boston Fire Department Marine Unit.

Referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

ORDER AUTHORIZING CITY OF BOSTON TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND $300,000 IN FORM OF GRANT FROM CENTERS FOR DISEASE CONTROL AND PREVENTION (CDC), PASSED THROUGH PUBLIC HEALTH COMMISSION, AS PART OF CDC'S PARTNERSHIPS TO IMPROVE COMMUNITY HEALTH PROGRAM. GRANT FUNDS, TO BE USED OVER 3 YEARS, WILL BE ADMINISTERED BY BOSTON TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT FOR PURPOSE OF SUPPORTING CITY'S BICYCLE PROGRAMS AIMED AT LOW INCOME RESIDENTS (DOCKET NO. 0344)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

February 5, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith for your approval an Order authorizing the City of Boston Transportation Department to accept and expend $300,000.00 in the form of a grant from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention ("CDC"), passed through the Boston Public Health Commission, as part of the CDC's Partnerships to Improve Community Health program. The grant funds, to be used over 3 years, will be administered by the Boston Transportation Department for the purpose of supporting the City's bicycle programs, specifically to expand programs aimed at low-income residents.

The City will use the funds described above to increase the number of bicycles refurbished and donated to 1,000 per year and to increase the number of subsidized Hubway memberships sold to more than 1,000 per year. The funds will help to ensure that the City's bicycle programs reach a wide and diverse audience.

I urge your Honorable Body to adopt this Order as expeditiously as possible so that the City of Boston may accept the funds expeditiously and expend them for the purposes for which they were granted.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF BOSTON TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND A GRANT IN THE AMOUNT OF THREE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS FOR THE PURPOSE OF SUPPORTING THE CITY'S BIKE PROGRAMS.

WHEREAS, the agencies and pass~through agencies listed below are being petitioned for the issuance of funds in the amount of Three Hundred Thousand Dollars ($300,000) to the Boston Transportation Department;

WHEREAS, the funds will be utilized by the City of Boston to further expand bike programs to low-income residents, by increasing the number of bicycles refurbished and donated to one thousand (1,000) per year and by increasing the number of subsidized Hubway memberships sold to more than one thousand (1,000) per year; and whereas the funds will allow the City to continue to ensure that its bicycling programs are accessible to all residents; therefore be it

ORDERED: that the Mayor, acting on behalf of the City of Boston be, and hereby is, authorized pursuant to section 53A of chapter 44 of the Massachusetts General Laws, to accept and expend, upon award and/or receipt, funds in the amount of Three Hundred Thousand Dollars ($300,000), awarded by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, passed through the Boston Public Health Commission.

Referred to the Committee on Healthy Women, Families and Communities.

ORDER AUTHORIZING CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND DONATION OF EXERCISE EQUIPMENT FROM CONVERSE TO BE PLACED IN FITNESS CENTER AT DISTRICT A1. THE DONATED EXERCISE EQUIPMENT WILL PROMOTE HEALTH AND WELLNESS OF THE OFFICERS ASSIGNED THERE (DOCKET NO. 0345)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

January 30, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I herewith submit for your approval, an Order to accept and expend for the benefit of the City of Boston, a donation of exercise equipment from Converse, including 3 sets of assorted dumbbells and racks; a DVD player and fitness DVDs; an Eagle Fitness Power Tower; a Hoist 2179B 3-Way Olympic Bench; 2 Host CF 2160 Adjustable Bench; a Precor 3.45 Multi-Gym; 2 Precor 546 Elipticals; a Precor 576 Eliptical; 2 Preeor 846 Recumbent Bikes; 2 Precor 846 Upright Bikes; 4 Precor 945 Treadmills; 1 Precor Abench AB 100; a Precor Adaptive Motion Trainer; a Preoor C240 Stretch Trainer; a Preeor Glide Function Trainer; 2 Schwinn IC Pro Bikes; 1 TV with a stand; various yoga mats; and 2 Xdream Interactive Bikes. This equipment will be placed in the fitness center at District Al and will promote health and wellness of the officers assigned there.

I urge your Honorable Body to adopt this Order as soon as possible so that the City of Boston may accept the items expeditiously and use them for the purpose for which they were granted.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT A DONATION OF EXERCISE EQUIPMENT.

ORDERED: That the Boston Police Department, be and hereby is authorized, in accordance with Section 53A 1/2 of Chapter 44 of the Massachusetts General Laws to accept as a gift a donation from Converse of various pieces of gym equipment for placement in the fitness center at District A 1. The additional equipment will help promote health and wellness among the officers.

The rules were suspended; the order was passed.

ORDER FOR YOUR APPROVAL OF HOME RULE PETITION TO GENERAL COURT ENTITLED" PETITION FOR SPECIAL LAW RE: ACT RELATED TO SEGREGATED RESERVE FUNDS IN CITY OF BOSTON (DOCKET NO. 0346)

The following was received:
City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

January 30, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith for your approval a home rule petition to the General Court entitled "Petition for a Special Law Re: An Act Relative to Segregated Reserve Funds in the City of Boston."

This Home Rule Petition will relieve the City of Boston and School Department from the unnecessary requirement of annually setting aside funds for extraordinary expenditures. State Law currently requires the City of Boston to include in the appropriations for each fiscal year as a segregated reserve fund a sum not less than 2 1/2 per cent of the preceding year's appropriations for city and county departments. excluding the School Department. The School Department is separately required to appropriate no less than 1 per cent of the current fiscal years appropriations to its own segregated fund. Although thc City of Boston and the School Department have been required to maintain these funds since 1986, the funds have never been used for any purpose. The City of Boston is self-insured and fully capable of funding extraordinary expenditures without the need for these separate funds.

This Home Rule Petition is necessary so that the City of Boston will no longer be forced to comply with the unnecessary administrative tasks required by maintaining these funds.

I urge your Honorable Body to join me in this effort to ensure greater efficiency and control in the City of Boston's appropriation and budget process.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

ORDERED: That a petition to the General Court, accompanied by a bill for a special law relating to the City of Boston to be filed with an attested copy of this Order be, and hereby is, approved under Clause One (1) of Section Eight (8) of Article Two (2), as amended,. of the Amendments to the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, to the end 'that legislation be adopted precisely as follows, except for clerical or editorial changes of form only:

PETITION FOR A SPECIAL LAW RE: AN ACT RELATIVE TO SEGREGATED RESERVE FUNDS IN THE CITY OF BOSTON

SECTION 1. Section 17 A of chapter 190 of the acts of 1982, as amended by section 7 of chapter 701 of the acts of 1986, is hereby amended by striking out the last paragraph.

SECTION 2. This act will take effect immediately upon passage.

Referred to the Committee on Government Operations and Ways and Means.

APPOINTMENT BY THE MAYOR
(DOCKET NO. 0347)

Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of Moses Mallard, as Commissioner to the Mayor's Commission for Persons with Disabilities Advisory Board, for a term expiring on May 1, 2016.

Placed on file.

APPOINTMENT BY THE MAYOR
(DOCKET NO. 0348)

Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of Mark Ciommo, as Trustee of The Neighborhood Jobs Trust, for a term expiring on January 8, 2016.

Placed on file.

COMMUNICATION RECEIVED BY CITY CLERK FROM BOARD OF ELECTION COMMISSIONERS THAT THEY WILL CONDUCT TESTING OF THE ACCU-VOTE VOTING MACHINES AT 9:00 A.M. ON TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 2015 AT 400 FRONTAGE ROAD, ROOM 200, FOR UPCOMING SPECIAL STATE ELECTION WHICH WILL BE HELD ON APRIL 29, 2014 (DOCKET NO. 0349)

Communication was received by the City Clerk from the Board of Election Commissioners that they will conduct testing of the Accu-Vote voting machines at 9:00 a.m. on Tuesday February 24, 2015 at 400 Frontage Road, Room 200, for the upcoming Special State Election which will be held on April 29, 2014.

Placed on file.

RESOLUTION SUPPORTING HOUSE DOCKET #3059, ACT CONCERNING GENOCIDE EDUCATION (DOCKET NO. 0350)

Councilors MCCARTHY, PRESSLEY, LINEHAN, BAKER, CIOMMO, FLAHERTY, JACKSON, LAMATTINA, MURPHY, O'MALLEY, WU, YANCEY and ZAKIM offered the following:

An Act concerning genocide education

WHEREAS, The Boston Public Schools do not currently include genocide in history or social science curriculum frameworks for United States and world history and,

WHEREAS, Recognizing the notion that national, ethnic, racial or religious hatred can overtake any nation or society leading to calamitous consequences. And,

WHEREAS, Representative Jeffrey Roy and Senator Karen Spilka have introduced House Docket No. 3059 an Act concerning genocide education. Section 1, Chapter 15 of the General Laws be amended by adding Section 67, Acts of genocide across the globe shall be included in the Massachusetts history and social science frameworks for United States and world history. And,

WHEREAS, To reinforce that lesson, such curriculum unit shall include, but not be limited to, the Nazi atrocities of 1933 to 1945 known as the Holocaust, the Famine Genocide in Ukraine known as Holdomor, The Armenian Genocide, the Pontian Greek Genocide, and more recent atrocities in Cambodia, Bosnia, Rwanda and Sudan. And,

WHEREAS, The studying of this material is a reaffirmation of the commitment of free peoples from all nations to never again pennit the occurrence of another genocide and,

WHEREAS, To recognize that crimes of genocide continue to be perpetrated across the globe as they have been in the past, and to deter indifferences to crimes against humanity and human suffering wherever they may occur.

NOW. THEREFORE BE IT ORDERED. That the Boston City Council support the passage of Docket 3059, An Act concerning genocide education. And with its passage support the implementation of this curriculum in the Boston Public Schools.

On motion of Councdor MCCARTHY, the rules were suspended; the resolution was adopted.

ORDER FOR HEARING REGARDING LANGUAGE ACCESS POLICY IN CITY OF BOSTON (DOCKET NO. 0351)

Councilors WU, LAMATTINA, MCCARTHY, FLAHERTY, LINEHAN, PRESSLEY, MURPHY, CIOMMO, YANCEY, O'MALLEY and JACKSON offered the following:

WHEREAS: The Boston Census taken in 2012 showed about 36 percent of households in Boston speak a language other than English at home and 44 percent of Boston Public School students in the 2013- 2014 school year don't speak English as their first language, representing 84 different languages and 142 different countries; And

WHEREAS: It is important that the city services offered in Boston are accessible to all of our residents including those who aren't English speakers; And

WHEREAS: There are lots of opportunities for assistance for non-English speakers, however they would benefit from greater awareness of these resources. For example, there are many multilingual employees working for the City of Boston whose services and feedback could be used to assist non-English speakers; And

WHEREAS: Other municipalities including San Francisco, Oakland, New York City, Chicago, and Washington D.C. already have language access laws and ordinances that require certain city agencies to have free, comprehensive language assistance services to those who are limitcd-English proficicnt. For example, San Francisco, much like the other cities, requires that each department havc a designated translator, as well as ongoing employec development. Washington D.C. similarly crcated a Language Access Coalition which holds pcriodic public mcetings and works with communities to resolve issues; And

WHEREAS: The Mayor's Office of New Bostonians, as well as other non-profits in the city are a great access point for non-English speakers and it is key that they be equipped with the necessary resources to best support their constituents; And

WHEREAS: Not all city departments have the staffing capacity and translated documents to be able to help those who need language access services in an efficient way; Now

THEREFORE BE IT ORDERED. That the appropriate committee of the Boston City Council holds a hearing to discuss the language access resources and policies in the City of Boston and that representatives from the Mayor's Office of New Bostonians and other relevant agencies, and members of the public be invited to attend and testifY.

Referred to the Committee on City, Neighborhood Services and Veterans Affairs.

ORDER FOR HEARING REGARDING CONTINUING LATE NIGHT T SERVICE IN CITY OF BOSTON (DOCKET NO. 0352)

Councilors WU, ZAKIM, YANCEY, CIOMMO, BAKER, LAMATTINA, MURPHY, O'MALLEY, LINEHAN, FLAHERTY, PRESSLEY and JACKSON offered the following:

WHEREAS: The City of Boston is home to the first subway system in the United States; and

WHEREAS: The MBTA's rapid transit system is the preferred mode of transportation for many Bostonians, as it served over 750,000 weekday passengers and made over 237 million trips in 2013; and

WHEREAS: In March 2014, the MBTA launched a yearlong Late Night T service pilot program running on Friday and Saturday nights; and

WHEREAS: Since the program was implemented, over 860,000 trips have been made and ridership has averaged approximately 15,000 passengers; and

WHEREAS: Similar sized cities such as Washington D.C. and Denver offer late night transit service for their residents; and

WHEREAS: Late night transit service provides a safe and affordable mode oftravel for those who wish to partake in Boston's late night offerings, such as concerts, clubs, and restaurants; and

WHEREAS: Bostonians who work nontraditional hours, including those on international time schedules and service industry workers employed at hotels, restaurants, and bars, made up approximately 20% of Late Night T ridcrship; and

WHEREAS: The late night transit pilot program, which costs $13 million, is at risk of being cut due to a state budget deficit of $765 million and a lack of corporate partners; and

WHEREAS: The Massachusetts Department of Transportation ("MassDOT") announced that the Late Night T pilot would be extended through the end of the spring ridership season on June 19, 2015, and a final recommendation on continuing Late Night T service beyond that date would be presented on April 15, 2015 after a public comment period running from February 11, 2015 to March 11, 2015; and

WHEREAS: The City of Boston is uniquely impacted by Late Night T service and the Boston City Council can offer a forum to facilitate public participation in MassDOT's decision-making process; NOW

THEREFORE BE IT ORDERED. That the appropriate committee ofthe Boston City Council hold a hcaring to discuss the impact of Late Night T service on Boston

residents, workers, business owners and visitors; and that representativcs from the MBT A, MassDOT, and other interested parties shall be invited to attend.

Referred to the Special Committee on Transportation, Public Infrastructure, Planning and Investment.

ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 17 OF CITY OF BOSTON CODE· ORDINANCES REGULATING THE PRACTICE OF PATRONS BRINGING THEIR OWN ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES ONTO PREMISES (BYOB) (DOCKET NO. 0353)

Councilors WU, MURPHY, BAKER and MCCARTHY offered the following:

Councilor CIOMMO in the Chair.

WHEREAS, Thriving neighborhood restaurants can often anchor vibrant and diverse small business districts, and being able to offer wine and beer along with a meal can enhance customers' dining experiences; and,

WHEREAS, Alcoholic beverage licenses to serve liquor and/or beer and wine are often unattainable for small and start up restaurants in Boston due to scarcity and cost; and some smaller restaurants may not wish to offer alcohol on the menu due to the large fixed costs and logistics of finding suppliers and purchasing minimum numbers of cases up front; and,

WHEREAS, A regulated "Bring Your Own Bottle" (BYOB) system in Boston would give restaurateurs the choice to create an environment where patrons bring their own wine and beer, offering more flexibility in business models and alleviating some of the disadvantage from scarce liquor licenses; and,

WHEREAS, BYOB would also let patrons enjoy their dining experience with their own selection of wine and drink at certain restaurants, encouraging residents and visitors to dine out due to greater options and a better consumer experience; and,

WHEREAS. Cities around the country such as Chicago, New York and Philadelphia have successfully implemented BYOB, and restaurants that allow BYOB are also on the rise nationally; and,

WHEREAS, Although Massachusetts state law prohibits BYOB in restaurants with liquor licenses, cities and towns are authorized to set their own regulations in determining whether BYOB is allowed in restaurants without liquor licenses; and,

WHEREAS, Massachusetts municipalities such as Brookline have policies allowing and regulating BYOB, while other cities' and towns' regulations are silent on BYOB, effectively allowing restaurants to implement BYOB; and,

WHEREAS. Boston currently prohibits BYOB, but abolishing this prohibition and instead instituting a regulated process to obtain BYOB licenses could enable more neighborhood restaurants to flourish and encourage local economic development; and

WHEREAS, The Boston Licensing Board could promulgate regulations to ensure that BYOB in

Boston does not impair neighborhood quality of life and fits with each neighborhood's small business ecosystem. These regulations could include requiring community process to obtain a BYOB license, limiting the amount of alcohol each patron may bring with them, and allowing restaurants to charge a fee for BYOB, among others. NOW THEREFORE,

Be it ordained by the City Council of Boston, as follows:

City of Boston Code, Ordinances, Chapter 17 is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof the following new section:

Section One.

Regulating the Practice of Patrons Bringing Their Own Alcoholic Beverages onto the Premises.

The provisions of this section apply to businesses that do not have a liquor license in the City of Boston and who hold a Common Victualler's license, as authorized by M.G.L. Chapter 140, issued by the Boston Licensing Board.

All Common Victualler's Licensees that choose to allow patrons to bring their own alcoholic beverages onto the premises, a practice known as "bring your own bottle" or "BYOB," shall be subject to the regulations promulgated by the Licensing Board for the City of Boston.

The Licensing Board for the City of Boston shall have the authority to enforce the provisions of this ordinance and shall promulgate regulations that will allow patrons to bring their own alcoholic beverages onto the premises. The Board shall file the regulations and any amendments thereof with the Office of the City Clerk. The Clerk shall include the regulations on the agenda of the next occurring meeting of the Boston City Council.

Section Two.

The provisions of this ordinance shall be effective upon passage.

Referred to the Committee on Government Operations.

President LINEHAN in the Chair.

LATE-FILED MATTERS

The Chair stated that in absence of objection, three late-filed matters would be added to the Agenda.

No objection being heard, the following matters were added:

ORDER AUTHORIZING CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND FUNDS TOTALING $475,000 FROM KNIGHT FOUNDATION TO MAKE CITY'S DATA MORE ACCESSIBLE (DOCKET NO. 0373)

The following was received:
Law Department

Martin J. Walsh, Mayor

February 11 ,2015

TO THE CITY COUNCIL

Dear Councilors;

I hereby transmit for your approval an Order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend funds totaling $475,000.00 from the Knight Foundation to the City of Boston's Department of Innovation and Technology (DolT) and the Boston Public Library (BPL) to join forces in making the City's data more accessible.

I urge your Honorable Body to adopt this Order as soon as possible so that the City of Boston may accept the funds expeditiously and expend them for the purposes for which they were granted.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND FUNDS FROM THE KNIGHT FOUNDATION TO MAKE THE CITY'S DATA MORE ACCESSIBLE.

ORDERED: That the Mayor, acting on behalf of the City of Boston be, and hereby is authorized, pursuant to section 53A of chapter 44 of the Massachusetts General Laws, to accept and expend funds totaling four hundred and seventy-five thousand dollars ($475,000.00) from the Knight Foundation for the City of Boston's Department of Innovation and Technology and the Boston Public Library to join forces in making the City's data more accessible.

Referred to the Committee on City, Neighborhood Services and Veterans Affairs.

ORDER FOR HEARING TO DISCUSS ROCA'S CONTINUED WORK IN BOSTON (DOCKET NO. 0374)

Councilors MURPHY, LAMATTINA, MCCARTHY, WU, LINEHAN, BAKER CIOMMO, FLAHERTY, PRESSLEY, ZAKIM, JACKSON, YANCEY and O'MALLEY offered the following:

WHEREAS, Founded in 1988, Roca is an outcomes-driven organization dedicated to transforming the lives of the most high-risk young people ages 17-24; and

WHEREAS, Roca's journey to becoming a high-performing, effective non-profit extended into Boston over the past year; and

WHEREAS, Roca combines relentless outreach with data-driven evaluation to produce consistent, positive outcomes for young people in the Greater Boston area; and

WHEREAS, The rigor of Roca's Intervention Model for High-Risk Young People necessitates a strong organizational culture in which learning, personal experience, leading with values, and having deep faith are essential to achieve bold goals with disenfranchised young people. Therefore Be It

ORDERED, That the appropriate committee of the Boston City Council hold a hearing to discuss Roca's continued work in Boston.

Referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

ORDER FOR HEARING RE: INSTALLATION OF IDENTIFYING FLAGS ON BOSTON FIRE HYDRANTS (DOCKET NO. 0375)

Councilors MCCARTHY, WU, MURPHY, CIOMMO, LAMATTINA, PRESSLEY, YANCEY, ZAKIM, O'MALLEY and JACKSON offered the following:

WHEREAS, The City of Boston has experienced a record setting snowfall this winter causing many dangerous conditions. One of the most serious being fire hydrants buried in multiple feet of snow, and

WHEREAS, Uncovering 1000's of hydrants is a challenge for Boston Fire Department to do alone, and

WHEREAS, Fire can double in intensity in minutes. Precious time is lost locating and uncovering buried fire hydrants creating conditions that could result in loss of life, and

WHEREAS, Location of fire hydrants is imperative in engaging able and willing residents in assisting Boston Fire Department in shoveling out these hydrants saving time in the event of a fire, and

WHEREAS, Municipalities such as Needham, Framingham, Tewksbury, Southwick, North Reading and others have successfully installed markers at the beginning of winter to identify location of fire hydrants.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT ORDERED. That the appropriate committee of the Boston City Council hold a hearing to discuss methods and procedures to install identifying markers to fire hydrants in Boston. The Mayor's Office, Boston fire Department and Boston Public Works will be invited to attend.

Referred to the Committee on City, Neighborhood Services and Veterans Affairs.

CONSENT AGENDA

The Chair moved adoption of a Consent Agenda in which the following-named Councilors offered resolutions of a condolence or congratulatory nature as set forth after each Councilor's name:

Councilor McCarthy: In memory of Stephen C. Matthews (Docket No. 0354) In memory of Eileen McCarthy Forsyth (Docket No. 0355) In memory of Sylvia Dimarzio Connaughton (Docket No. 0356)

Councilor LaMattina: In memory of Patrica Ann Kilcoyne (Docket No. 0357) In memory of Joseph Santaniello (Docket No. 0358)

Councilors Linehan and Flaherty: In memory of John J. Mann (Docket No. 0359) In memory of Anne "Honey" Libby (Docket No. 0360) In memory of Marie C. Miller (Docket No. 0361) In memory of Francis "Frankie" Flaherty, Jr. (Docket No. 0362)

Councilor Baker: Recognizing Bubby Everson (Docket No. 0363)

Councilor Ciommo: In memory of Maria Tempesta (Docket No. 0364)

Councilor Pressley: Recognizing Dr. Dennis Langley (Docket No. 0365)

Councilor Murphy: Congratulating Pastor Elser Edouard (Docket No. 0366)

Councilor LaMattina: Recognizing Connie Sullivan (Docket No. 0367) Recognizing Officer Robert "Bobby" Luongo (Docket No. 0368)

Councilor Jackson: Congratulating St. Mary's Center for the Women and Children on their 5th Annual Dancing for Hope Event (Docket No. 0369) Recognizing Jordan Knight (Docket No. 0370) Congratulating thirteen people for completing the Nurturing Fathers Program (Docket No. 0371)

Councilor Yancey: In memory of Tatyana N. Abrams (Docket No. 0372)

The Chair stated that in the absence of objection, two late-filed matters would be added to the Consent Agenda.

No objection being heard, the following matters were added:

Councilor Ciommo: In memory of Noreen M. Tierney (Docket No. 0376)

Councilor Murphy: In memory of Thomas Kelly) (Docket No. 0377)

The matters contained within the Consent Agenda were severally adopted.

NEXT MEETING

Adjourned at 1:15 p.m. o motion of President Lineha in memory of Noreen Tierney, Maria Tempesta, Jean Lee, Francis "Frankie" Flaherty, Jr., Anne "Honey" Libby, Marie C. Miller, John J. Mann, Doris M. Cruz, Sam Sadd, John Wilson, Thomas Kelley, Danny Toon, Al Siciliano, Achille "Leo" De Leo, Alfonso Paul Cacchiotti and Beverly Marie D' Amico-Piazza, to meet again on Wednesday, February 25, 2015 at 12:00 p.m.

Note: All debate of City Council eliminated from proceedings in accordance with Chapter 447, Acts of 1947.

CITY OF BOSTON

Proceedings of the Boston City Council

Wednesday, February 25, 2015

Regular meeting of the City Council held in the Christopher A. Iannella Chamber, City Hall, at 12:10 p.m. President Linehan in the Chair.

INVOCATION

City Clerk Maureen E. Feeney delivered the invocation, and the meeting was opened with the pledge of allegiance to the flag.

PRESENTATION OF COUNCILOR O'MALLEY

Councilor O'MALLEY presented resolutions to various Boston Animal Shelters and their workers in honor of and declaring it National Spay day in the City of Boston.

VISITORS TO CITY HALL

President LINEHAN welcomed the Government Delegation from Kosovo.

PRESENTATION BY COUNCILOR PRESSLEY

Councilor PRESSLEY presented a resolution to the Black Directors Network inviting them all to the Curley Room for refreshments in celebration of Black History Month.

STATEMENT OF PRESIDENT LINEHAN

President LINEHAN moved to adopt the minutes from the February 11, 2015 meeting. **Motion prevailed.**

ORDER AUTHORIZING ISSUANCE OF TAX-EXEMPT REFUNDING BONDS IN PRINCIPAL AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED $65,000,000 IN ORDER TO PAY PRINCIPAL, REDEMPTION PREMIUM, IF ANY, AND INTEREST ON BONDS OR OTHER OBLIGATIONS TO BE REFUNDED AND COSTS OF ISSUANCE OF REFUNDING BONDS (DOCKET NO. 0378)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

February 18, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith for your approval an Order authorizing the issuance of tax-exempt refunding bonds in a principal amount not to exceed Sixty Five Million Dollars ($65,000,000). The City is preparing to competitively sell general obligation bonds in the municipal market. Current favorable conditions will allow the City to potentially realize significant savings in debt service costs by refunding certain outstanding debt. While residual loan authorization remains available for this refunding, the additional amount before you is necessary in order to meet the expected level sufficient for this upcoming sale.

Therefore, I urge your Honorable Body to pass this Order as expeditiously as possible so that the City will be positioned to issue refunding bonds and thereby save taxpayer money by paying lower debt service costs.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

REFUNDING ORDER

ORDERED: That, in order to reduce interest costs, the Collector-Treasurer. with the approval of the Mayor, is authorized to issue refunding bonds pursuant to Section 13 of Chapter 643 of the Acts of 1983 as amended (the "Act") to refund such portion of the outstanding bonds or other obligations of the City as the Collector-Treasurer, with the approval of the Mayor, may select; that the refunding bonds shall be issued in an amount not to exceed Sixty Five Million Dollars ($65,000,000.00) in order to pay the principal, redemption premium, if any. and interest on the bonds or other obligations to be refunded and other costs provided in Section 13 of the Act; that, if determined by the Collector-Treasurer. with the approval of the Mayor, the refunding bonds may be issued as special obligations of the City as provided in Section 8 of the Act or as provided in Section 11 of the Act; and that the Collector-Treasurer, with the approval of the Mayor, is authorized to execute such documents as may be necessary or desirable to issue and sell the refunding bonds, including. without limitation, one or more trust or security agreements pursuant to Section 9 of the Act.

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

ORDER AUTHORIZING OFFICE OF ENVIRONMENT, ENERGY AND OPEN SPACE TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND GRANT OF $3,680,000 FROM MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY RESOURCES RENEWABLE AND ALTERNATIVE ENERGY DIVISION COMMUNITY CLEAN ENERGY RESILIENCY INITIATIVE PROJECT (DOCKET NO. 0379)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

February 13, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I hereby transmit for your approval an Order authorizing the City of Boston to expend the amount of $3,680,000.00 in the form of a Community Clean Energy Resiliency Initiative Project Implementation grant (the "CCERI Grant"), awarded by the Renewable and Alternative Energy Division of the Massachusetts Department of Energy Resources (DOER), to be administered by the City's Office of Environment, Energy, and Open Space.

The DOER's CCERI grant will partially fund the cost ofthe engineering, controls, electrical switchgear and wiring required to operate a two megawatt (MW) combined heat and power ("CHP") unit at the Boston Medical Center Menino Campus in the event of a power outage. Boston Medical Center will finance the balance of the project costs, and no City funds will be required to complete the project.

The equipment funded by the CCERI Grant will be configured not only to support the hospital, but will also provide extended duration backup electric power in the event of a normal power outage to the regional emergency communications infrastructure located on the roof of the high rise housing building located at 35 Northampton Street, which is adjacent the Boston Medical Center Menino Campus. The telecommunications equipment will support the following critical functions in the case of

an emergency event:

i. the Boston Public Health Commission Emergency Medical Services;

ii. the Boston Optical Network required to operate the City's Public Safety Radio;

iii. the Boston Fire Department's emergency communications;

iv. the Boston Police Department emergency communications; and

v. the City's Shot Spotter System.

I urge your Honorable Body to adopt this Order so that the City of Boston may expend the funds expeditiously upon award for the purposes for which these funds are granted.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

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AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF BOSTON TO EXPEND THE RENEWABLE AND ALTERNATIVE ENERGY DIVISION COMMUNITY CLEAN ENERGY RESILIENCY INITIATIVE PROJECT IMPLEMENTATION GRANT, AWARDED BY THE MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY RESOURCES.

WHEREAS, the Massachusetts Department of Energy Resources is being petitioned for the issuance of funds to the City of Boston's Office of Environment, Energy, and Open Space, and

WHEREAS, the funds in the amount of .three-million six-hundred eighty thousand dollars ($3,680,000.00) will be utilized by the City of Boston to partially fund the cost of the engineering, controls, electrical switchgear and wiring required to operate a two megawatt combined heat and power unit at the Boston Medical Center Menino Campus in the event of a power outage, and support critical public safety functions in the case of an emergency event, therefore be it

ORDERED: that the Mayor, acting on behalf of the City of Boston be, and hereby is, authorized to expend, upon award, the Massachusetts Department of Energy Resources' Renewable and Alternative Energy Division Community Clean Energy Resiliency Initiative Project Implementation grant not to exceed the amount three million six-hundred eighty thousand dollars ($3,680,000.00).

Referred to the Committee On Environment and Parks.

ORDER FOR CONFIRMATION OF REAPPOINTMENT OF CELIA WCISLO AS MEMBER OF BOSTON PUBLIC HEALTH COMMISSION'S BOARD OF HEALTH FOR TERM EXPIRING JANUARY 2, 2017 (DOCKET NO. 0380)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

February 17, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

Pursuant to St. 1995, c. 147, §3(b), I transmit herewith for your approval an Order confirming the appointment of Celia Wcislo of 507 Appleton Street, Arlington, MA 02476, as a Member of the Boston Public Health Commission's Board of Health for a term expiring January 2, 2017. Ms. Wcislo has worked to improve the quality and delivery of health care to Boston's low-income and underserved neighborhoods for more than 30 years. Serving as president of a local healthcare worker union, she has developed innovative job training and education programs and has raised industry working standards for thousands of hospital, nursing home, and homecare workers throughout the Commonwealth.

In addition to serving as Assistant Division Director of 1199 SEIU, Ms. Wcislo is also a founding member of the Greater Boston Interfaith Organization. She is a frequent lecturer on labor-management partnerships, improving access to healthcare for all underserved and immigrant populations, and the importance of workforce development within the healthcare industry. I am excited to have Ms. Wcislo's insight and experience help guide public health policy in our city for another three years.

I am appointing Ms. Wcislo to the Member position pursuant to the authority vested in me by Chapter 147 of the Acts of 1995. Ms. Wcislo is a representative of organized labor. I urge your Honorable Body to act favorably on the continued appointment of Celia Wcislo as a Member of the Board of the Boston Public Health Commission.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

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AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE APPOINTMENT OF CELIA WCISLO AS A BOARD MEMBER OF THE BOSTON PUBLIC HEALTH COMMISSION.

ORDERED: That, pursuant to St. 1995, c. 147§ 3(b), the appointment of Celia Wcislo of 507 Appleton Street, Arlington, MA 02476, as a member of the Boston Public Health Commission for a term to expire January 2, 2017, be, and hereby is, approved.

Referred to the Committee on Healthy Women and Families and Communities.

ORDER FOR CONFIRMATION OF RE-APPOINTMENT OF DR. PAULA A. JOHNSON AS MEMBER AND CHAIRPERSON OF BOSTON PUBLIC HEALTH COMMISSION'S BOARD OF HEALTH FOR REMAINDER OF TERM EXPIRING JANUARY 1, 2018 (DOCKET NO. 0381)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

February 17, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

Pursuant to St. 1995, c. 147, § 3(b), I transmit herewith for your approval an Order confirming the appointment of Dr. Paula A. Johnson of 132 High Street, Brookline, MA 02445, as a Member and Chairperson of the Boston Public Health Commission's Board of Health for a term expiring January 1, 2018. Dr. Johnson, a graduate of Harvard Medical School, also served as Chief Medical Resident at Brigham and Women's Hospital. She is the founder of the Center for Cardiovascular Disease in Women at Brigham and Women's Hospital which concentrates on the development of gender-specific methods for prevention, treatment, and rehabilitation of coronary heart disease in women.

Dr. Johnson brings extensive experience in areas of not-for-profit health services and has won several awards for her involvement in women's and minority health. As a board member, and our Chairperson since 2007, Dr. Johnson will enable us to continue our progress and leadership in promoting the health and well-being of all Boston residents, particularly those who are most vulnerable. I am excited to have Dr. Johnson's insight and experience help

guide public health policy in our city.

I am appointing Dr. Johnson to the Chairperson position pursuant to the authority vested in me by Chapter 147 of the Acts of 1995. Dr. Johnson is an At-Large Appointee of the Mayor. I urge your Honorable Body to act favorably on the continued appointment of Dr. Johnson as Chairperson and Member of Boston's Board of Health.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

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AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE APPOINTMENT OF PAULA A. JOHNSON AS A MEMBER AND CHAIRPERSON OF THE BOARD OF THE BOSTON PUBLIC HEALTH COMMISSION.

ORDERED: That, pursuant to St. 1995, c. 147§ 3(b), the appointment of Paula A. Johnson of 132 High Street, Brookline, MA 02445, as a Member and Chairperson of the Boston Public Health Commission for a term to expire January 1, 2018, be, and hereby is, approved.

Referred to the Committee on Healthy Women and Families and Communities.

ORDER FOR CONFIRMATION OF RE-APPOINTMENT OF HAROLD COX AS MEMBER OF BOSTON PUBLIC HEALTH COMMISSION'S BOARD OF HEALTH FOR TERM EXPIRING JANUARY 1, 2018 (DOCKET NO. 0382)

The following was received:
City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

February 17, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

Pursuant to St. 1995, c. 147, § 3(b), I transmit herewith for your approval an Order confirming the appointment of Harold Cox of 19 Greenmount Street, Dorchester, MA 02125, as a Member of the Boston Public Health Commission's Board of Health for a term expiring January 1, 2018. Harold D. Cox, MSSW, serves as the Associate Dean of Public Health Practice at Boston University School of Public Health (BUSPH) and as an associate professor in the Department of Social and Behavioral Sciences. Mr. Cox was Chief Public Health Officer for the City of Cambridge from 1996 until he joined the BUSPH faculty. In that role, he managed all aspects of the City's Health Department, including public health planning, service delivery, and regulatory activities. He has coordinated a regional emergency preparedness response for 27 local health departments and co-chaired a regional "no tobacco initiative" in 19 communities.

Mr. Cox is a member of the Statewide Commission on Health Disparities, president of the Massachusetts Public Health Association, and past president of the Multicultural AIDS Coalition. He is a recipient of the Milton and Ruth Roemer Prize for Creative Local Public Health Work from the American Public Health Association and the Rebecca Lee Award for outstanding commitment to public health from the Massachusetts Department of Public Health.

I am appointing Mr. Cox to the Member position pursuant to the authority vested in me by Chapter 147 of the Acts of 1995. Mr. Cox is an At-Large Appointee of the Mayor. I urge your Honorable Body to act favorably on the continued appointment of Mr. Cox as a Member of Boston's Board of Health.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

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AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE APPOINTMENT OF HAROLD D. COX AS A BOARD MEMBER OF THE BOSTON PUBLIC HEALTH COMMISSION.

ORDERED: That, pursuant to St. 1995 c. 147§ 3(b), the appointment of Harold D. Cox of 19 Greenmount Street, Dorchester, MA 02125 as a Member of the Boston Public Health Commission for a term to expire January 1, 2018, be, and hereby is, approved.

Referred to the Committee on Healthy Women and Families and Communities.

ORDER FOR CONFIRMATION OF RE-APPOINTMENT OF DR. JOSEPH BETANCOURT AS MEMBER OF BOSTON PUBLIC HEALTH COMMISSION'S BOARD OF HEALTH FOR TERM EXPIRING JANUARY 4, 2016 (DOCKET NO. 0383)

The following was received:
City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

February 17, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

Pursuant to St, 1995, c. 147, § 3(b), I transmit herewith for your approval an Order confirming the reappointment of Dr. Joseph Betancourt of 46 William Street, Cambridge, MA 02139 as a Member of the Boston Public Health Commission's Board of Health for a term expiring January 4, 2016. Dr. Betancourt is the Director of the Disparities Solutions Center at Massachusetts General Hospital and an Assistant Professor of Medicine at Harvard Medical School. Dr. Betancourt received his Bachelor of Science from the University of Maryland, his medical degree from the UMDNJ New Jersey Medical School, and completed his residency in Internal Medicine at the New York Hospital-Cornell Medical Center. Following residency. he completed The Commonwealth Fund-Harvard University Fellowship in Minority Health Policy, and received his Masters in Public Health from the Harvard School of Public Health.

Dr. Betancourt's primary research focus is on racial and ethnic health disparities in health care, particularly cross-cultural medicine, minority recruitment into the health professions. and minority health policy research. Dr. Betancourt has served on several Institute of Medicine (10M) Committees, including those that produced "Unequal Treatment: Confronting Racial/Ethnic Disparities in Health Care," "Guidance for a National Health Care Disparities Report." and "In the Nation's Compelling Interest: Ensuring Diversity in the Health Care Workforce," and served on the 10M Roundtable on Health Literacy. He was a member of the Massachusetts State Committee on Racial/Ethnic Disparities and served on the Boston Public Health Commission Committee on Racial/Ethnic Disparities. Dr. Betancourt currently co-chairs the Massachusetts General Hospital Committee on RaciallEtlmic Disparities and the Harvard Medical School Cross-Cultural Care Committee.

As a board member, Dr. Betancourt has contributed to our progress and leadership in promoting the health and well~being of all Boston residents, particularly those who are most vulnerable. I am excited to have Dr. Betancourt's experience and insight to help guide public health policy in our city.

I am appointing Dr. Betancourt to the Member position pursuant to the authority vested in me by Chapter 147 of the Acts of 1995. Dr. Bctancourt is an At-Large Appointee of the Mayor. I urge your Honorable Body to act favorably on the continued appointment of Dr. Betancourt as a Member of Boston's Board of Health.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE APPOINTMENT OF JOSEPH BETANCOURT AS A BOARD MEMBER OF THE BOSTON PUBLIC HEALTH COMMISSION.

ORDERED: That, pursuant to St. 1995, c. 147§ 3(b), the appointment of Joseph Betancourt of 46 William Street Cambridge, MA 02139, as a member of the Boston Public Health Commission for a term to expire January 4, 2016, be, and hereby is, approved.

Referred to the Committee on Healthy Women and Families and Communities .

COMMUNICATION RECEIVED FROM TIMOTHY J. SMYTH, ESQUIRE, EXECUTIVE OFFICER, APPOINTMENT OF THOMAS V.J. JACKSON TO FIFTH SEAT ON BOSTON RETIREMENT BOARD FOR TERM EXPIRING ON JANUARY 15, 2018 (DOCKET NO. 0384)

Communication was received from Timothy J. Smyth, Esquire, Executive Officer, appointment of Thomas V.J. Jackson to the fifth seat on the Boston Retirement Board for a term expiring on January 15, 2018.
Placed on file.

COMMUNICATION WAS RECEIVED FROM BOARD OF ELECTION COMMISSIONERS REGARDING SPECIAL STATE PRIMARIES BE HELD ON TUESDAY, MARCH 3, 2015, TO FILL EXISTING VACANCY IN GENERAL COURT FIRST SUFFOLK DISTRICT (DOCKET NO. 0385)

Communication was received from Board of Election Commissioners regarding the Special State Primaries be held on Tuesday, March 3, 2015, to fill an existing vacancy in the General Court First Suffolk District.
Placed on file.

APPOINTMENT BY THE MAYOR
(DOCKET NO. 0386)

Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of Miren Uriarte as a member of the Boston School Committee for a term expiring January 4, 2016.
Placed on file.

APPOINTMENT BY THE MAYOR
(DOCKET NO. 0387)

Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of Councilor Michael Flaherty as a member of the Residency Policy Commission.
Placed on file.

APPOINTMENT BY THE MAYOR
(DOCKET NO. 0388)

Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of Councilor Tito Jackson as a member of the Residency Policy Commission.
Placed on file.

APPOINTMENT BY THE MAYOR
(DOCKET NO. 0389)

Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of Molly Maloney as a member of the Residency Policy Commission.
Placed on file.

APPOINTMENT BY THE MAYOR
(DOCKET NO. 0390)

Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of Eileen Boyle as a member of the Residency Policy Commission.
Placed on file.

APPOINTMENT BY THE MAYOR
(DOCKET NO. 0391)

Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of Denise Williams-Harris as a member of the Residency Policy Commission.
Placed on file.

APPOINTMENT BY THE MAYOR
(DOCKET NO. 0392)

Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of Anise Vance as a member of the Residency Policy Commission.
Placed on file.

APPOINTMENT BY THE MAYOR
(DOCKET NO. 0393)

Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of Vivian Leonard as a member of the Residency Policy Commission.
Placed on file.

APPOINTMENT BY THE MAYOR
(DOCKET NO. 0394)

Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of Agnes Chang as a member of the Animal Care and Control Unit Commission for a term expiring January 1, 2018.
Placed on file.

APPOINTMENT BY THE MAYOR
(DOCKET NO. 0395)

Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of Jennifer Evans as a member of the Animal Care and Control Unit Commission for a term expiring January 1, 2018.
Placed on file.

APPOINTMENT BY THE MAYOR
(DOCKET NO. 0396)

Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of Chayla White as a member of the Animal Care and Control Unit Commission for a term expiring January 1, 2018.
Placed on file.

APPOINTMENT BY THE MAYOR
(DOCKET NO. 0397)

Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of Jean Weber as a member of the Animal Care and Control Unit Commission for a term expiring January 1, 2018.
Placed on file.

APPOINTMENT BY THE MAYOR
(DOCKET NO. 0398)

Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of Gino Provenzano as a member of the Animal Care and Control Unit Commission for a term expiring January 1, 2018.
Placed on file.

APPOINTMENT BY THE MAYOR
(DOCKET NO. 0399)

Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of Carrie Marie Marsh as a member of the Animal Care and Control Unit Commission for a term expiring January 1, 2018.
Placed on file.

APPOINTMENT BY THE MAYOR
(DOCKET NO. 0400)

Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of Skott Wade as a member of the Animal Care and Control Unit Commission for a term expiring January 1, 2018.
Placed on file.

APPOINTMENT BY THE MAYOR
(DOCKET NO. 0401)

Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of Maryann Regan as a member of the Animal Care and Control Unit Commission for a term expiring January 1, 2018.
Placed on file.

APPOINTMENT BY THE MAYOR
(DOCKET NO. 0402)

Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of Alexandra Lopez-Cuadra as a member of the Animal Care and Control Unit Commission for a term expiring January 1, 2018.
Placed on file.

APPOINTMENT BY THE MAYOR
(DOCKET NO. 0403)

Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of Kit Lilly as a member of the Animal Care and Control Unit Commission for a term expiring January 1, 2018.
Placed on file.

APPOINTMENT BY THE MAYOR
(DOCKET NO. 0404)

Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of Ryan Hawkins as a member of the Animal Care and Control Unit Commission for a term expiring January 1, 2018.
Placed on file.

APPOINTMENT BY THE MAYOR
(DOCKET NO. 0405)

Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of Austin Blackmon to serve as an Ex Officio Member to the Boston Groundwater Trust.
Placed on file.

NOTICE RECEIVED FROM CITY CLERK IN ACCORDANCE WITH CHAPTER 6 OF ORDINANCES OF 1979 RE: ACTION TAKEN BY MAYOR ON PAPERS ACTED UPON BY CITY COUNCIL AT ITS MEETING OF JANUARY 7, 2015 (DOCKET NO. 0406)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the City Clerk

February 20, 2015

To the City Council.
Councilors:

In accordance with Chapter 6 of the Ordinances of 1979, I hereby notify you Of the following actions taken by the Mayor with regard to the papers acted upon by the City Council at its meeting of January 7, 2015 viz.

0119 Order authorizing the Police Department to accept and expend a donation of Seven Thousand Five Hundred Dollars ($7,500.00) from the Highland Street Foundation for the use by the Youth Violence Strike Force to fund opportunities for the City of Boston's youth, including attendance at summer camps through Youth Connect/Boys &. Girls Clubs.
Approved by the Mayor January 12, 2015

0120 Order authorizing the Mayor's Office to accept a donation of a podium from the Ironworkers Local 7, New England Regional Council of Carpenters, The New England Carpenters Training Center and Youth Build Boston.
Approved by the Mayor January 12, 2015

0132 Ordinance amending City of Boston Code, Ordinances, Chapter 2-8.3, Salary of City Councilors.
Approved by the Mayor January 14, 2015

0135 Order creating the Residency Policy Commission.
Approved by the Mayor January 14, 2015

Respectfully,
Maureen Feeney,
City Clerk.

Placed on file.

NOTICE RECEIVED FROM CITY CLERK IN ACCORDANCE WITH CHAPTER 6 OF ORDINANCES OF 1979 RE: ACTION TAKEN BY MAYOR ON PAPERS ACTED UPON BY CITY COUNCIL AT ITS MEETING OF JANUARY 14, 2015 (DOCKET NO. 0407)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the City Clerk

February 20, 2015

To the City Council.
Councilors:

In accordance with Chapter 6 of the Ordinances of 1979, I hereby notify you of the following actions taken by the Mayor with regard to the papers acted upon by the City Council at its meeting of January 14, 2015 viz.

0117 Order authorizing the Mayor's Office of New Urban Mechanics to accept and expend a grant not to exceed One Million Three Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars ($1,350,000.00) from Bloomberg Philanthropies, to support the creation of Boston's first innovation delivery team over pe-

riod of three years.
Approved by the Mayor January 16, 2015

0118 Order to accept the provisions of Section 19 of Chapter 32B within the City of Boston a written agreement with the Public Employee Committee will continue to be the exclusive bargaining representative for the coalition of public employee bargaining units and retirees of the City of Boston.
Approved by the Mayor January 16, 2015

0226 Order approving a Petition for a Special Law regarding An Act Concerning Long-Term Homeowners.
Approved by the Mayor January 22, 2015

0229 Order approving a Petition for a Special Law regarding An Act to Restore Boston's Governmentally-Involved Housing Protection.
Approved by the Mayor January 23, 2015

Respectfully,
Maureen Feeney,
City Clerk.

Placed on file.

NOTICE RECEIVED FROM CITY CLERK IN ACCORDANCE WITH CHAPTER 6 OF ORDINANCES OF 1979 RE: ACTION TAKEN BY MAYOR ON PAPERS ACTED UPON BYCITY COUNCIL AT ITS MEETING OF JANUARY 21, 2015 (DOCKET NO. 0408)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the City Clerk

February 20, 2015

To the City Council.
Councilors:

In accordance with Chapter 6 of the Ordinances of 1979, I hereby notify you of the following actions taken by the Mayor with regard to the papers acted upon by the City Council at its meeting of February 4, 2015 viz.

0170 Order authorizing the City of Boston to submit to the Massachusetts School Building Authority the Statements of Interest for the Accelerated Repairs Program for the following Schools: Young Achievers Science & Math K-8; Community Academy of Science and Health; TechBoston Academy; Ellis School; McKay K-8 School; Curley School; and the Summer School. The Statements of Interest describe and explain the deficiencies and priority category for which the City of Boston may be invited to apply to the Massachusetts School Building Authority in the future.
Approved by the Mayor February 6, 2015

0247 Order authorizing the Police Commissioner to accept and expend funds of One Thousand Two Hundred Sixty-One Dollars ($1,261.00) from WestEd, to be utilized by the Boston Police Department Office of Research and Development to query incidents, arrest and other related categories data for the years 2009-June 2014.
Approved by the Mayor February 6, 2015

0248 Order authorizing the Police Commissioner to accept and expend funds of Five Thousand Dollars ($5,000.00) from AbekaM Consulting Foundation, to be utilized by the Boston Police Department Human Trafficking Unit to cover overtime cost in the execution identified trafficking "stings" and is related to CEASE Boston.
Approved by the Mayor February 6, 2015

0249 Order authorizing the Police Commissioner to accept a donation of used exercise equipment from Equinox Sport Club to be placed in the fitness center at District A 1 Police Department.
Approved by the Mayor February 6, 2015

0251 Order approving a Home Rule Petition to the General Court entitled "An Act Relative to Changing the Name of the State-Boston Retirement System to the Boston Retirement System".
Approved by the Mayor February 6, 2015

Respectfully,
Maureen Feeney,
City Clerk.

Placed on file.

COMMUNICATION RECEIVED FROM LAWRENCE S. DICARA, KPMG LLP., REGARDING MINUTES FROM PREVIOUS AUDIT COMMITTEE MEETINGS 15 (DOCKET NO. 0409)

Communication was received from Lawrence S. DiCara, KPMG LLP., regarding minutes from previous Audit Committee meetings.
Placed on file.

REPORT ON ORDER AUTHORIZING CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND GRANT TOTALING $80,465 FROM URBAN SUSTAINABILITY DIRECTOR'S NETWORK TO CITY OF BOSTON'S OFFICE OF ENVIRONMENT, ENERGY AND OPEN SPACE TO SUPPORT MULTI CITY MICROGRIDS WORKSHOP TO CARRY OUT COLLABORATIVE LEARNING WORKSHOP FOR FIVE MEMBER CITIES OF CREATING MORE RESILIENT GRID (DOCKET NO. 0245)

Councilor O'MALLEY, on behalf of the Committee on Environment and Parks, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 0245, message of the Mayor and order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend a grant totaling $80,465 from Urban Sustainability Director's Network to the City of Boston's Office of Environment. Energy and Open Space to support the Multi City Microgrids workshop to carry out a collaborative learning workshop for five member cities of creating a more resilient grid (referred February 4) - recommending passage of the order.
The report was accepted; the order was passed.

REPORT ON ORDER AUTHORIZING CITY OF BOSTON TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND GRANT FROM MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION ("MASSDOT") IN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED $736,906.02 TO ASSIST CITY IN FUNDING POSITIONS IN BOSTON TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT CENTER ("TMC") FOR NEXT FISCAL YEAR (DOCKET NO. 0244)

Councilor McCARTHY, on behalf of the Committee on City, Neighborhood Services and Veterans Affairs, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 0244, message of the Mayor and order authorizing the City of Boston Transportation Department to accept and expend a grant from the Massachusetts Department of Transportation ("MassDOT") in an amount not to exceed $736,906.02 to assist the City in funding positions in the Boston Traffic Management Center ("TMC") for the next fiscal year (referred February 4) - recommending passage of the order.

The report was accepted; the order was passed.

REPORT ON ORDER AUTHORIZING CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND AMOUNT OF $500,000 IN FORM OF LUMP SUM AGREEMENT FROM MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO FUND BEAUTIFICATION AND STREETSCAPE IMPROVEMENTS TO MATTAPAN SQUARE (DOCKET NO. 0341)

Councilor McCARTHY, on behalf of the Committee on City, Neighborhood Services and Veterans Affairs, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 0341, message of the Mayor and order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend the amount of $500,000 in the form of a lump sum agreement from the Massachusetts Department of Transportation to fund the beautification and streetscape improvements to Mattapan Square Improvements Project (referred February 11) - recommending passage of the order.

The report was accepted; the order was passed.

REPORT ON ORDER AUTHORIZING CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND AMOUNT OF NOT MORE THAN $500,000 FROM HARVARD UNIVERSITY OF CAMBRIDGE, MA. THIS GRANT IS A WARDED TO CITY OF BOSTON THROUGH PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT TO FUND CITY-LED AND CITY-MANAGED EVERETT STREET IMPROVEMENTS PROJECT (DOCKET NO. 0342)

Councilor McCARTHY, on behalf of the Committee on City, Neighborhood Services and Veterans Affairs, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 0342, message of the Mayor and order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend the amount of not more than $500,000 from Harvard University of Cambridge, MA. This grant is awarded to the City of Boston through the Public Works Department to fund the city-led and city-managed Everett Street Improvements Project (referred February 11) - recommending passage of the order.

The report was accepted; the order was passed.

REPORT ON ORDER AUTHORIZING CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND FUNDS TOTALING $475,000 FROM KNIGHT FOUNDATION TO CITY OF BOSTON'S DEPARTMENT OF INNOVATION AND TECHNOLOGY (DOIT) AND BOSTON PUBLIC LIBRARY (BPL) TO JOIN FORCES IN MAKING CITY'S DATA MORE ACCESSIBLE (DOCKET NO. 0373)

Councilor McCARTHY, on behalf of the Committee on City, Neighborhood Services and Veterans Affairs, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 0373, message of the Mayor and order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend funds totaling $475,000 from The Knight Foundation to the City of Boston's Department of Innovation and Technology (DoIT) and the Boston Public Library (BPL) to join forces in making the City's data more accessible (referred February 11) - recommending passage of the order.

The report was accepted; the order was passed.

REPORT ON ORDER AUTHORIZING CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND CAPITAL GRANT CONTRIBUTION IN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED $4,379,436 FROM MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION, HIGHWAY DIVISION. THIS CAPITAL GRANT CONTRIBUTION IS AWARDED TO CITY OF BOSTON THROUGH PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT FOR DESIGN OF CONSTRUCTION PLANS, SPECIFICATIONS AND ESTIMATES AND FOR PROVIDING CONSTRUCTION PHASE ENGINEERING SERVICES FOR REDESIGN OF LONG ISLAND BRIDGE CROSSING OVER BOSTON HARBOR (DOCKET NO. 0339)

Councilor CIOMMO, on behalf of the Committee on Ways and Means, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 0339, message of the Mayor and order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend a capital grant contribution in the amount not to exceed $4,379,436 from the Massachusetts Department of Transportation, Highway Division.

This capital grant contribution is awarded to the City of Boston through the Public Works Department for the design of construction plans, specifications and estimates, and for providing construction phase engineering services for the redesign of the Long Island Bridge crossing over Boston Harbor (referred February 11) - recommending passage of the order.

The report was accepted; the order was passed.

ORDER FOR HEARING REGARDING EXCISE TAX COLLECTION PROCEDURES (DOCKET NO. 0178)

This matter which was recently heard for possible action was remanded back to the Committee on Ways and Means.

REPORT ON ORDER FOR CONFIRMATION OF APPOINTMENT OF MR. MICHAEL WOODALL AS CHAIR OF BOSTON WATER AND SEWER COMMISSION, TERM EXPIRING ON JANUARY 4, 2016 (DOCKET NO. 0250)

Councilor McCARTHY, on behalf of the Committee on City, Neighborhood Services and Veterans Affairs, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 0250, message of the Mayor order for the confirmation of the appointment of Mr.Michael Woodall as the Chair of the Boston Water and Sewer Commission, term expiring on January 4,2016 (referred February 4) - recommending passage of the order.

The report was accepted; the order was passed: yeas 13.

REPORT ON ORDER AUTHORIZING CITY OF BOSTON TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND $300,000 IN THE FORM OF GRANT FROM CENTERS FOR DISEASE CONTROL AND PREVENTION (CDC), PASSED THROUGH PUBLIC HEALTH COMMISSION, AS A PART OF DC'S PARTNERSIDPS TO IMPROVE COMMUNITY HEALTH PROGRAM. THE GRANT FUNDS, TO BE USED OVER THREE YEARS, WILL BE ADMINISTERED BY BOSTON TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT FOR PURPOSE OF SUPPORTING CITY'S BICYCLE PROGRAMS AIMED AT LOW-INCOME RESIDENTS (DOCKET NO. 0344)

Councilor PRESSLEY, on behalf of the Committee on Healthy Women, Families and Communities, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 0344, message of the Mayor order authorizing the City of Boston Transportation Department to accept and expend $300,000 in the form of a grant from the Centers for Disease Control and Preven-

tion (CDC), passed through the Public Health Commission, as a part of the CDC's Partnerships to Improve Community Health program. The grant funds, to be used over 3 years, will be administered by the Boston Transportation Department for the purpose of supporting the City's bicycle programs aimed at low-income residents (referred February 11) - recommending passage of the order.

The report was accepted; the order was passed.

ORDER FOR HEARING RE: SNOW OPERATIONS AND REMOVAL IN CITY OF BOSTON (DOCKET NO. 0410)

Councilors MCCARTHY; CIOMMO, MURPHY, FLAHERTY, JACKSON, LAMATTINA, PRESSLEY, WU, ZAKIM, O'MALLEY, YANCEY and LINEHAN offered the following:

WHEREAS, The City of Boston has experienced a record setting snowfall this winter causing gridlock and dangerous conditions across the City of Boston, and

WHEREAS, The Public Works Department works tirelessly around the clock to clear streets on our main thoroughfares and in our neighborhoods, and Even with these extraordinary efforts residents continue to have difficulty parking and maneuvering their neighborhoods, and

WHEREAS, The public does not have a clear understanding of processes, procedures and resources used to deal with major snow events, and

WHEREAS, Questions have been raised about innovative methods other countries, cities and towns for clearing and removing snow, and

WHEREAS, The City of Boston does not currently own oversized snow blowers, snow melters or other current technologies.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT ORDERED. That the appropriate committees of the Boston City Council hold a hearing to discuss best practices worldwide related to snow removal and any investigation into current technology. The Mayor's office and the Public Works Department will be asked to attend.

Referred to the Committee on City, Neighborhood Services and Veterans Affairs and the Committee on Ways and Means.

ORDER FOR HEARING RE: OPPORTUNITIES FOR YOUTH SUMMER JOBS (DOCKET NO. 0411)

Councilors JACKSON, MCCARTHY, MURPHY, O'MALLEY, WU, ZAKIM, LINEHAN, CIOMMO, FLAHERTY, LAMATTINA, PRESSLEY and YANCEY offered the following:

WHEREAS: Full summer employment opportunities for young people contributes to the positive growth of our city's youth and provides needed summer employment assistance for government, non-profit and for-profit entities throughout the city; and

WHEREAS: In the summer of 2014, approximately 14,000 youth applied for job opportunities through the Boston Youth Fund hotline and approximately 10,000 youth received job placements; and

WHEREAS: The need to fully fund youth summer jobs is even more urgent given both the current fiscal climate and the youth employment crisis; and

WHEREAS: Youth qualifications for summer jobs should be as expansive as possible, including, but not limited to: increasing the age range eligibility for the summer job programs; ensuring that CORI issues do not inhibit youth summer job opportunities, and providing a path for homeless youth to obtain summer job employment; and, NOW

THEREFORE BE IT ORDERED, That the appropriate committee of the Boston City Council hold a hearing to examine how to better ensure that Boston's youth can fully participate in inclusive and rewarding summer job opportunities; and

BE IT FURTHER ORDERED, That the representatives from the Boston Youth Fund, Action for Boston Community Development, Inc., Boston Centers for Youth and Families, representatives from youth service organizations, and other interested parties shall be invited to testity.

Referred to the Committee on Economic Development and Planning and Labor.

ORDER REQUESTING CERTAIN INFORMATION UNDER SECTION 17F: LIST OF ACTIVE EMPLOYEES AS OF JUNE 30, 2014 WITH NAME, TITLE, DEPARTMENT, ANNUAL SALARY, HIRING DATE, GENDER, RACE AND RESIDENCY AND LIST OF ALL NEW HIRES, PROMOTIONS AND TERMINATIONS BY NAME, TITLE, DEPARTMENT, ANNUAL SALARY, HIRING DATE, GENDER, RACE AND RESIDENCY BETWEEN APRIL 1, 2014 TO JUNE 30, 2014 (DOCKET NO. 0412)

Councilor YANCEY offered the following:

ORDERED: That, under the provisions of Section 17F of Chapter 376 the Acts of 1951, as amended, and under any other applicable provision of law, His Honor, the Mayor, be, and hereby is, requested to obtain and deliver to the City Council, within one week of the receipt hereof, the following information:

1. List of all active employees as of June 30, 2014 with the name, title, department, annual salary, hiring date, gender, race and residency.

2. List of all new hires by name, title, department, annual salary, hiring date, gender, race and residency between April 1, 2014 to June 30, 2014.

3. List of all promotions by name, title, department, annual salary, hiring date, gender, race and residency between April 1, 2014 to June 30, 2014.

4. List of all terminations by name, title, department, annual salary, hiring date, gender, race and residency between April 1, 2014 to June 30, 2014.

On motion of Councilor YANCEY, the rules were suspended; the order was passed.

ORDER REQUESTING CERTAIN INFORMATION UNDER SECTION 17F: LIST OF ACTIVE EMPLOYEES AS OF MARCH 31, 2014 WITH NAME, TITLE, DEPARTMENT, ANNUAL SALARY, HIRING DATE, GENDER, RACE AND RESIDENCY AND LIST OF ALL NEW HIRES, PROMOTIONS AND TERMINATIONS BY THE NAME, TITLE, DEPARTMENT, ANNUAL SALARY, HIRING DATE, GENDER, RACE AND RESIDENCY BETWEEN JANUARY 1, 2014 TO MARCH 31, 2014 (DOCKET NO. 0413)

Councilor YANCEY offered the following:

ORDERED: That, under the provisions of Section 17F of Chapter 376 the Acts of 1951, as amended, and under any other applicable provision of law, His Honor, the Mayor, be, and hereby is, requested to obtain and deliver to the City Council, within one week of the receipt hereof, the following information:

1. List of all active employees as of March 31, 2014 with the name, title, department, annual salary, hiring date, gender, race and residency.

2. List of all new hires by name, title, department, annual salary, hiring date, gender, race and residency between January 1, 2014 to March 31, 2014.
3. List of all promotions by name, title, department, annual salary, hiring date, gender, race and residency between January 1, 2014 to March 31, 2014.

4. List of all terminations by name, title, department, annual salary, hiring date, gender, race and residency between January 1, 2014 to March 31, 2014.

On motion of Councilor YANCEY, the rules were suspended; the order was passed.

ORDER REQUESTING CERTAIN INFORMATION UNDER SECTION 17F: RE: LIST OF ALL BOARDS, COMMISSIONS & AUTHORITIES FOR CITY OF BOSTON BY NAME, DATE ESTABLISHED, ENABLING LEGISLATION, NAME, TITLE, RACE, GENDER, ADDRESS & TERM (DOCKET NO. 0414)

Councilor YANCEY offered the following:

ORDERED: That, under the provisions of Section 17F of Chapter 376 the Acts of 1951, as amended, and under any other applicable provision of law, His Honor, the Mayor, be, and hereby is, requested to obtain and deliver to the City Council, within one week of the receipt hereof) the following information:

1. List of all Boards, Commissions and Authorities for the City of Boston by name, date established and enabling legislation.

2. List Board, Commission and Authority members by name, title, race, gender, address and term.

On motion of Councilor YANCEY, the rules were suspended; the order was passed.

ORDER REQUESTING CERTAIN INFORMATION UNDER SECTION 17F: RE: LIST OF ALL NON-BID CONTRACTS FY2013 AND YTD FY2014 BY NAME OF CONTRACTOR, GENDER, DEPARTMENT, ADDRESS, AMOUNT AND RACE (DOCKET NO. 0415)

Councilor YANCEY offered the following:

ORDERED: That, under the provisions of Section 17F of Chapter 376 the Acts of 1951, as amended, and under any other applicable provision of law, His Honor, the Mayor, be, and hereby is, requested to obtain and deliver to the City Council, within one week of the receipt hereof, the following information:

1. List of all no-bid contracts for FY2013 by name of contractor, gender, department, address, amount and race.

2. List of all no-bid contracts for Year- To-Date FY2014 by name of contractor, gender, department, address, amount and race.

On motion of Councilor YANCEY, the rules were suspended; the order was passed.

ORDER REQUESTING CERTAIN INFORMA.TION UNDER SECTION 17F: RE: VEOLIA TRANSPORTATION CONCERNING EVENTS OF OGTOBER 8, 2013 (DOCKET NO. 0416)

Councilor YANCEY offered the following:

ORDERED: That, under the provisions of Section 17F of Chapter 376 the Acts of 1951, as amended, and under any other applicable provision of law, His Honor, the Mayor, be, and hereby is, requested to obtain and deliver to the City Council, within one week of the receipt hereof, the following information:

Questions for Veolia Transportation concerning the events of October 8, 2013:

1: Who gave the order to lock the bus yard gates on Oct the 8th?

2: Why were high ranking Veolia management officials in the bus yards from 4:30 AM on Oct. 8th? Did they have pre-knowledge that there was a dispute?

3: Why was there no order on Oct. 8th in any bus yard from Veolia management to the drivers to board their buses?

4: Why, when there was sufficient time prior to any BPS students being picked up in the morning, did the Veolia management on site not agree to a meeting with the union?

5: Detail all actions taken by the employer on the morning of Oct 8th to settle the dispute and return to normal operations.

6: Was Alex Roman the lead responsible Veoliarepresentative in the bus yards for dealing with the events of Oct 8th? If not, who was?

7: Who gave the order to call the police and evict City Councilor Yancey from Veolia/BPS property when he showed up at the Freeport St. bus yard to mediate the dispute on Oct. 8th?

8: Did BPS seek damages from Veolia (including but not limited to costs of police details, costs of alternative transportation, 1/180 of its management fee in liquidated damages, etc.) as penalties for the events of Oct. 8th ?

Questions regarding Veolia's Investigation of the events of Oct. 8th?

1. Did Veolia interview any of the hundreds of bus driver witnesses to the events of Oct. 8th available to it in the union's mass affidavit?

2. Did Veolia engage out of state lawyers who are not licensed to practice in the state of Massachusetts to investigate the events of Oct. 8th, then provide suspect "witness" affidavits that were then recanted?

3. Did the company ignore certain statements provided by management employees because those statements were exculpatory in nature to the investigation of the four fired union leaders' assertions?

4. Why, when Veolia disciplined by letter 864 employees for the events of Oct. 8th, did Veolia single out the 4 union leaders for tennination? In fact, why did Veolia reduce union leader Richard Lynch's discipline to a written warning when he was initially charged with the same alleged offenses as the four tenninated union leaders?

Questions for the Boston Public Schools concerning the events of October 8, 2013:

1: Why was Kimberly Rice, CEO of BPS, at the Freeport St. bus yard before 5:00 am on the morning of Oct the 8th? And why was Carl Allen, Director of Transportation for BPS, in the Readville bus yard prior to 5:00 AM?

2: What infonnation, discussions and/or communications did Ms. Rice and Mr. Allen have with Veolia and the union regarding any possible dispute?

3: Why did Ms. Rice and Mr. Allen play no role on Oct. 8th in the bus yards attempting to either resolve the dispute they were witnessing or to order Veolia management to order the drivers onto the buses?

4: Did either of these or other BPS officials give the order to initiate the illegal lockout in the b:us yards?

5: Why did BPS official~ fail to instruct the company to agree to a meeting to resolve the dispute?

6: What role did BPS officials have in the discriminatory firing ofthe four union officers?

7: Did BPS seek remedy from Veolia as per their vendor agreement for failure to provide transportation services on Oct. 8th?

8: Who gave the information to acting Superintendent McDonough regarding the alleged "wild cat strike" of Oct. 8th?

9: Who gave the order to issue daily robocalls to BPS parents and staff warning of daily "wild cat strike" threats by the school bus drivers, as well as initiating extraordinary procedures, for example opening schools an hour early, and advising parents to seek alternative transportation?

10: Who gave BPS the information identifying the so-call "rogue" element in the Questions for Mayor Menino concerning the events of October 8, 2013:

Questions for Mayor Menino concerning the events of October 8, 2013:

1: When did the Mayor become aware of the events of October the 8th?

2: Who supplied the Mayor with the information of the alleged "wild cat strike"?

3: Did the Mayor give the order to initiate the lockout in the morning of Oct. 8th?

4: Who assembled or organized the Mayor's press conference in the morning of Oct. 8th that included BPS officials, the Superintendent of Schools and top Veolia officials?

5: Did the Mayor have communications with either the local union or the international union regarding the events of Oct 8th?

6: When the Mayor gave his press conference demanding the bus drivers return to work, after the 11:35 lockout, was he aware that the lockout was in progress?

7: Did the Mayor order the School Department to orchestrate the daily robo-calls panic campaign alleging impending "wild cat" school bus strikes for nearly three weeks?

8: Did the Mayor's office instruct the Franklin Park Development Tenant Association to issue its leaflet of October 31 st declaring a school bus "Wild Cat" strike?

9: Who gave the Mayor the information identifying the so-call "rogue" element in the school bus drivers' union?

10: Did the Mayor issue a no-trespass order against duly elected union officers, threatening them with arrest?

11: Did the Mayor direct the Veolia corporation to flre the four union leaders?

Questions for Veolia and BPS Related to Veolia's vendor contract with the city:

1: Why did the city award the vendor contract to Veolia and not the lowest responsible bidder, Transpro Logistics?

2: Why has the city eliminated bus driver "late to school" forms and the filing of "late to school" reports which are vital to recording and documenting on time pick up/drop off and documented reasons for late to school arrivals?

3: Did BPS seek to enforce the "harmonious labor relations" clause ofthe vendor agreement regarding USW Local 8751 and Veolia?

4: In June 2013, did BPS order then vendor First Student to allow Veolia Transportation to use GPS-based technology to route and flat-rate school bus routes for the summer session, in clear violation of the Collective Bargaining Agreement with the United Steelworkers?

5: Did BPS order Veolia Transportation to eliminate time clocks and employee generated payroll documentation (Daily Bus Reports), resulting in chronic, systematic and extensive payroll problems?

6: Did BPS agree to pay the additional 10% on Long Term Disability for Veolia, which cost was fonnerly borne by the prior vendor, First Student?

7: Did BPS direct Veolia corporation to provide employee benefits inferior to those required by the United Steelworkers collective bargaining agreement?

8: Did BPS direct Veolia to change the decades-established driver check¬in procedure?

9: Is BPS aware of the current Unfair Labor Practice charges lodged against Veolia currently being investigated by the regional branch of the National Labor Relations Board?

10: Is BPS aware ofVeolia's failure to schedule and inlplement any of the labor agreements mandated committees (Safety, Route Review, Civil Rights, Facilities, Childcare, Occupational Safety and Health, etc.)?

11: Can the BPS detail the conditions of the new "Incentive" section of the vendor agreement regarding incentives to the vendor for cost savings?

12: Can the BPS provide the actual payments to date to Veolia under the new "Incentive" section of the vendor agreement?

13: Can the BPS detail the agreement for Veolia to flnance the Clear Channel public relations campaign on the return to neighborhood schools?

14: Can Veolia explain why, after signing an agreement to honor the labor agreement's terms and conditions on June 18,2013, it proceeded to engage in activity that has lead to 18 counts of Unfair Labor Practices with the federal government and to date nearly 200 grievance filed by union stewards alleging violations in terms and conditions of the labor agreement?

On motion of Councilor YANCEY, the rules were suspended; the order was passed.

ORDER REQUESTING CERTAIN INFORMATION UNDER SECTION 17F: RE: LIST OF ACTIVE EMPLOYEES AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2014 WITH NAME, TITLE, DEPARTMENT, ANNUAL SALARY, HIRING DATE, GENDER, RACE AND RESIDENCY AND A LIST OF ALL NEW HIRES, PROMOTIONS AND TERMINATION BY THE NAME, TITLE, DEPARTMENT, ANNUAL SALARY, HIRING DATE, GENDER, RACE AND RESIDENCY BETWEEN OCTOBER 31, 2014 TO DECEMBER 31, 2014 (DOCKET NO. 0417)

ORDERED: That, under the provisions of Section 17F of Chapter 376 the Acts of 1951, as amended, and under any other applicable provision of law, His Honor, the Mayor, be, and hereby is, requested to obtain and deliver to the City Council, within one week of the receipt hereof, the following information:

1. List of all active employees as of December 31, 2014 with the name, title, department, annual salary, hiring date, gender, race and residency.

2. List of all new hires by name, title, department, annual salary, hiring date, gender, race and residency between October 1, 2014 to December 31, 2014.

3. List of all promotions by name, title, department, annual salary, hiring date, gender, race and residency between October 1, 2014 to December 31, 2014.

4. List of all terminations by name, title, department, annual salary, hiring date, gender, race and residency between October 1, 2014 to December 31, 2014.

On motion of Councilor YANCEY, the rules were suspended; the order was passed.

ORDER REQUESTING CERTAIN INFORMATION UNDER SECTION 17F: RE: LIST ALL ACTIVE EMPLOYEES AS OF SEPTEMBER 30, 2014 WITH NAME, TITLE, PEPARTMENT, ANNUAL SALARY, HIRING DATE, GENDER, RACE AND RESIDENCY AND A LIST OF ALL NEW HIRES, PR,OMOTIONS AND TERMINATION BY THE NAME, TITLE, DEPARTMENT, ANNUAL SALARY, HIRING DATE, GENDER, RACE AND RESIDENCY BETWEEN JULY 1, 2014 TO SEPTEMBER 30, 2014 (DOCKET NO. 0418)

Councilor YANCEY offered the following:

ORDERED: That, under the provisions of Section 17F of Chapter 376 the Acts of 1951, as amended, and under any other applicable provision of law, His Honor, the Mayor, be, and hereby is, requested to obtain and deliver to the City Council, within one week of the receipt hereof, the following information:

1. List of all active employees as of September 30, 2014 with the name, title, department, annual salary, hiring date, gender, race and residency.

2. List of all new hires by name, title, department, annual salary, hiring date, gender, race and residency between July 1, 2014 to September 30, 2014.

3. List of all promotions by name, title, department, annual salary, hiring date, gender, race and residency between July 1, 2014 to September 30, 2014.

4. List of all terminations by name, title, department, annual salary, hiring date, gender, race and residency between July 1, 2014 to September 30, 2014.

On motion of Councilor YANCEY, the rules were suspended; the order was passed.

Councilor CIOMMO in the chair.

ORDER APPROVING PETITION FOR SPECIAL LAW RE: ACT REGARDING TAX ON CERTAIN ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES (DOCKET NO. 0419)

Councilors LINEHAN, BAKER and JACKSON offered the following:

WHEREAS, the neighborhoods in the City of Boston are experiencing the adverse effects of substance abuse and addictions which lead to an increase in crime; and,

WHEREAS, substance abuse prevention and treatment programs are important services that provide assistance to those individuals suffering from addition. THEREFORE BE IT

ORDERED, That a petition to the General Court, accompanied by a bill for a special law relating to the City of Boston to be filed with an attested copy of this order be, and hereby is, approved under Clause 1 of Section 8 of Article II, as amended, of the , Articles of Amendment to the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, to the end that legislation be adopted precisely as follows, except for clerical or editorial changes of form only:

PETITION FOR A SPECIAL LAW RE: AN ACT REGARDING A TAX ON CERTAIN ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES

Section 1. Notwithstanding the provisions of any general or special law to the contrary, the City of Boston may impose a local sales tax of 1% to 2% on the sale of alcoholic beverages sold at package and liquor stores for off-premises consumption and may also impose a local sales tax of 1% to 2% on the sale of alcoholic beverages tor consumption on the premises. The revenue generated from the local sales taxes under this act shall be used to fund prevention and treatment programs for substance abuse in the City of Boston.

Section 2. The provisions of this act shall take effect upon its passage.

Referred to the Committee on Government Operations.

Councilor LINEHAN in the chair.

RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF BOSTON HOUSING AUTHORITY'S DESIGNATED HOUSING PLAN TO INCREASE PERCENTAGE OF PUBLIC HOUSING UNITS DEDICATED TO SENIORS (DOCKET NO. 0420)

Councilors PRESSLEY, BAKER, MURPHY, CIOMMO, FLAHERTY, JACKSON, LAMATTINA, MCCARTHY, O'MALLEY, WU, YANCEY, ZAKIM and LINEHAN offered the following:

WHEREAS, Seniors in every neighborhood across Boston are in need of affordable housing units near service providers, family, and friends where they can spend their later years; and,

WHEREAS, Seniors represent the fastest-growing population in Boston, and by 2030 one in five households will be headed by a senior; and

WHEREAS, According to the 2014 report by the UMass Center for Social and Demographic Research on Aging Gerontology Institute, between 2000 and 2010, Boston saw an increase of 11% seniors age 60 and older, far outpacing the general population growth of 5% during the same period.

WHEREAS, Despite this rapid increase, the Boston Housing Authority has not been authorized to increase its elderly designation from 70% since its First Federal Department of Housing and Urban Development (FF-HUD) approved Designated Housing Plan in 1999; and

WHEREAS, The BHA's proposed Designated Housing Plan, submitted to HUD on February 5th, will designate 80% of housing for seniors over the age of 62 years old, and 20% of housing for non-elderly disabled individuals; and,

WHEREAS, This housing allocation will bring Boston in line with other cities and towns here in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and around the country who have HUD-approved designated housing plans at the same or higher percentages; and,

WHEREAS, Both populations are in need of affordable housing and the BHA offers hundreds of vouchers as an alternative affordable housing resource for the non-elderly disabled.

THEREFORE BE IT

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the City of Boston is directed to transmit a copy of this resolution to the Boston Housing Authority and to the Department of Housing and Urban Development.

RESOLVED, That the Boston City Council, in meeting assembled, goes on record in support of the Boston Housing Authority's Designated Housing Plan to increase the number of public housing units dedicated to seniors, and; THEREFORE BE IT FURTHER

On motion of Councilors PRESSLEY and BAKER, the rules were suspended; the resolution was adopted; yeas 13.

ORDER FOR HEARING TO DISCUSS ADDITIONAL 911 DATA FOR FASTER MORE EFFECTIVE RESPONSE (DOCKET NO. 0421)

Councilors MURPHY, FLAHERTY, YANCEY, ZAKIM, JACKSON, PRESSLEY, O'MALLEY, LAMATTINA,JACKSON, CIOMMO and LINEHAN offered the following:

WHEREAS, Today, according the FCC 75% off all 911 calls are wirelesses only providing minimal Information about that caller including their phone number and rough location data; and

WHEREAS, The City of Boston is now taking their own 911 wireless calls directly rather than going to Massachusetts State Police before being transferred back to Boston 911; and

WHEREAS, The vulnerable population of the City does not have an effective way to inform 911 and public safety of an existing condition within their household prior to calling 911; and

WHEREAS, Providing additional information about that caller to 911 and first responders including photographs, physical descriptions and additional location information such as an apartment number or access notes can dramatically reduce response times and save lives; and

WHEREAS, Smart911 is a platform that allows citizens for free to share additional data about their family including types of medications, pets that are in the household, or any relevant access or functional needs information key to 911 and first responders; and

WHEREAS, Smart911 allows for 911 to text back any wireless call. Individuals who are unresponsive such as a deaf or hard of hearing caller, a person unable or afraid to speak, or even abandoned or dropped calls can be resolved more efficiently and effectively via a text conversation; and

WHERES, When that individual calls 911, their Smart911 safety profile is automatically delivered to 911 and first responders in the field helping to reduce response times and enhance public safety within the city to its residents, commuters and visitors. Therefore Be It,

ORDERED, That the appropriate committee of the Boston City Council holds a hearing to discuss the implementation of Smart911 technology. Representatives from the Boston Police Department, Office Emergency Management, Boston Public Schools and other interested parties shall be invited.

Referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

LATE-FILED MATTERS

The Chair stated that in absence of objection, six late-filed matters would be added to the Agenda.

No objection being heard, the following matters were added:

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES (DOCKET NO. 0462).

President LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, February 21, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, April 17, 2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:

Arthur A. Natella, Secretary, $1,250.00, full time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

COMMUNICATION FROM PRESIDENT LINEHAN RE: START TIME OF MARCH 4, 2015 BOSTON CITY COUNCIL MEETING (DOCKET NO. 0463)

Communication was received from Council President Bill Linehan regarding change of start time for the March 4, 2015 meeting from 12:00 p.m to 2:00 p.m.

Place on file.

ORDER FOR HEARING RE: 2024 SUMMER OLYMPICS (DOCKET NO. 0464)

Councilor LINEHAN offered the following:

WHEREAS, Boston 2024 is organization assembled to back the effort to bring the 2024 Olympics to the City of Boston.

WHEREAS, On January 8, 2015, the United States Olympic Committee selected Boston to move forward as the US's bid to be the host city and Boston will now compete world-wide for the honor.

WHEREAS, The International Olympic Committee will select the host city in 2017; and,

WHEREAS, If selected as host city, the City of Boston will be impacted by the Olympics. It is important that the city's residents have input in the bid process involving the Olympics;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT ORDERED, That the appropriate committee of the Boston City Council holds a hearing to hear a presentation on the 2024 Summer Olympics to initiate the discussion and give the Boston City Council an opportunity to vet concerns;

AND BE IT FURTHER ORDERED, That representatives from the Boston 2024 and other interested parties shall be invited to attend.

Referred to the Special Committee on Olympics 2024.

ORDER FOR HEARING TO DISCUSS EFFECT OF 2015 SNOW STORMS ON BOSTON BUSINESSES (DOCKET NO. 0465)

Councilor JACKSON offered the following:

WHEREAS: This winter's snow storms and blizzard made significant impact on businesses in Boston; and
WHEREAS: During and after the snow emergencies many businesses were closed as many workers were unable to make it work; and
WHEREAS: After the snow storms, many businesses experienced a slow start as significantly less numbers of patrons were unable to shop for goods or obtain services; and
WHEREAS: The lack of sales and services impact the city's economy and disproportionately affect small businesses; and, NOW
THEREFORE BE IT ORDERED, That the appropriate committee of the Boston City Council hold a hearing to discuss the effect of the 2015 snow storms on Boston's businesses and that representatives from the business community, the Small Business Association, the Department of Neighborhood Development,.and other interested parties be invited to attend and testify.

Referred to the Committee on Economic Development and Planning and Labor.

ORDER FOR HEARING RE: USE OF MOBILE APPLICATIONS FOR PUBLIC WORKS SERVICES (DOCKET NO. 0466)

Councilors JACKSON, MCCARTHY, O'MALLEY, CIOMMO, LAMATTINA, MURPHY, YANCEY, ZAKIM, LINEHAN and PRESSLEY offered the following:

WHEREAS: The City of Boston has made significant efforts to update residents and neighborhoods regarding public works services; and
WHEREAS: The introduction Connect Citizens empower residents to report and alert the City of Boston to neighborhood issues; and
WHEREAS: The City of Boston could further modernize the public works services by adopting other smart phone applications for City Public Works contractors and employees to communicate with residents; and
WHEREAS: Citizens should be able to report or alert public works about nonemergency issues in their neighborhoods directly to the public works employee or contractor and receive updates about the requested service from the public works employee or contractor; and
WHEREAS: The mobile application should allow the public works employee or contractor to immediately receive the alert, find the most efficient routes in addressing the issues, and update the residents about the requested service via the mobile application in real time; and, NOW
THEREFORE BE IT ORDERED, That the appropriate committee of the Boston City Council hold a hearing to discuss the exploration and adoption of mobile application strategies to address and enhance the public works services across the city; and
BE IT FURTHER ORDERED, That representatives from the Department of Public Works, the Office of New Urban Mechanics, other appropriate City departments and offices, and interested parties be invited to attend and testify.

Referred to the Committee on City, Neighborhood Services and Veterans Affairs.

ORDER FOR HEARING TO REVIEW CURRENT MBTA INFRASTRUCTURE AND NEEDS FOR FUTURE INVESTMENT (DOCKET NO. 0467)

Councilors JACKSON, PRESSLEY, LAMATTINA and YANCEY offered the following:

WHEREAS: The Massachusetts Bay Transportation Authority ("MBTA") services over 1.2 million riders per weekday and is a critical connector between passengers and businesses, employers, and other economic activities in Boston and the surrounding area; and
WHEREAS: The many years of neglect, lack of investment and lack of capital upgrades have led to a transportation crisis; and
WHEREAS: The 2015 winter storms brought additional attention to the outdated public transportation infrastructure of the MBTA; and
WHEREAS: The outdated public transportation infrastructure and lack of investment effect the Boston economy and will have devastating consequences on Boston's future economic growth; and
WHEREAS: The lack of public transportation services and equal access to affordable and reliable transportation disproportionately affect lower income neighborhoods as low-income people disproportionately lose out on educational, employment, health care, and affordable housing opportunities; and, NOW
THEREFORE BE IT ORDERED, That the appropriate committee of the Boston City Council hold a hearing to review the current MBT A infrastructure and needs for future investment and that representatives from the MBT A, the Boston Transportation Department, other appropriate City of Boston departments and agencies, and other interested parties be invited to attend and testify.

Referred to the Special Committee on Transportation, Public Infrastructure, Planning and Investment.

CONSENT AGENDA

The Chair moved adoption of a Consent Agenda in which the following-named Councilors offered resolutions of a condolence or congratulatory nature as set forth after each Councilor's name:

Councilor Ciommo: In memory of Gerarda Leone (Docket No. 0422)
Councilor LaMattina: In memory of Achille "Leo" DeLeo (Docket No. 0423) In memory of Alfonso Paul Cacchiotti (Docket No. 0424) In memory of Alfred Siciliano (Docket No. 0425) In memory of Beverly Marie D'Amico-Piazza (Docket No. 0426)
Councilor O'Malley: Recognizing Mary Clessas (Docket No. 0427)
Councilor LaMattina: In memory of John Thomas "Jack" Sullivan (Docket No. 0428)
Councilors Ciommo and Murphy: In memory of Sarah I. DiCicco (Docket No. 0429)
Councilor Linehan: Recognizing James Kelly (Docket No. 0430)
Councilor Ciommo: In memory of Margaret M. Ridge (Docket No. 0431)
Councilor Pressley: Recognizing Young Women in Digital (Docket No. 0432) Recognizing FUNDOARCU (Docket No. 0433)
Councilor LaMattina: In memory of Natalie J. Harris (Docket No. 0434)
Councilor Ciommo: In memory of Raymond W. Sleeper (Docket No. 0435)
Councilor LaMattina: In memory of Kenneth English (Docket No. 0436)
Councilor Yancey: In memory of William P. Hill (Docket No. 0437) In memory of Dorothy M. Boyd (Docket No. 0438)
Councilor O'Malley: Recognizing Officer Rafael

Rodriguez (Docket No. 0439) Recognizing Geraldina Arias (Docket No. 0440) Recognizing Dario Collado (Docket No. 0441) Recognizing Jennifer Bencosme (Docket No. 0442)

Councilor Pressley on behalf of all Councilors: Recognizing Curdina Hill (Docket No. 0443) Recognizing Marvin Martin (Docket No. 0444) Recognizing Deborah Hughes (Docket No. 0445)

Councilor Jackson: Recognizing The Turner Family (Docket No. 0446)

Councilor Pressley: Recognizing Karla Nicholson (Docket No. 0447)

Councilor Yancey: Recognizing Samantha Reid (Docket No. 0448) Honoring Malcolm X (Docket No. 0449)

Councilors Linehan and Flaherty: In memory of Eileen M. Dwyer (Docket No. 0450) In memory of Mary M. Sullivan (Docket No. 0451) In memory of Matthew "Matt" King (Docket No. 0452) In memory of Lambi "Al" Adams (Docket No. 0453)

Councilor Linehan: In memory of TransAsia Airways Flight 235 (Docket No. 0454)

Councilors Linehan and Flaherty: Congratulating the five 2015 Unsung Hero Recipients - South Boston Citizens Association (Docket No. 0455)

Councilor Pressley on behalf of all Councilors: Recognizing The Black Directors Alliance (Docket No. 0456)

Councilor O'Malley: Recognizing World Spay Day (Docket No. 0457)

Councilors Linehan on behalf of all Councilor: In memory of Edith Hayes Linehan (Docket No. 0458)

Councilor Linehan: In memory of Mary C. O'Haire (Docket No. 0459)

Councilor Yancey: In memory of Minnie Mae Murphy (Docket No. 0460)

Councilor Jackson: Congratulating the Blackstone / Franklin Square Neighborhood Association (Docket No. 0461)

The Chair stated that in the absence of objection, nine late-filed matter would be added to the Consent Agenda.

No objection being heard, the following matter was added:

Councilor Jackson: In memory of Prescott "Rick Thompson" (Docket No. 0468)

Councilor LaMattina: In memory of Fred White (Docket No. 0469), In memory of Ronald H. Hardaway (Docket No. 0470)

Councilor Yancey: Declaring February 26, 2015 as Professor Ronald S. Sullivan, Jr. Day (Docket No. 0471) In memory of Willie Mae Cruthird (Docket No. 0472) In memory of Robert Charles Guillemin (Docket No. 0473) In memory of Morgan S. Dowden (Docket No. 0474) In memory of Harry R. Thompson (Docket No. 0475)) Congratulating 11 people in Tenant Development Corporation (Docket No. 0476)

The matters contained within the Consent Agenda were severally adopted.

STATEMENT OF COUNCILOR YANCEY

Having unanimous consent to do so, Councilor YANCEY wanted to invite the Councilors and the public to a celebration here at City Hall from 12 to 2 p.m. recognizing Black History Month.

NEXT MEETING

Adjourned at 2:25 p.m. on motion of President Linehan and in memory of Sarah DiCicco, Gerarda Leone, Margaret M. Ridge, Raymond W. Sleeper, Kenneth English, Natalie Harris, Ronald A. Hardaway, Jerry Tordiglione, Fred White, Lambi "Al" Adams, Eileen M. Dwyer, Matthew "Matt" King, Mary E. O'Haire, Monica M. Sullivan, Willie Mae Cruthird, Dorothy Boyd, Morgan S. Dowden, William P. Hill, Robert Wells Norton and Edith Hayes Linehan, and a special birthday wish to President Linehan's granddaughter Juliet, to meet again on Wednesday, March 4, 2015 at 2:00 p.m.

Note: All debate of City Council eliminated from proceedings in accordance with Chapter 447, Acts of 1947.

CITY OF BOSTON

Proceedings of the Boston City Council

Wednesday, March 4, 2015

Regular meeting of the City Council held in the Christopher A. Iannella Chamber, City Hall, at 2:00 p.m. President Linehan in the Chair.

INVOCATION

Father Gustave Miracle, St. Angela's Parish, delivered the invocation, and the meeting was opened with the pledge of allegiance to the flag.

STATEMENT OF PRESIDENT LINEHAN

President LINEHAN moved to adopt the minutes from the February 25, 2015 meeting. **Motion prevailed.**

ORDER FOR APPROVAL OF HOME RULE PETITION TO GENERAL COURT ENTITLED "PETITION FOR SPECIAL LAW RE: ACT RELATIVE TO SNOW REMOVAL PENALITIES (DOCKET NO. 0477)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

February 27, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith and for your approval a petition to the General Court which would allow the City to impose fines of up to $1,500.00 on persons failing to act responsibly in removing snow, slush or ice. The home rule petition would allow the City to increase fines in three areas.

First, such fine could be assessed against any person who removes snow, slush or ice from any property, public or private, and throws it onto a public way. The petition takes the definition of "person" as it appears in Section 7 of Chapter 4 of the General Laws, and includes corporat!ons, associations and societies.

Second, owners of property abutting sidewalks would be subject to such a fine for failure to remove snow, slush or ice in accordance with City ordinances.

Third, owners of property abutting curb ramps would likewise be subject to such a fine for failure to remove snow, slush or ice from the curb ramp in accordance with City ordinances.

It is my intention that, once this home rule petition is enacted by the General Court and signed by the Governor. to work with the City Council expeditiously to amend the City Code to establish an updated snow fine structure that serves as an adequate deterrent and considers the distinction between commercial entities and residents who commit violations.

Commercial entities and residents who plow or shovel snow onto roads are in clear violation of snow removal regulations, as are those who leave sidewalks unshoveled. However, with a cap of only $300 for any type of snow infraction, the current fine structure does not effectively deter this behavior, nor does it raise enough revenue to help defray some of the added costs these violations create.

The City of Boston is currently dealing with historic snowfall. Snow removal efforts have already cost upwards of $40 million. Illegally dumping snow onto public roads severely worsens an already challenging snow removal process, compounds our workload, raises our costs and increases safety risks for drivers. Additionally, failing to remove snow from sidewalks and curb ramps puts lives at danger. It is a problem for every pedestrian, but it is especially difficult for our children, for the disabled, and for the elderly to face deep, unshoveled sidewalks, and be forced to walk in the road.

We have seen the negative impact of irresponsible behavior from contractors who plow snow from private property onto streets, to property owners who fail to clear sidewalks in accordance with current City ordinances and those who fail to dig out curb ramps. All of these actions or non-actions have a negative effect on public safety and welfare and serve to break: down the bonds of community.

I urge your Honorable Body to pass this Home Rule Petition in an expeditious manner.

Respectfully Submitted,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

AN ACT RELATIVE TO SNOW REMOVAL PENALTIES

ORDERED: That a petition to the General Court, accompanied by a bill for a special law relating to the City of Boston to be flled with an attested copy of this order be, and hereby is, approved under Clause (1) of Section eight of Article two, as amended, of the Amendments to the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, to the end that legislation be adopted providing precisely as follows, except for clerical or editorial changes of form only:----

Whereas, the deferred operation of this act would tend to defeat its purpose, which is to improve and enhance public safety during snow emergencies in the City of Boston, therefore, it is hereby declared to be an emergency law, necessary for the immediate preservation of the public health and safety.

Section 1. Notwithstanding any general or special law to the contrary, the City of Boston by ordinance may impose a fine of up to one thousand five hundred dollars on any person who removes snow, slush or ice from any property, public or private, and places it upon a public way.

Section 2. The City of Boston may by ordinance impose a fine of up to one thousand five hundred dollars on any owner of a building, estate, or land abutting on a sidewalk who fails to remove snow, slush or ice from said sidewalk.

Section 3. The City of Boston may by ordinance impose a fine of up to one thousand five hundred dollars on any owner of a building, estate, or land abutting one (1) or more curb ramps who fails to remove snow, slush or ice from said ramp or ramps.

Section 4. Notwithstanding section 5 of Chapter 40U, fines imposed under ordinances enacted pursuant to this Chapter shall be governed by the provisions of Chapter 40U.

Section 5. "Person" shall have the meaning given in section 7 of Chapter 4 of the General Laws.

Section 6. This law will take effect upon passage.

Referred to the Committee on Government Operations.

COMMUNICATION RECEIVED FROM RONALD W. RAKOW, ASSESSING COMMISSIONER, OF APPOINTMENTS OF BRYAN GAINS AND LUIS AGUILAR AS ASSISTANT ASSESSORS (DOCKET NO. 0478)

Communication was received from Ronald W. Rakow, Assessing Commissioner, of the appointments of Bryan Gains and Luis Aguilar as Assistant Assessors.
Placed on file.

COMMUNICATION RECEIVED FROM JOSEPH E. CONNARTON, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF BOSTON RETIREMENT BOARD ON APPROPRIATION FOR FY2016 WHICH COMMENCES JULY 1, 2015 FOR NON- TEACHERS (DOCKET NO. 0479)

Communication was received from Joseph E. Connarton, Executive Director of the Boston Retirement Board on the Appropriation for FY2016 which commences July 1, 2015 for Non- Teachers.
Placed on file.

REPORT ON ORDER AUTHORIZING ISSUANCE OF TAX-EXEMPT REFUNDING BONDS IN PRINCIPAL AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED $65,000,000 IN ORDER TO PAY PRINCIPAL, REDEMPTION PREMIUM, IF ANY, AND INTEREST ON BONDS OR OTHER OBLIGATIONS TO BE REFUNDED AND COSTS OF ISSUANCE OF REFUNDING BONDS (DOCKET NO. 0378)

Councilor CIOMMO, on behalf of the Committee on Ways and Means, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 0378, message of the Mayor and order authorizing the issuance of tax¬exempt refunding bonds in a principal amount not to exceed Sixty-Five Million Dollars ($65,000,000.00) in order to pay the principal, redemption premium, if any, and interest on the bonds or other obligations to be refunded and costs of issuance of the refunding bonds (referred February 25) - recommending passage of the order.

The report was accepted; the order was passed; yeas 13.

ORDINANCE AMENDING CBC SECTION 6-6.3, SCHEDULE OF PARKING FINES (DOCKET NO. 0267)

This matter which was recently heard for possible action was remanded back to the Committee on Government Operations.

REPORT ON ORDER FOR HEARING TO DISCUSS ROCA'S CONTINUED WORK IN BOSTON (DOCKET NO. 0374)

Councilor MURPHY, on behalf of the Committee on Public Safety, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 0374, order for a hearing to discuss ROCA's Continued Work in Boston (referred February 11) - recommending passage of the order.

The report was accepted; the order was passed.

Councilor CIOMMO in the Chair.

ORDER FOR HEARING REGARDING BOSTON 2030 TO DEVELOP POLICIES AND PROJECTS TO IMPROVE TRANSPORTATION INFRASTRUCTURE FOR CITY'S RESIDENTS (DOCKET NO. 0480)

Councilors LINEHAN, JACKSON, FLAHERTY, MCCARTHY, O'MALLEY, PRESSLEY, WU, YANCEY, ZAKIM, BAKER and CIOMMO offered the following:

WHEREAS, Boston 2030 is an initiative proposed by Mayor Martin J. Walsh to address transportation matters for Boston in the future; and,

WHEREAS, The objective of Boston 2030 is to develop policies and projects to improve the transportation infrastructure for the city's residents; and,

WHEREAS, The two-year process will be driven by data and steered through a public engagement process. Transportation matters have a significant impact on city's residents and economy.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT ORDERED, That the appropriate committee of the Boston City Council holds a hearing to have Boston 2030 present and discuss their plans. Representatives from Boston 2030, the City of Boston, and other interested parties shall be invited to attend.

Referred to the Special Committee on Transportation, Public Infrastructure, Planning and Investment.

President LINEHAN in the Chair

ORDER FOR HEARING TO DISCUSS CITY'S SPRING CLEAN-UP AND STREET SWEEPING STRATEGY (DOCKET NO. 0481)

Councilors O'MALLEY, FLAHERTY, BAKER, CIOMMO, JACKSON, LAMATTINA, MCCARTHY, MURPHY, PRESSLEY, WU, YANCEY, ZAKIM and LINEHAN offered the following:

WHEREAS: More than eight feet of snow fell on the City of Boston between January 28 and February 15, 2015; and

WHEREAS: The record-setting snow accumulation has created huge snow banks and narrowed streets, hindering the city's trash and recycling pick-up and resulting in long delays for garbage and recycling removal; and

WHEREAS: Sand, road salt, trash and other refuse will litter the city's streets once the snow melts; and

WHEREAS: The Boston City Council convened the Clean Boston Task Force which continues to work on improving litter reduction, street cleanliness, trash removal and other related issues; and

WHEREAS: There will be increased demands on the city's street sweeping program in the coming weeks; and

WHEREAS: The city should increase its street and sidewalk clean-up efforts in the city's Main Streets Districts to further support small neighborhood businesses and improve local shopping and dining areas; and

WHEREAS: Public parks, play grounds, ball fields and other outdoor open spaces may have been damaged by the excessive snow and sub-zero temperatures; and

WHEREAS: A quick rise in temperature could cause flooding and damage to homes, businesses and public property; and

WHEREAS: The city's Boston Shines Program, organized through the Mayor's Office of Neighborhood Services, has held a citywide clean-up every spring since the program's inception in 2002 and works to beautifY the city after each winter with the help of dedicated neighborhood volunteers; and

WHEREAS: The City of Boston has spent approximitely $35 million to date on storm clean-up; more than double its annual budget of $18.5 million; THEREFORE BE IT

ORDERED: That the Boston City Council hold a public hearing to discuss the city's spring clean-up and street sweeping strategy and address the issues and problems associated with the return of warmer weather.

Referred to the Committee on City, Neighborhood Services and Veterans Affairs.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES (DOCKET NO.0482)

President LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, February 21, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, March 13, 2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Samuel Miller, $1,076.00, full time, Secretary
Passed under suspension of the rules.

STATEMENT OF COUNCILOR JACKSON

Having unanimous consent to do so, Councilor JACKSON wanted to personally congratulate Tom Chang who is the next superintendent of the Boston Public Schools.

Councilor JACKSON agreed with the selection by the School Committee and looks forward to working with Mr. Chang in the future.

Councilor JACKSON also wanted to give a shout out to City Councilor Ayanna Pressley for her appearance on CSP AN where she shared the stage with Gabby Giffords and received a nomination for Emily's List Rising Star Award and he remarked how proud he and the City Council as a body is for her remarkable representation.

STATEMENT OF COUNCILOR PRESSLEY

Having unanimous consent to do so, Councilor PRESSLEY wanted to remind everyone that March is Women's History Month celebrating the contributions of women.

And on Friday of this week, we will be celebrating the 50th Anniversary of Bloody Sunday and that Senator Warren and others will be heading to Selma for that anniversary by bus and invited people to donate anything they could give to their efforts.

CONSENT AGENDA

The Chair moved adoption of a Consent Agenda in which the following-named Councilors offered resolutions of a condolence or congratulatory nature as set forth after each Councilor's name:

Councilor LaMattina: Resolution in memory of Ciriaco "Jerry" Tordiglione (Docket No. 0483)
Councilor McCarthy: Resolution congratulating Martin B. Craft (Docket No. 0484)
Councilor O'Malley: Resolution recognizing Francis Concepcion (Docket No. 0485)
Councilor O'Malley: Resolution congratulating Gerry Wright (Docket No. 0486)
Councilors Baker and Yancey: Resolution recognizing Charlie Titus (Docket No. 0487)
Councilor Jackson: Resolution congratulating Mark Wetmore (Docket No. 0488)
Councilors Yancey, Pressley and Jackson: Resolution recognizing Darlene H. Young (Docket No. 0489)
Councilors Jackson and Yancey: Resolution recognizing Ayele Shakur (Docket No. 0490)
Councilor Yancey: Resolution recognizing the Institute for Pan African Cultural Education (Docket No. 0491)
Councilor Linehan: Resolution recognizing ten Culinary Chefs of Hangzhou (Docket No. 0492)

The Chair stated that in the absence of objection, two late-filed matters would be added to the Consent Agenda.
No objection being heard, the following matter was added:

Councilor Murphy: In memory of Ashelen Senopolous (Docket No. 0493)

Councilor O'Malley: In memory of Suzanne M. Palma (Docket No. 0494)

The matters contained within the Consent Agenda were severally adopted.

NEXT MEETING

Adjourned at 2:40 p.m. on motion of President Linehan and in memory of Suzanne Palma, Ashelen Senopoulos, Karen O'Connell and Margaret Steiner, to meet again on Wednesday, March 11, 2015 at 2:00 p.m.

Note: All debate of City Council eliminated from proceedings in accordance with Chapter 447, Acts of 1947.

CITY OF BOSTON

Proceedings of the Boston City Council

Wednesday, March 11, 2015

Regular meeting of the City Council held in the Christopher A. Iannella Chamber, City Hall, at 12:05 p.m. President Linehan in the Chair.

INVOCATION

Sister Anne Graceland, Sisters of St. Joseph, delivered the invocation, and the meeting was opened with the pledge of allegiance to the flag.

PRESENTATION BY PRESIDENT LINEHAN

President LINEHAN introduced Mayor John Crowe from County Clare declaring March 11, 2015 as Mayor John Crowe Day in the City of Boston.

PRESENTATION BY COUNCILOR LAMATTINA

Councilor LAMATTINA presented a resolution to the East Boston High School hockey team who are the champions of 2015. He thanked the coaches, students and headmaster for a job well done.

STATEMENT OF PRESIDENT LINEHAN

President LINEHAN moved to adopt the minutes from the March 4, 2015 meeting. **Motion prevailed.**

ORDER AUTHORIZING CITY OF BOSTON TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND GRANT FROM MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION ("MASSDOT") IN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED $3,159,403 TO FUND MAJORITY OF PHASE 1 DESIGN AND ENGINEERING SERVICES FOR RUTHERFORD AVENUE IMPROVEMENT PROJECT (DOCKET NO. 0495)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

March 6, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith for your approval an Order authorizing the City of Boston Transportation Department to accept and expend a grant from the Massachusetts Department of Transportation (MassDOT) in an amount not to exceed $3,159,403.00 to fund a majority of the Phase 1 design and engineering services for the Rutherford A venue Improvements Project, which will include traffic management planning and design in Charlestown, in an area extending from and including Sullivan Square to the North Washington Street Bridge.

The Transportation Department's consultants will perform the design and engineering services, and MassDOT will fund 80% of the Phase I costs.

I urge your Honorable Body to pass this Order as expeditiously as possible so that the City of Boston may accept the funds expeditiously and expend them for the purposes for which they are given.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND A GRANT FROM THE MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION, TO BE ADMINISTERED BY THE BOSTON TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT, FOR PHASE I DESIGN AND ENGINEERING SERVICES FOR THE RUTHERFORD AVENUE IMPROVMEMENTS PROJECT.

WHEREAS, The Massachusetts Department of Transportation has agreed to fund eighty percent (80%) of the 'Phase I design and engineering services for the Rutherford A venue Improvements Project, extending from and including Sullivan Square to the North Washington Street Bridge; and

WHEREAS, the funds will be used by the City of Boston through its Transportation Department to pay the city's consultants to design roadway and traffic management improvements in the project area, therefore be it

ORDERED: that the Mayor, acting on behalf of the City of Boston be, and hereby is authorized, pursuant to section 53A of chapter 44 of the Massachusetts General Laws, to accept and expend a grant or grants from the Massachusetts Department of Transportation in a cumulative amount that shall not exceed Three Million, One Hundred Fifty-Nine Thousand, Four Hundred and Three Dollars ($3,159,403.00).

Referred to the Committee on City, Neighborhood Services and Veterans Affairs.

ORDER AUTHORIZING CITY OF BOSTON TO SUBMIT TO MASSACHUSETTS SCHOOL BUILDING AUTHORITY STATEMENT OF INTEREST FOR ITS ACCELERATED REPAIR PROGRAM FOR CARTER DEVELOPMENT DAY CARE SCHOOL (DOCKET NO. 0496)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

March 6, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I hereby transmit for your approval an Order authorizing the City of Boston to submit to the Massachusetts School Building Authority a Statement of Interest for its Accelerated Repair Program for the Carter Development Day Care School. The Statement of Interest describes and explains the deficiencies and the priority category for which the City of Boston may be invited to apply to the Massachusetts School Building Authority in the future.

The aforementioned school is considered a Priority 5, which means that the work necessary includes: replacement, renovation or modernization of school facility systems, such as roofs, windows, boilers, heating and ventilation systems, to increase energy conservation and decrease energy related costs in a school facility. It is also considered a Priority 7, which means that the work necessary includes: replacement of or addition to obsolete buildings in order to provide for a full range of programs consistent with state and approved local requirements

I urge your Honorable Body to adopt this Order as soon as possible so that the City of Boston may submit the Statement of Interest expeditiously and continue the process of seeking funds for the improvement of this school facility within the City of Boston.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,

Mayor of Boston.

ORDERED: Having convened in an open meeting on March 4, 2015, the City Council of the City of Boston in accordance with its charter, by-laws, and ordinances, has voted to authorize the Superintendent of Boston Public Schools to submit to the Massachusetts School Building Authority the Statement of Interest Form dated on, or before April 10, 2015 for the Carter Development Day Care School, located at 396 Northampton Street, Boston, MA 02118.

The Statement of Interest for the facility listed above describes and explains deficiencies submitted under Priority # 5, which includes: replacement, renovation or modernization of school facility systems, such as roofs, windows, boilers, heating and ventilation systems, to increase energy conservation and decrease energy related costs in a school facility; and Priority # 7 which includes: replacement of or addition to obsolete buildings in order to provide for a full range of programs consistent with state and approved local requirements

The City Council hereby further specifically acknowledges that by submitting the Statement of Interest Forms, the Massachusetts School Building Authority in no way guarantees the acceptance or the approval of an application, the awarding of a grant or any other funding commitment from the Massachusetts School Building Authority, or commits the City of Boston to file an application for funding with the Massachusetts School Building Authority.

RECESS

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

COMMUNICATION FROM BOSTON RETIREMENT BOARD RE: CONSIDERATION OF RETIREE COST OF LIVING ADJUSTMENT AND BASE INCREASE ("COLA") FOR FY16 (DOCKET NO. 0497)

Communication was received from the Boston Retirement Board re: Consideration of Retiree Cost of Living Adjustment and Base Increase ("COLA") for FY16.

APPOINTMENT BY THE MAYOR
(DOCKET NO. 0498)

Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of Lisa Soli, to serve as Trustee to the Boston Groundwater Trust, for a term expiring March 1, 2017.

Place on file.

APPOINTMENT BY THE MAYOR
(DOCKET NO. 0499)

Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of Charlotte Moffat, to serve as an Ex Officio member to the Boston Groundwater Trust.

Place on file.

COMMUNICATION FROM FORT POINT ASSOCIATES RE: NOTICE OF PROJECT CHANGE FOR CLIPPERSHIP WHARF DEVELOPMENT PROJECT (DOCKET NO. 0500)

Communication was received from Fort Point Associates re: Notice of Project Change for the Clippership Wharf Development Project.

Place on file.

REPORT ON ORDER FOR A HEARING TO DISCUSS ADDITIONAL 911 DATA FOR FASTER, MORE EFFECTIVE RESPONSE (DOCKET NO. 0421)

Councilor MURPHY, on behalf of the Committee on Public Safety, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 0421, order for a hearing to discuss additional 911 data for faster more effective response (referred February 25) - recommending the order be placed on file.

The report was accepted; the order was placed on file.

REPORT ON ORDER AUTHORIZING POLICE COMMISSIONER TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND FUNDS OF $50,000 FROM EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH FOR PURPOSE OF SUPPORTING NALOXONE (NARCAN) PROGRAM (DOCKET NO. 0246)

Councilor MURPHY, on behalf of the Committee on Public Safety, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 0246, message and order authorizing the Police Commissioner to accept and expend funds of Fifty Thousand Dollars ($50,000.00) from the Executive Office of Health and Human Services Department of Public Health, for the purpose of supporting the Naloxone (narcan) program (referred February 11) - recommending passage of the order.

The report was accepted; the order was placed on file.

REPORT ON ORDER AUTHORIZING CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND FUNDS FROM UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY, PORT SECURITY GRANT PROGRAM FY15 IN AMOUNT OF $472,500. TIDS GRANT WAS MADE FOR PURPOSE OF DESIGNING AND CONSTRUCTING NEW DOCK FACILITY FOR BOSTON FIRE MARINE UNIT (DOCKET NO. 0343)

Councilor MURPHY, on behalf of the Committee on Public Safety, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 0343, message and order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend funds from the United States Department of Homeland Security, Port Security Grant Program FY15 in the amount of Four Hundred Seventy-Two Thousand Five Hundred Dollars ($472,500.00). This grant was made for the purpose of designing and constructing a new dock facility for the Boston Fire Marine Unit (referred February 11) - recommending passage of the order.

The report was accepted; the order was passed.

REPORT ON ORDER AUTHORIZING OFFICE OF ENVIRONMENT, ENERGY, AND OPEN SPACE TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND GRANT OF $3,680,000 FROM MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY RESOURCES RENEWABLE AND ALTERNATIVE ENERGY DIVISION COMMUNITY CLEAN ENERGY RESILIENCY INITIATIVE PROJECT (DOCKET NO. 0379)

Councilor O'MALLEY, on behalf of the Committee on Environment and Parks, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 0379, message and order au-

thorizing the Office of Environment, Energy, and Open Space to accept and expend a grant of Three Million Six Hundred and Eighty Thousands dollars ($3,680,000.00) from the Massachusetts Department of Energy Resources Renewable and Alternative Energy Division Community Clean Energy Resiliency Initiative Project (referred February 25) - recommending passage of the order.

The report was accepted; the order was passed.

REPORT ON ORDER FOR APPROVAL OF HOME RULE PETITION TO GENERAL COURT ENTITLED "PETITION FOR SPECIAL LAW RE: ACT RELATIVE TO SNOW REMOVAL PENALTIES" (DOCKET NO. 0477)

Councilor FLAHERTY, on behalf of the Committee on Government Operations, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 0477, message and order for approval of a Home Rule Petition to the General Court entitled "Petition for a Special Law Re: An Act Relative to Snow Removal Penalties" (referred March 4) - recommending passage of the order in a new draft.

The report was accepted; the order, in its new draft, was passed.

ORDER FOR HEARING TO ENSURE DIVERSITY AND INCLUSION IN PLANNING, HIRING AND CONTRACTING PROCESS FOR BOSTON 2024 OLYMPICS BID (DOCKET NO. 0501)

Councilors PRESSLEY, YANCEY, ZAKIM, WU, FLAHERTY, LAMATTINA, JACKSON, CIOMMO, MCCARTHY, MURPHY, O'MALLEY and LINEHAN offered the following:

WHEREAS, According to a 1996 Harvard Business Review study, diversity is not only the morally and economically smart business choice, but it is also essential to expanded, "learning, creativity, flexibility, organizational and individual growth, and the ability of a company to adjust rapidly and successfully to market changes"; and

WHEREAS, The study goes on further to suggest that, " ... diversity goes beyond increasing the number of different identity-group affiliations on the payroll to recognizing that such an effort is merely the first step in managing a diverse workforce for the organization's utmost benefit. Diversity should be understood as the varied perspectives and approaches to work that members of different identity groups bring"; and

WHEREAS, As the City of Boston pursues an extensive public bidding process for the 2024 Olympics, there needs to be clear goals, requirements, and outcome measures to ensure that women, people of color, persons with disabilities, and the LGBTQ community have true equity in access to jobs, wealth building contract opportunities, and in the very planning process that will shape the future of this City; and

WHEREAS, A strong foundation of diversity and inclusion must be built from the very beginning and remain a centerpiece through the entirety of the Boston 2024 process. THEREFORE BE IT

ORDERED, That the appropriate committee of the Boston City Council hold a hearing to analyze the diversity and inclusion plan from bidding process through the potential games; and that representatives from Boston 2024, and other interested parties be invited to testify.

Referred to the Special Committee on Olympics 2024.

RESOLUTION THAT BOSTON CITY COUNCIL URGES BOARD OF MASSDOT TO ESTABLISH PERMANENT LATE NIGHT T SERVICE (DOCKET NO. 0502)

Councilors WU, ZAKIM, O'MALLEY, JACKSON, BAKER, CIOMMO, FLAHERTY, LAMATTINA, PRESSLEY, YANCEY, LAMATTINA and MCCARTHY offered the following:

WHEREAS: In March of 2014 the MBTA launched a one year Late Night T service pilot program on its subways and key bus lines; and,

WHEREAS: The MBTA is now considering whether to continue Late Night T service, alter it to make it more financially sustainable, or terminate it altogether; and,

WHEREAS: Over one million passengers have taken advantage of Late Night T service, averaging nearly twenty-seven thousand riders per weekend; and,

WHEREAS: Late Night T service not only supports Boston's vibrant restaurants and nightlife, but also provides a convenient, safe and affordable option to employees of the service and hospitality industries and students throughout the region; and,

WHEREAS: The City of Boston is home to a thriving arts community and Late Night T service supplements existing transit options, making the arts more accessible and inclusive for residents and visitors; and,

WHEREAS: The projected cost of one year of Late Night T service is nearly thirteen million dollars, while the projected revenue is just over two million dollars; and,

WHEREAS: On March 5, 2015, the Boston City Council held a hearing with the MBTA and stakeholders to discuss the importance of and potential solutions for continuing Late Night T service; and,

WHEREAS: Residents and passengers testifying at the hearing highlighted the importance of Late Night T service to Boston's growing creative and innovation economy, as well as the need for the service to be evaluated not just by the pilot program's ridership numbers but by the potential ridership if Late Night T were a permanent service that businesses and workers could depend on in making business decisions; and,

WHEREAS: Solutions put forward at the council hearing include raising late night fares, encouraging greater partnerships from colleges and universities, private companies, and sports franchises, considering licensing late-night food vendors in MBTA stations, and adjusting late night service capacity, or a combination of these solutions; Now,

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED: That the Boston City Council hereby urges the Board of MassDOT to establish permanent Late Night T service, while continuing to explore and consider as many creative financing and marketing options as possible, including those discussed during the March 5, 2015 hearing.

On motion of Councilors Wu and Zakim, the resolution was adopted; yeas, 13.

LATE-FILED MATTERS

The Chair stated that in absence of objection, three late-filed matters would be added to the Agenda.

No objection being heard, the following matters were added:

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES (DOCKET NO. 0540)

President LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, March 14, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, June 5, 2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:

Robert Powers, Secretary, $2,884.62, full time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES (DOCKET NO. 0541)

President LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, March 7, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, May 29, 2015:
BiWeekly Payroll:
Camilo Hernandez, Secretary, $1,200.00, full time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

ORDER FOR HEARING TO DISCUSS TO REDUCE SEX TRAFFICKING AROUND MEGA SPORTING EVENTS SUCH AS OLYMPIC GAMES (DOCKET NO. 0542)

Councilors PRESSLEY, ZAKIM, BAKER, CIOMMO, FLAHERTY, JACKSON, LAMATTINA, MCCARTHY, O'MALLEY, WU, YANCEY and LINEHAN offered the following:
WHEREAS: The Olympic Games and other major world sporting events, including the World Cup and the Super Bowl, are widely recognized as sex trafficking hubs; and
WHEREAS: A 2015 Super Bowl sex-buying sting across 17 states led to 570 sex solicitation arrests and 23 sex trafficking arrests; and
WHEREAS: The 2015 Super Bowl sex-buying sting led to the arrest of six traffickers and 21 johns in the City of Boston; and
WHEREAS: The National Center for Missing and Exploited Children estimates that 10,000 women were solicited during the 2010 Super Bowl in Miami, FL; and
WHEREAS: The United States ranks second only to Germany as the leading destination for sexually exploited victims of international trafficking. NOW THEREFORE BE IT
ORDERED That the appropriate committee of the Boston City Council hold a hearing to discuss comprehensive approaches to reduce sex trafficking around mega sporting events such as the Olympics; and that representatives from Boston 2024, the Boston Police Department and other interested parties be invited to testify.

Referred to the Special Committee on Olympics 2024.

CONSENT AGENDA

The Chair moved adoption of a Consent Agenda in which the following-named Councilors offered resolutions of a condolence or congratulatory nature as set forth after each Councilor's name:

Councilor O'Malley: Congratulating Officer William F. Taft (Docket No. 0503)
Councilors Linehan and Flaherty: Congratulating Noreen Hornibrook Rosher (Docket No. 0504) Congratulating Leo Fahey (Docket No. 0505) Congratulating Nicole Bollerman (Docket No. 0506) Congratulating Rita McCarthy (Docket No. 0507) Recognizing Kathleen Annello-Morrison Family (Docket No. 0508) Congratulating Kevin Conroy (Docket No. 0509)
Councilor Linehan and the Council as a Whole: Congratulating Gus Graffeo (Docket No. 0510)
Councilor Zakim: Recognizing James Hoffman (Docket No. 0511) Congratulating Robert Beal (Docket No. 0512) Congratulating Mark Atkins (Docket No. 0513)
Councilor LaMattina: In memory of Francesco Scabin (Docket No. 0514) Recognizing the Friends of the Charlestown Navy Yard (Docket No. 0515)
Councilor O'Malley: Congratulating Dr. Susan Moir (Docket No. 0516) Congratulating Joseph Fitzgerald (Docket No. 0517) Congratulating Officer Ryan J. Lenane (Docket No. 0518) Congratulating Jack Sheridan (Docket No. 0519) Congratulating Officer T. Joseph Teahan (Docket No. 0520)
Councilor Baker: Congratulating Cameron Gross (Docket No. 0521)
Councilor Ciommo: Congratulating Lulu's Allston (Docket No. 0522) Reeognizing Lea Beaulieu (Docket No. 0523) Congratulating Gregg Bernstein (Docket No. 0524)
Councilor Yancey: Recognizing Bob Young (Docket No. 0525) Resolution in memory of Norman A. Little, Jr. (Docket No. 0526) Recognizing Pauline Bilsky (Docket No. 0527)
Councilors Linehan and Flaherty: Congratulating Shannon McGonagle (Docket No. 0528)
Councilor Ayanna Pressley on behalf of all Councilors the following: Recognizing Dr. Ron Smith (Docket No. 0529)
Councilor McCarthy: Congratulating Paul Curran (Docket No. 0530)
Councilor Yancey: Recognizing Ghana's 58th Anniversary ofIndependence (Docket No. 0531)
Councilor McCarthy: Congratulating Jose Zayas (Docket No. 0532)
Councilor Yancey: In memory of Muriel J. Cox (Docket No. 0533)
Councilor Ciommo: Recognizing Anabela Gomes (Docket No. 0534)
Councilor Yancey: In memory of Alberta D. McCall (Docket No. 0535) Recognizing Crispus Attucks (Docket No. 0536)
Councilor McCarthy: In memory of Doris Hanson Mitchell (Docket No. 0537) In memory of Frank Korzec (Docket No. 0538)
Councilor O'Malley: Recognizing thirteen people being named a Community Woman of Excellence in Service by the Dominican Development Center (Docket No. 0539)

The Chair stated that in the absence of objection, seven late-filed matters would be added to the Consent Agenda.
No objection being heard, the following matter was added:

Councilor Linehan: Declaring March 11,2015 as Mayor John Crowe Day (Docket No. 0543)
Councilor Ciommo: In memory of Honorable Norman S. Weinberg (Docket No. 0544)
Councilor LaMattina: In memory of Anthony Vigorito (Docket No. 0545) In memory of Antonetta "Toni" Johnson (Docket No. 0546) In memory of Arthur A. Gambale (Docket No. 0547)
Congratulating East Boston High School Hockey Team (Docket No. 0548)
Councilor Murphy: In memory of Maurice Pickup (Docket No. 0549)

The matters contained within the Consent Agenda were severally adopted.

NEXT MEETING

Adjourned at 1:37 p.m. on motion of President Linehan and in memory of the Honorable Norman S. Weinberg, Antonetta "Toni" Johnson, Arthur A. Gambale, Anthony Vigorito, Maurice Pickup, Muriel J. Cox, Alberta McCall, Norman Little, Jr., Carlos Quintero, Angeline Rosa-Andrade, Mary Doggett and Crispus Attucks, to meet again on Wednesday, March 25, 2015 at 12:00 p.m.

Note: All debate of City Council eliminated from proceedings in accordance with Chapter 447, Acts of 1947.

CITY OF BOSTON

Proceedings of the Boston City Council

Wednesday, March 25, 2015

Regular meeting of the City Council held in the Christopher A. Iannella Chamber, City Hall, at 12:12 p.m. President Linehan in the Chair. Absent, Councilor O'Malley.

INVOCATION

Reverend Jason Donnelly, Roslindale Congretational Church, delivered the invocation, and the meeting was opened with the pledge of allegiance to the flag.

PRESENTATION BY COUNCILOR MCCARTHY

Councilor MCCARTHY presented a resolution to the members of Music Connects who serves eighty children in the City teaching them music and is also for hire and pro bono work for special events.

PRESENTATION BY COUNCILORS PRESSLEY AND WU

Councilors PRESSLEY and WU invited former City Councilors Hennigan, Modica and Feeney to the podium in celebration of Boston's prominent women in Government in celebration of Women's History Month.

STATEMENT OF PRESIDENT LINEHAN

President LINEHAN moved to adopt the minutes from the March 11, 2015 meeting. **Motion prevailed.**

ORDER APPROVING APPROPRIATION OF $1,700,000 FOR PURPOSE OF PAYING COST OF FEASIBILITY STUDY AND SCHEMATIC DESIGN WORK ASSOCIATED WITH RENOVATION OR NEW CONSTRUCTION OF FACILITY FOR JOSIAH QUINCY UPPER SCHOOL. UPON COMPLETION OF FEASIBILITY STUDY, CITY OF BOSTON MAY BE ELIGIBLE FOR GRANT FROM MASSACHUSETTS SCHOOL BUILDING AUTHORITY, SAID AMOUNT TO BE EXPENDED UNDER DIRECTION OF PUBLIC FACILITIES DEPARTMENT ON BEHALF OF BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS (DOCKET NO. 0550)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

March 19, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I hereby transmit for your approval an Order authorizing the City of Boston to appropriate the amount of One Million Seven Hundred Thousand Dollars ($1,700,000) for the purpose of paying costs of a feasibility study and schematic design work associated with the renovation or new construction of a facility for the Josiah Quincy Upper School. Upon completion of the feasibility study, the City of Boston may be eligible for a grant from the Massachusetts School Building Authority, said amount to be expended under the direction of the Public Facilities Department on behalf of Boston Public Schools.

I urge your Honorable Body to adopt this Order as soon as possible so that the City of Boston may proceed with the feasibility study and continue the process of seeking funds for the improvement of school facilities within the City of Boston.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

ORDERED: That the City of Boston appropriates the amount of One Million Seven Hundred Thousand Dollars ($1,700,000.00) for the purpose of paying costs of a feasibility study and schematic design work associated with the renovation or new construction of a facility for the Josiah Quincy Upper School, currently located at 152 Arlington Street and 900 Washington Street, Boston, MA (the "Project"), including the payment of all costs incidental or related thereto, and for which the City of Boston may be eligible for a grant from the Massachusetts School Building Authority ("MSBA"), said amount to be expended under the direction of the Public Facilities Department on behalf of Boston Public Schools. To meet this appropriation the Collector/Treasurer, with the approval of the Mayor is authorized to transfer such amount from account 301-141000-1128-10647- CBM19501-49040. The City of Boston acknowledges that the MSBA's grant program is a non-entitlement, discretionary program based on need, as determined by the MSBA, and any costs the City of Boston incurs in excess of any grant approved by and received from the MSBA shall be the sole responsibility of the City of Boston, and that the amount of available funds authorized pursuant to this vote shall be reduced by any grant amount set forth in the Feasibility Study Agreement that may be executed between the City of Boston and the MSBA.

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

ORDER APPROVING APPROPRIATION OF $1,700,000 FOR PURPOSE OF PAYING COST OF FEASIBILITY STUDY AND SCHEMATIC DESIGN WORK ASSOCIATED WITH RENOVATION OR NEW CONSTRUCTION OF FACILITY FOR BOSTON ARTS ACADEMY. UPON COMPLETION OF FEASIBILITY STUDY, CITY OF BOSTON MAY BE ELIGIBLE FOR GRANT FROM MASSACHUSETTS SCHOOL BUILDING AUTHORITY, SAID AMOUNT TO BE EXPENDED UNDER DIRECTION OF PUBLIC FACILITIES DEPARTMENT ON BEHALF OF BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS (DOCKET NO. 0551)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

March 19, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I hereby transmit for your approval an Order authorizing the City of Boston to appropriate the amount of One Million Seven Hundred Thousand Dollars ($1,700,000) for the purpose of paying costs of a feasibility study and schematic design work associated with the renovation and/or addition or new construction of a facility for the Boston Arts Academy. Upon completion of the feasibility study, the City of Boston may be eligible for a grant from the Massachusetts School Building Authority.

I urge your Honorable Body to adopt this Order as soon as possible so that the City of Boston may proceed with the feasibility study and continue the process of seeking funds for the improvement of school facilities within the City of Boston.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,

Mayor of Boston.

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APPROPRIATION OF FUNDS FOR A FEASIBILITY STUDY FOR THE BOSTON ARTS ACADEMY.

ORDERED: That the City of Boston appropriate the amount of One Million Seven Hundred Thousand Dollars ($1.700,000) for the purpose of paying costs of a feasibility study and schematic design work associated with the renovation and/or addition or new construction of a facility for the Boston Arts Academy, currently located at 174 Ipswich Street, Boston, MA (the "Project"), including the payment of all costs incidental or related thereto, and for which the City of Boston may be eligible for a grant from the Massachusetts School Building Authority ("MSBA"), said amount to be expended under the direction of the Public Facilities Department on behalf of Boston Public Schools; and that to meet said appropriation the Collector-Treasurer with the approval of the Mayor is authorized to borrow said amount under the provisions of Chapter 44 of the General Laws, as amended or supplemented, or any other enabling authority and from time to time, issue bonds, notes or certificates of indebtedness of the City up to said amount; and that this Order shall constitute a declaration of official intent of the City pursuant to Treasury Regulations Section 1. 150-2(e) to reimburse expenditures for such projects made from funds established for such purpose as permitted by statute from proceeds of debt incurred by the City pursuant to this Order; and that pursuant to Section 12(b) of Chapter 643 of the Acts of 1983, as amended, if any part of the proceeds of sale of any bonds or notes or other obligations issued by the City under this Order remains unexpended after the work or purpose for which such bonds, notes or other obligations are issued is completed, such proceeds are hereby appropriated and may be applied by the Collector- Treasurer and City Auditor, at the direction of the Mayor, to pay the principal of, and premium and/or interest on such bonds, notes or other obligations or on any debt of the City. The City of Boston acknowledges that the MSBA's grant program is a non-entitlement, discretionary program based on need, as determined by the MSBA, and any costs the City of Boston incurs in excess of any grant approved by and received from the MSBA shall be the sole responsibility of the City of Boston, and that the amount of borrowing authorized pursuant to this vote shall be reduced by any grant amount set forth in the Feasibility Study Agreement that may be executed between the City of Boston and the MSBA.

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

ORDER AMENDING APPROPRIATION ORDER THAT WOULD RAISE AMOUNT FROM $550,000 TO $13,000,000 FROM FUNDS PREVIOUS HELD BY BOSTON REDEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY ON BEHALF OF CITY AND CURRENTLY HELD IN CITY'S CAPITAL FUND FOR PURPOSE OF MAJOR REHABILITATION, RENOVATION OR NEW CONSTRUCTION OF JOSIAH QUINCY UPPER SCHOOL (DOCKET NO. 0552)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

March 19, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I hereby transmit for your approval an Order amending an Order regarding the Josiah Quincy Upper School passed by the City Council on December 15, 2010 and signed by the Mayor on December 22, 2010 that will increase the amount previously appropriated and will expand the purpose of the appropriation to include major rehabilitation, renovation of new construction. The Order increases the appropriation to Thirteen Million ($13,000,000) Dollars from funds previously held by the Boston Redevelopment Authority on behalf of the City and cuttently held in the City's Capital Fund.

I urge your Honorable Body to pass this Order.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

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ORDERED: That the Order of the City Council appropriating $550,000 for the costs of a feasibility study in connection with the Josiah Quincy Upper School major rehabilitation project passed by the City Council on December 15, 2010 and approved by the Mayor on December 22, 2010 is hereby amended to increase the amount appropriated and to expand the purpose of the appropriation to include major rehabilitation, renovation or new construction of the Josiah Quincy Upper School, such that the order now reads in its entirety as follows:

ORDERED: That the City appropriate the sum of Thirteen Million ($13,000,000) Dollars to pay costs of a feasibility study, and the major rehabilitation, renovation or new construction of the Josiah Quincy Upper School currently located at 152 Arlington Street and 900 Washington Street, Boston, MA, from funds previously held for such purpose by the Boston Redevelopment Authority on behalf of the City of Boston and currently held in account 301- 141000-1128-10647 -CBM 1950 1-49040."

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

ORDER AUTHORIZING POLICE COMMISSIONER TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND FY2015 SUSTAINED TRAFFIC ENFORCEMENT PROGRAMS (STEP) GRANT FUNDS OF $295,741.36 AWARDED BY EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF PUBLIC SAFETY AND SECURITY'S HIGHWAYS SAFETY DIVISION FOR PURPOSE OF SUPPORTING DATA-DRIVEN APPROACHES TO CRIME AND TRAFFIC SAFETY IN BOSTON (DOCKET NO. 0553)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

March 9, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I hereby transmit for your approval an Order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend the FY15 Sustained Traffic Enforcement Program (STEP) Grant funds in the amount of $295,741.36 awarded by the Executive Office of Public Safety and Security's Highway Safety Division. Funds will be used for the purpose of supporting the Data-Driven Approaches to Crime and Traffic Safety in Boston.

I urge your Honorable Body to adopt this Order as soon as possible so that the City of Boston may accept the funds expeditiously and expend them for the purposes for which these funds were granted.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

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AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND THE FY 15 SUSTAINED TRAFFIC ENFORCEMENT PROGRAM GRANT FUNDS AWARDED BY THE EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF PUBLIC SAFETY AND SECURITY'S HIGHWAY SAFETY DIVISION.

ORDERED: That the Police Commissioner, acting on behalf of the City of Boston be, and hereby is authorized, pursuant to section 53A of chapter 44 of the Massachusetts General Laws, to accept and expend the award of The Executive Office of Public Safety and Security in the amount'ofTwo Hundred Ninety Five Thousand Seven Hundred Forty One Dollars and Thirty Six Cents($295,741.36).

Referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

ORDER AUTHORIZING CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND FUNDS OF $165,000 FROM CONTRIBUTIONS RECEIVED FROM INDIVIDUALS, ORGANIZATIONS AND LOCAL AND PRIVATE BUSINESSES FOR PURPOSES OF FUNDING ENGLISH FOR NEW BOSTONIAN INITIATIVE, FOR CHILDHOOD ARRIVALS (DACA) AND DEFERRED ACTION FOR PARENTAL ACCOUNTABILITY (DAPA) COMMUNITY PROJECT AND OTHER CRUCIAL PROGRAM THAT ENABLE NEW BOSTONIANS TO PLAY ACTIVE ROLE IN ECONOMIC, CIVIC AND PUBLIC UNDERSTANDING OF CONTRIBUTIONS OF IMMIGRANTS TO FULL PARTICIPANTS IN BOSTON (DOCKET NO. 0554)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

March 9, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I hereby transmit for your approval an Order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend funds totaling $165,000 from contributions received from individuals, organizations. and local and private businesses for the purpose of funding the English for New Bostonians Initiative, a city-private-community partnership providing access to English classes, the Deferred Action. for Childhood Arrivals (DA CA) and Deforred Action for Parental Accountability (DAPA) Community Project, and other crucial programs that enable New Bostonians to play an active role in the economic, civic, social and cultural life of the city of Boston, and to promote the commemoration and public understanding of the contributions of immigrants to become full participants in Boston.

I urge your Honorable Body to adopt this Order as soon as possible so that the City of Boston may accept the funds expeditiously and expend them for the purposes for which they were granted.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND FUNDS FROM CONTRIBUTIONS RECEIVED FROM INDIVDUALS, ORGANIZATIONS AND LOCAL AND PRIVATE BUSINESSES.

ORDERED: That the Mayor, acting on behalf of the City of Boston be, and hereby is authorized, pursuant to section 53A of chapter 44 of the Massachusetts General Laws, to accept and expend funds totaling One Hundred and Sixty Five Thousand Dollars ($165,000.00) from contributions received from individuals, organizations and local and private businesses for the purpose offfmding the Englishfor New Bostonians Initiative, a city-private-community partnership providing access to English classes, the Deferred Actionfor Childhood Arrivals (DACA) and Deferred Action for Parental Accountability (DAPA) Community Project, and other crucial programs that enable New Bostonians to play an active role in the economic, civic, social and cultural life of the city of Boston, and to promote the commemoration and public understanding of the contributions of immigrants to become full participants in Boston.

Referred to the Committee on City, Neighborhood Services and Veterans Affairs.

ORDER AUTHORIZING OFFICE OF NEIGHBORHOOD SERVICES TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND GRANT OF $30,000 FROM CITIES OF SERVICE COALITION TO SUPPORT AMERICORPS VISTA "LOVE YOUR BLOCK" GRANT PROGRAM (DOCKET NO. 0555)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

March 19, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I hereby transmit for your approval an Order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend funds totaling $30,000.00 from the Cities of Service Coalition to the City of Boston's Office of Neighborhood Services to support the AmeriCorps Vista "Love Your Block" grant program.

I urge your Honorable Body to adopt this Order as soon as possible so that the City of Boston may accept the funds expeditiously and expend them for the purposes for which they were granted.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND FUNDS FROM THE CITIES OF SERVICE COALITION.

ORDERED: That the Mayor, acting on behalf of the City of Boston be, and hereby is authorized, pursuant to section 53A of chapter 44 of the Massachusetts General Laws, to accept and expend funds totaling Thirty Thousand Dollars ($30,000.00) from the Cities of Services Coalition to the City of Boston's Office of Neighborhood Services to support the AmeriCorps Vista "Love Your Block" program.

The rules were suspended; and the order was passed.

APPOINTMENT BY THE MAYOR
(DOCKET NO. 0556)

Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of Darlene Lombos, as a member of the Living Wage Advisory Committee, for a term expiring March 16, 2018.

Placed on file.

APPOINTMENT BY THE MAYOR
(DOCKET NO. 0557)

Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of Father James A. Flavin, Jr., as a member of the Living Wage Advisory Committee, for a term expiring March 16, 2018.

Placed on file.

APPOINTMENT BY THE MAYOR
(DOCKET NO. 0558)

Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of Katherine Belgard, as a member of the Living Wage Advisory Committee, for a term expiring March 16, 2018.
Placed on file.

APPOINTMENT BY THE MAYOR
(DOCKET NO. 0559)

Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of Daniel McCole, as a member of the Boston Cultural Council, for a term expiring Octoher 1; 2018.
Placed on file.

APPOINTMENT BY THE MAYOR
(DOCKET NO. 0560)

Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of Matt McArthur, as a member of the Boston Cultural Council, for a term expiring October 1, 2018.
Placed on file.

ORDER FOR HEARING REGARDING INSTALLATION OF IDENTIFYING FLAGS ON BOSTON FIRE HYDRANTS (DOCKET NO. 0375)

This matter which was recently heard for possible action was remanded back to the **Committee on City, Neighborhood Services and Veterans Affairs.**

ORDER FOR HEARING REGARDING LANGUAGE ACCESS POLICY IN CITY OF BOSTON (DOCKET NO. 0351)

This matter which was recently heard for possible action was remanded back to the **Committee on City, Neighborhood Services and Veterans Affairs.**

ORDER FOR HEARING TO DISCUSS INCREASING STUDENT REPRESENTATIVES ON BOSTON SCHOOL COMMITTEE AND ALLOWING TWO STUDENT REPRESENTATIVES FULL VOTING RIGHTS (DOCKET NO. 0273)

This matter which was recently heard for possible action was remanded back to the **Committee on Education.**

COMMUNICATION RECEIVED FROM CITY CLERK OF FILING BY AUDITING DEPARTMENT REGARDING CITY OF BOSTON'S FISCAL 2014 COMPREHENSIVE ANNUAL FINANCIAL REPORT (DOCKET NO. 0171)

This matter which was recently heard for possible action was remanded back to the **Committee on Post Audit and Oversight.**

ORDER FOR HEARING TO REVIEW FISCAL YEAR 2015 BUDGET (DOCKET NO. 0199)

This matter which was recently heard for possible action was remanded back to the **Committee on Post Audit and Oversight.**

REPORT ON ORDER AUTHORIZING CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND CAPITAL CONTRIBUTION IN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED $1,280,000 FROM BOSTON REDEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY (BRA) IN SUPPORT OF CONNECT HISTORIC BOSTON INITIATIVE. THIS CAPITAL GRANT CONTRIBUTION IS BEING A WARDED TO CITY OF BOSTON THROUGH PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT IN CAPACITY OF DEVELOPMENT MITIGATION FUNDS WHICH WILL BE USED TO ASSIST WITH RECONSTRUCTION OF CAUSEWAY STREET IN BOSTON AS PART OF CONNECT HISTORIC BOSTON INITIATIVE (DOCKET NO. 0340)

Councilor CIOMMO, on behalf of the Committee on Ways and Means, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 0340, message of the Mayor and order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend a capital contribution in an amount not to exceed One Million Two Hundred Eighty Thousand Dollars ($1,280,000.00) from the Boston Redevelopment Authority (BRA) in support of Connect Historic Boston Initiative. This capital grant contribution is being awarded to the City of Boston through the Public Works Department in the capacity of development mitigation funds which will be used to assist with the reconstruction of Causeway Street in Boston as a part of the Connect Historic Boston Initiative (referred February 11) - recommending that the order be passed.

The report was accepted; the order was passed.

ORDER FOR HEARING TO DISCUSS HOW INTEGRATION OF SOCIAL IMPACT BONDS AFFECT STATE'S PROCUREMENT SYSTEM AND SERVICE DELIVERY (DOCKET NO. 0561)

Councilors JACKSON, CIOMMO, LAMATTINA, PRESSLEY, WU and YANCEY offered the following:

WHEREAS: Declining state and federal funding and aid have forced governments of all levels to closely assess their budgets and prioritize government functions in order to provide for public goods and services in a fiscally prudent manner; and

WHEREAS: Austerity measures have prevented government agencies from identifying and scaling up effective programs; and

WHEREAS: Social Impact Bonds are performance-based contracts between government and private or non-profit organizations in which the organizations pay the up-front costs of implementing the social service programs and governments repay the investors only if the organizations achieve the agreed-upon social outcomes; and

WHEREAS: This funding structure allows governments to minimize financial risk; and

WHEREAS: State and local government officials in more than 15 states and approximately eight municipalities throughout the United States have launched and/or are exploring this new fmancing mechanism in order to find solutions to complex social problems related but not limited to high recidivism rates, homelessness, and court-involved youth; and

WHEREAS: The Commonwealth of Massachusetts is one of the first states in the United States to adopt this results-oriented approach to services; and

WHEREAS: In January of 2014, the Commonwealth of Massachusetts launched the largest social impact bond in the United States; and

WHEREAS: Such implementation of Social Impact Bond efforts affect both state procurement and service delivery at the municipal level; and, NOW

THEREFORE BE IT ORDERED That the appropriate committee of the Boston City Council hold a hearing to discuss how the integration of Social Impact Bonds into the state's procurement system will affect service delivery at the municipal level inpatticular to the areas of chronic homelessness, court-involved youth, and basic adult edu-

cation.

Referred to the Committee on Healthy Women, Families and Communities.

ORDER FOR HEARING REGARDING EMERGENCY IMPACT OF CLOSING LONG ISLAND SHELTER SUBSTANCE ABUSE PROGRAMS (DOCKET NO. 0562)

Councilors YANCEY, JACKSON, BAKER, LAMATTINA, WU, LINEHAN, MURPHYand PRESSLEY offered the foUowing:

WHEREAS: The Boston City Council takes a close interest in the well-being of all Boston residents including those most marginalized and in need of immediate care due to homelessness, unemployment, addiction and mental health challenges; and

WHEREAS: On October 8th, 2014 all recovery and homelessness programs on Long Island were evacuated with less than four hour notice due to a declared Imminent failure of the only bridge linking the Island to the mainland; and

WHEREAS: 260 people in I1 residential recovery programs on Long Island were removed and barred from Long lsland with no notice or plan, therefore suffering incalculable harm due to abrupt cessation of medical detoxification services, interruption of short and long term treatment plans, collapse of case management services, inaccessibtlity of personal belongings and critical documents, and

WHEREAS: The closure of the 60 bed, five day detox program at Andrew House eliminated half the detox beds In the Boston area, denying treatment to I,800 people to date seeking detox since October 8, doubtless contributing to the spike in deaths reported from substance abuse in recent months; and

WHEREAS: The Ryan White funded HIV dedicated beds at the Andrew House detox program on Long lsland no longer exist; and

WHEREAS: 15 of the 19 HlV Positive homeless clients at the Safe Harbor HIV Shelter on the lsland are no longer receiving specializ.ed care and at least 8 of those clients have relapsed and are at grave health risk as a result; and

The City's proposals to relocate residential recovery programs to the Mattapan State Hospital site and the Radius Hospital Roxbury site were made without adequate notice or consultation with affected communities, thereby disrupting alternative public uses for those sites that have broader community support; and

WHEREAS: There exist, conflicting explanations regarding the feasibility of re-opening the residential recovery programs on Long Island, utilizing ferry or Duck Boat services, the Boston Police Departmenfs ambulance boat, an on-site medical clinic and the offer of private funding to operate a ferry and upgrade the Long Island pier; and

WHEREAS: The voices of the homeless and people In recovery affected by the closure of Long Island have not been adequately heard in the City's policy deliberations; and

Referred to the Committee on Healthy Women, Families and Communities.

ORDER FOR HEARING REGARDING EMERGENCY IMPACT OF CLOSING LONG ISLAND ON BOSTON'S HOMELESS COMMUNITY (DOCKET NO. 0563)

Councilors YANCEY, JACKSON, BAKER, LAMATTINA, WU, LINEHAN, MURPHYand PRESSLEY offered the following:

WHEREAS: The Boston City Council takes a close interest in the well-being of all Boston residents including those most marginalized and in need of immediate care due to homelessness, unemployment, addiction and mental health challenges; and

WHEREAS: On October 8th, 2014 all recovery and homelessness programs on Long Island were evacuated with less than four hours notice due to a declared imminent failure of the only bridge linking the Island to the mainland; and

WHEREAS: Although the City has recently opened 100 new shelter beds to replace the 450 on Long Island, several hundred homeless men and women remain inadequately housed at the South End Fitness Center, on cots or floor mats at numerous shelters, or on the streets; and

WHEREAS: The South End Fitness Center provides only two toilets and two urinals for 225 men, sleeping on cots or floor mats, thereby in violation of global standards of housing rights and human decency, as well as state health and safety codes; and

WHEREAS: Homeless women have borne a disproportionate level of suffering sleeping on cots and mats at the Barbara McGulness House program and other so-called "overflow" shelters, or on the streets; and

WHEREAS: The voices of the homeless and people in recovery affected by the closure of Long Island have not been adequately heard in the City's policy deliberations; and

WHEREAS: Boston is the epicenter of growing and related crises of individual and family homelcssness and a substance abuse epidemic, in Massachusetts and the nation; and

WHEREAS: The fact that 25% of the homeless population in Massachusetts are workers priced out of the region's housing stock underscores the need to provide permanent affordable housing options to end homelessness now. THEREFORE BE IT

ORDERED: That the appropriate Boston City Council committee convene one or more public hearings to explore:

1. The City of Boston's plans to provide immediate health and safety upgrades for the homeless staying at the South End Fitness Center, Barbara McGuiness House;

2. The City of Boston's plans to ensure that the Southampton Street Shelter and programs there meet global standards for housing rights and humanitarian assistance. as well as state sanital)' codes, in consultation with affected homeless people;

3. The City of Boston's current plans to provide permanent housing for the homeless. AND BE IT FURTHER

ORDERED: That the Chief of Boston Health and Human' Services; Boston Homeless Solidarity Committee; representatives from the Homeless Services Bureau of the Public Health Commission; Boston Emergency Shelter Commission; Boston Emergency'Medical Services; homelessveterans programs; Department of Neighborhood Development; Inspectional Services Department; Boston Housing Authority; Department of Neighborhood Services; MA Department of Public Health; other, State officials and agency directors be summoned to provide written and verbal testimony, and that the public be invited to testify on these critical matters.

Referred to the Committee on Healthy Women, Families and Communities.

ORDER FOR HEARING REGARDING FUNDS FOR PARKS DEVELOPMENT AND REDEVELOPMENT (DOCKET NO. 0565)

Councilors LAMATTINA, LINEHAN, MURPHY, WU, YANCEY, JACKSON and ZAKIM offered the following:

WHEREAS: the City of Boston Parks & Recreation Department maintains and oversees access to more than 2,200 acres of park land throughout the city, including the Emerald Necklace, the Urban Wilds, two golf courses, and numerous historic burying grounds and cemeteries; and

WHEREAS: the City of Boston Parks & Recreation has an FY15 operating budget of $17.5 million; and

WHEREAS: the Mayor stated on March 4th that he expects nearly $6 billion in development in the city; and

WHEREAS: several important municipal services garner direct funding allocations from private development and other dedicated revenue streams, such as affordable housing through linkage and the Inclusionary Development Program as well as transportation improvements and public art installations obtained through mitigation agreements; and

WHEREAS: Boston boasts America's oldest park - Boston Common - and numerous public spaces that are revered for their importance to the quality oflife for residents and visitors alike; and

WHEREAS: Boston's natural beauty persists thanks to a proactive parks community who invest significant time and resources while coordinating park advocacy through countless associations, fundraisers, and friends groups; and

WHEREAS: funding for parks and recreation is often put in jeopardy when strains are placed on revenues derived from local, state and federal sources; and

WHEREAS: continued investment in park maintenance and redevelopment is vital to promoting physical activity and healthy lifestyles, supporting community development, enhancing residential property values, respecting Constitutional speech and assembly rights, attracting commercial investment, and heightening social and environmental benefits; and

WHEREAS: identifying as many sources of funds for our City's parks system as possible is vital to the future enjoyment of these important public assets and is a main driver of continuing Boston's positive population growth momentum; NOW,

THEREFORE BE IT ORDERED, That the appropriate committee of the Boston City Council holds a hearing regarding the potential development of dedicating funding for parks development and redevelopment in the City of Boston.

THEREFORE BE IT FURTHER ORDERED, That representatives from the following departments and the public be invited to testify: Boston Redevelopment Authority, Parks and Recreation Department, and Office of Budget Management.

Referred to the Committee on City, Neighborhood Services and Veterans Affairs.

ORDER FOR HEARING REGARDING LGBT FRIENDLY AFFORDABLE SENIOR HOUSING (DOCKET NO. 0566)

Councilors ZAKIM, WU, CIOMMO, FLAERTY, LAMATTINA, MCCARTHY, MURPHY, YANCEY, LINEHAN, JACKSON, PRESSLEY offered the following:

WHEREAS, Often after suffering from a lifetime of discrimination, lesbian, gay, bisexual, and transgender (LGBT) senior citizens face extreme difficulty when searching for welcoming and affordable housing; and

WHEREAS, Access to adequate and safe housing has a profound effect on a person's daily life, and no LGBT senior should need to reside in a home that feels unsafe or deal with a provider who unfairly denies housing; and

WHEREAS, LGBT seniors experience unique barriers to housing, including disparities in income, fewer familial resources, and lack of protection under the law; and

WHEREAS, Studies have shown that one in six LGBT seniors is extremely concerned about experiencing hostility, stigma, and discrimination if others in their housing community were aware of their sexual orientation or gender identity, leading to many LGBT seniors hiding their identity and suffering from severe isolation; and

WHEREAS, Housing advocates and community developers across the country in cities such as Los Angeles, Minneapolis, Chicago, Philadelphia, and New York have recognized the importance of LGBT-friendly housing; and

WHEREAS, Protecting those most vulnerable to discrimination is a moral imperative of the City of Boston; THEREFORE BE IT

ORDERED, That the appropriate committee of the Boston City Council hold a hearing to examine how to better protect the right to fair and safe housing for Boston's LGBT seniors, and that representatives from the Elderly Commission, the Department of Neighborhood Development, the Office of Fair Housing and Equity, The Fenway Institute, and other interested parties be invited to testify.

Referred to the Committee on Human Rights and Civil Rights.

ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING PAID PARENTAL LEAVE FOR CITY OF BOSTON EMPLOYEES (DOCKET NO. 0567)

Rule 12 was suspended to include Councilor JACKSON as original co-sponsors of Docket No. 0567.

Councilors WU, MCCARTHY, JACKSON, LINEHAN, BAKER, CIOMMO, FLAHERTY, LAMATTINA, ZAKIM, YANCEY, MURPHY and PRESSLEY offered the following:

WHEREAS: There are approximately 178 countries worldwide that offer some form of paid maternity leave, with more than 50 countries offering paternity leave as well, and with the United States being one of only three countries that lacks a law requiring employers to fund parental pay, with the others being Oman and Papua New Guinea; AND

WHEREAS: The new Massachusetts Parental Leave Act (MPLA) will take effect April 7, 2015, expanding the Massachusetts Maternity Leave Act (MMLA) enacted in 1972, to offer eight weeks of unpaid but job-protected leave per child born or adopted to parents of both genders; AND

WHEREAS: The Family and Medical Leave Act of 1993 (FMLA) is a federal law that guarantees twelve weeks of unpaid leave; AND

WHEREAS: The lack of income during periods of parental leave puts an undue burden on families and causes employees to return to work earlier than they might otherwise choose to; AND

WHEREAS: Paid leave and workplace flexibility increase productivity, help to recruit more talented workers, lower worker turnover and replacement costs, reduce absenteeism, and improve job satisfaction; AND

WHEREAS: The City Council and Mayor Martin J. Walsh share a commitment to improving workplace opportunities for working families in Boston, and the Boston Paid Parental Leave Ordinance is the result of active collaboration with the Walsh Administration over several months; NOW THEREFORE

Be it ordained by the City Council of Boston, as follows:

City of Boston Code, Ordinances, Chapter 5-5.20 is hereby amended by striking the section in its entirety and inserting in place thereof the following language:

5-5.20 Paid Parental Leave for City of Boston Employees

1. The City of Boston shall implement paid parental leave for all of its exempt female and male

employees and all other employees covered by collective bargaining agreements whose agreements explicitly provide for this benefit for the employee, for the purpose of caring for his or her newborn or newly adopted child or children. This leave shall apply equally to parents regardless of gender, as well as to same-sex couples, in the event of a natural birth by any method, adoption, surrogacy, and stillbirths. Employees who have worked for the City of Boston for a minimum of one year are eligible for the full duration of paid parental leave.

2. The paid parental leave shall be up to six weeks long, and may be taken by day or week anytime during the first year after the birth or adoption of the child or children. The leave period is fixed regardless of the number of children born or adopted by the employee. During the leave period, the employee shall be paid 100 percent of her or his base wages for the first two weeks, 75 percent of his or her base wages for the following two weeks, and 50 percent of base wages for the remaining two weeks. Employees shall be eligible to use any accrued leave in order to receive compensation up to 100 percent of base pay during the weeks reimbursed at the rates of 75 percent and 50 percent. This paid leave will occur concurrently with and count towards the following leaves for which the employee may be eligible: the federally mandated twelve weeks of Family and Medical Leave Act (FMLA) leave, eight weeks of Massachusetts Parental Leave Act (MPLA) leave, and up to twelve months of unpaid leave due to childbirth or adoption offered by the City.

3. The number of paid parental leave periods employees may take is unlimited over the duration of their employment with the City of Boston, but employees are only eligible for one 6-week paid leave per birth or adoption.

4. If both parents work for the City of Boston, each is entitled to a 6-week leave period as described in Section 2, and they may take their parental leave periods concurrently, subsequently, or in any other combination they wish.

5. The Director of Human Resources for the City of Boston shall have full authority to issue policies relative to paid parental leave benefits offered pursuant to this ordinance for any purpose, including, but not limited to, notification requirements for employees requesting leave, employee eligibility, and documentation requirements for births and adoptions.

The provisions of this ordinance shall take effect immediately upon passage.

Referred to the Committee on Government Operations.

ORDER REGARDING TEXT AMENDMENT FOR BOSTON ZONING CODE MEDICAL MARIJUANA TREATMENT CENTERS (DOCKET NO. 0568)

Councilors FLAHERTY; JACKSON, MCCARTHY, MURPHY, LINEHAN and BAKER offered the following:

WHEREAS, In 2012 the voters of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts voted to allow the use of medical marijuana through a ballot initiative; and,

WHEREAS, The Massachusetts State Legislature enacted enabling legislation requiring "that at least one treatment center shall be located in each county, and not more than five shall be located in anyone county"; and,

WHEREAS, Now that the dispensing of medical marijuana is legal in Massachusetts, like other states, it is likely that a recreational marijuana ballot initiative will soon come before Massachusetts voters, and may be enacted; and

WHEREAS, The siting of marijuana dispensaries, whether medical or recreational at a future time, should be evenly distributed within Suffolk County, and not have anyone community or neighborhood host a cluster of multiple dispensaries; NOW, THEREFORE BE IT

That the Boston City Council by and through Councilor Michael F. Flaherty submits a petition to amend the text of the Boston Zoning Code, as established under Chapter 665 of the Acts of 1956, as amended, to limit the siting of any marijuana dispensary whether medical or recreation no closer than 2,500 feet from any other existing dispensary.

Filed in Boston City Council: March 25, 2015

Text Amendment Application No._____

Boston City Council

Amending **Article 2 (Definitions) and 2A (Definitions Applicable in Neighborhood Districts and in Article 80, Development Review and Approval), Meaning of Certain Words and Phrases,** within the definition of "Medical Marijuana Treatment Center," adding to the last sentence of the definition in sections 2-1 and 2A-1 respectively: ", provided that no such dispensary, medical or recreational, is within 2,500 feet of another existing dispensary within the City of Boston."

TO THE ZONING COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF BOSTON:

Boston City Council through and by Boston City Councilor Michael F. Flaherty petitions to amend the text of the Boston Zoning Code, as established under Chapter 665 of the Acts of 1956, as amended, as follows:

Amending Article 2 (Definitions) and 2A (Definitions Applicable in Neighborhood Districts and in Article 80, Development Review and Approval), Meaning of Certain Words and Phrases, within the definition of "Medical Marijuana Treatment Center," adding to the last sentence of the definition in sections 2-1 and 2A-1 respectively: ", provided that no such dispensary, medical or recreational, is within 2,500 feet of another existing dispensary within the City of Boston."

Petitioner: _____
Boston City Council
By: City Councilor Michael F. Flaherty

Address: One City Hall Square - Fifth Floor
Boston, MA 02201

Telephone: 617-635-4205

Date: _____

Text Amendment Application No. _____
Text Amendment No. _____
Chairman
Vice Chairman
In Zoning Commission
Adopted: _____
Attest: _____
Secretary to the Zoning Commission

Text Amendment Application No._____
Text Amendment No. _____
Approved: _____
Mayor
Date: _____

The foregoing amendment was presented to the Mayor on _____and was signed by the Mayor on _____whereupon it became effective on in accordance with the provisions of Section 3 of Chapter 665 of the Acts of 1956.

Attest: _____
Secretary to the Zoning Commission

Referred to the Committee on Economic Development, Planning and Labor.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES
(DOCKET NO. 0569)

Councilor LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, March 21, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, June 12, 2015:
BiWeekly Payroll:
Addison Koelle, Secretary, $1,615.40 ,full time
Bernadette Lally, Administrative Asst., $2,000.00, part time
Passed under suspension of the rules.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES
(DOCKET NO.0570)

Councilor LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, March 21, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, June 12, 2015:
BiWeekly Payroll:
Daniel Sibor, Administrative Asst., $2,615.40 ,full time
Passed under suspension of the rules.
Passed under suspension of the rules.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES
(DOCKET NO. 0571)

Councilor LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, March 14, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, June 12, 2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:

John Allison	Secretary	$1,190.00	full time
Ivon Alvarez	Secretary	$677.78	part time
Walter Apperwhite	Secretary	$2,000.00	full time
Jill Baker	Administrative Asst.	$769.24	part time
Andrew Baldizon	Secretary	$600.00	part time
Lee Blasi	Secretary	$2,576.94	full time
Justin Brown	Secretary	$1,576.94	full time
Katherine Carangelo	Secretary	$1,500.00	full time
Nicholas G. Carter	Secretary	$1,461.54	full time
Chelsey Cartwright	Secretary	$1,462.00	full time
Robyn Casper	Secretary	$1,442.32	full time
James W. Chan	Secretary	$2,200.00	full time
Alexander J. Chase	Secretary	$1,442.32	full time
Elaine M. Cloherty	Secretary	$1,846.16	part time
Henry Cohen	Secretary	$1,923.08	full time
Amanda Curley	Secretary	$1,730.78	full time
Judith E. Evers	Secretary	$480.00	part time
Maria Farrell	Secretary	$600.00	part time
Lorraine Fowlkes	Secretary	$750.00	part time
Thomas Francis	Secretary	$769.22	part time
Jacqueline Franks	Secretary	$576.80	part time
Lynnette M. Frazier	Administrative Asst.	$2,461.54	full time
Amy Frigulietti	Administrative Asst.	$3,076.94	full time
Kamisha Green	Secretary	$432.00	part time
Mark Handley	Secretary	$2,653.86	full time
Shaikh Hasib	Secretary	$1,442.32	full time
Kyndal Henicke	Secretary	$1,692.32	full time
Camilo Hernandez	Secretary	$1,200.00	part time
Jared Hogan	Secretary	$450.00	part time
James Jackson	Secretary	$1,078.00	full time
Tricia Kalayjian	Administrative Asst.	$461.54	part time
Janet L. Knott	Administrative Asst.	$2,115.40	full time
Maria Lanza	Secretary	$461.54	part time
Herby Lindor	Secretary	$480.00	part time
William MacGregor	Secretary	$2,423.08	full time
Stephen Maguire	Secretary	$1,615.40	full time
Thomas M. McDonough	Administrative Asst.	$2,461.54	full time
Joseph M. McEachern	Secretary	$769.24	part time
Jennifer McGivern	Secretary	$250.00	part time
Samuel Miller	Secretary	$1,076.00	full time
Kara Nagle	Secretary	$1,190.00	full time
Arthur A. Natella	Secretary	$1,250.00	full time
Deborah O'Leary	Secretary	$1,692.32	full time
Daniel Polanco	Administrative Asst.	$1,403.86	full time
Robert E. Powers	Secretary	$2,884.62	full time
Nichelle Nicole Purvis	Secretary	$1,230.78	full time
Nichelle Sadler	Secretary	$2,730.78	full time

Mohona Siddique	Secretary	$1,692.31	full time
Michael A. Sinatra	Secretary	$1,700.00	full time
Vatsady Sivongxay	Secretary	$1,961.54	full time
Hannah Smith	Administrative Asst.	$1,846.16	full time
Ryan Spitz	Administrative Asst.	$2,019.24	full time
Elizabeth Sullivan	Secretary	$2,807.70	full time
Paul Sullivan	Secretary	$576.94	part time
J ames Sutherland	Secretary	$900.00	part time
Jessica A. Taubner	Secretary	$2,318.00	full time
Lori Toscano	Secretary	$480.00	part time
John Ulrich	Administrative Asst.	$1,900.00	full time
David Vittorini	Secretary	$1,923.08	full time
Joseph T. Walsh	Secretary	$1,346.16	full time
Sophia Wang	Secretary	$1,538.46	full time
Gary Webster	Secretary	$1,923.08	full time
Eric White	Administrative Asst.	$1,540.00	full time
Vernee Wilkinson	Secretary	$300.00	part time
Kenneth W. Yarbrough	Secretary	$1,730.78	full time
Ron Cobb	City Messenger & Senior Legislative Asst.	$2,255.78	full time
Daisy De La Rosa	Central Staff Director	$3,334.62	full time
Kerry Jordan	Television Operations & Technology Manager	$2,451.94	full time
Juan Lopez	Research & Policy Director	$2,667.68	full time
Taylor Maher	Administrative & Technical Asst.	$1,569.22	full time
Cora F. Montrond	Senior Legislative Asst. & Budget Analyst	$2,255.78	full time
Christine O'Donnell	Compliance Director & Staff Counsel	$3,202.02	full time
Lorraine Schettino	Office Manager	$1,936.04	full time
Daniel Shea	Legislative Assistant	$1,883.06	full time
Kathleen Sullivan	Director of Legislative Budget Analysis	$3,315.00	full time
Yuleidy Valdez	Business Manager	$2,412.70	full time
Corinne Walsh	Senior Legislative Asst. & Budget Analyst	$2,157.70	full time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

LATE- FILED MATTERS

The Chair stated that in absence of objection, two late-filed matters would be added to the Agenda.

No objection being heard, the following matters were added:

ORDER FOR HEARING TO DISCUSS IMPLEMNTATION OF RECYCLING PROGRAM FOR ALL NUMBER SIX PLASTICS (DOCKET NO. 0604)

Councilors MURPHY, LINEHAN, LAMATTINA, MCCARTHY, PRESSLEY, WU, YANCEY, CIOMMO, FLAHERTY, JACKSON and BAKER offered the following:

WHEREAS, The City of Boston has been a leader in pioneering sustainable waste management and diversion policies; and

WHEREAS, Banning specific items does not change behavior or reduce landfill tonnage in a meaningful way; and

WHEREAS, The cost of landfilling continues to climb as free space in landfills becomes increasingly more limited; and

WHEREAS, When possible the City of Boston is obligated to do more to encourage recycling as part of its zero waste initiative; and

WHEREAS, Expanded polystyrene foam products can be diverted from landfills and recycled in an economically feasible and environmentally sustainable way; Therefore Be It,

ORDERED, That the Committee on the Environment & Parks of the Boston City Council holds hearing to discuss the implementation of a recycling program for expanded polystyrene. All interested parties shall be invited to attend this hearing and give comment.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Parks.

COMMUNICATION FROM COUNCILOR MATT O'MALLEY REGARDING HIS ABSENCE FROM CITY COUNCIL ON WEDNESDAY, MARCH 25, 2015 (DOCKET NO. 0605)

Communication was received from Councilor Matt O'Malley regarding his absence from City Council on Wednesday, March 25, 2015.

Placed on file.

ELECTION OF ASSISTANT CITY CLERK

Councilor MURPHY moved to elect Alex Geourntas as Assistant City Clerk.

The motion prevailed; yeas 12, nays 0, absent 1:

Yeas - Councilors Baker, Ciommo, Flaherty, Jackson, LaMattina, Linehan, McCarthy, Murphy, Pressley, Wu, Yancey, Zakim -12.

Nays - 0.

Absent -1.

CONSENT AGENDA

The Chair moved adoption of a Consent Agenda in which the following-named Councilors offereds of a condolence or congratulatory nature as set forth after each Councilor's name:

Councilor Flaherty: In memory of Carlos Quintero (Docket No. 0572)

Councilor Yancey: In memory of Roosevelt Kinds, Sr. (Docket No. 0573) Recognizing Walter T. Hannigan (Docket No. 0574) Resolution In memory of Rosalee Joseph (Docket No. 0575)

Councilor Jackson: Congratulating 28 people for their contribution to The Pink Agenda (Docket No. 0576)

Councilor Flaherty: In memory of Coleman J. "Coley" Lydon (Docket No. 0577)

Councilors Ciommo and Murphy: In memory of Leo F. Buckley (Docket No. 0578)

Councilor LaMattina: Recognizing Rosina Petraglia (Docket No. 0579) Resolution In memory of William M. Bagley (Docket No. 0580)

Councilors Flaherty and Linehan: Congratulating 12 people on the 2015 Evacuation Day Essay & Poster Competition (Docket No. 0581)

Councilor O'Malley: In memory of Elliot Valentin Roman (Docket No. 0582) Resolution Congratulating Bill Brett on being named Person of the Year by the County Roscommon Association (Docket No. 0583)

Councilors O'Malley and Jackson: Recognizing Dorothy Bland's 75th birthday (Docket No. 0584)

Councilor O'Malley: Recognizing Maria Geraghty's 90th birthday (Docket No. 0585)

Councilor McCarthy: In memory of Patricia Johnson (Docket No. 0586)

Councilor Wu: Congratulating the Sam Yick Association of New England for its 2015 Chinese New Year celebration banquet (Docket No. 0587)

Councilor Yancey: Recognizing Della D. Patton (Docket No. 0588)Resolution Recognizing 14 people at the Caribbean Carnival Corporate Breakfast (Docket No. 0589)

Councilors Wu and McCarthy: Congratulating Steve Gag on his years of service to Roslindale Village Main Streets (Docket No. 0590)

Councilor O'Malley: Congratulating Regla Gonzalez (Docket No. 0591)

Councilor Ciommo: In memory of Barbara A. Palkey ((Docket No. 0592)

Councilor Jackson: Congratulating Willie Hicks Sr (Docket No. 0593)

Resolution Congratulating Arthur Sonny Walker (Docket No. 0594)

Councilors Linehan and Flaherty: In memory of John "Jack" Nee (Docket No. 0595) Resolution In memory of Jeanne Hogan (Docket No. 0596)

Councilor O'Malley: In memory of Charles Button (Docket No. 0597) Resolution In memory of Gloria Nolan (Docket No. 0598) Resolution In memory of John J. Canney (Docket No. 0590)

Councilor Linehan on behalf of all Councilors: In memory of Jill O'Malley Conroy (Docket No. 0600)

Councilor McCarthy: In memory of Florence Alieu (Docket No. 0601)

Councilor Yancey: Recognizing Boston Centers for Youth and Families (Docket No. 0602) Resolution Recognizing Dr. Alice E. Kidder (Docket No. 0603)

The Chair stated that in the absence of objection, ten late-filed matters would be added to the Consent Agenda.

No objection being heard, the following matters were added:

Councilor Murphy: In memory of Courtney Kelly (Docket No. 0606) In memory of Carolyn Herrick (Docket No. 0607)

Councilor LaMattina: In memory of Vito Maniscalco (Docket No. 0608) In memory of Giovanni Picariello (Docket No. 0609)

Councilor Yancey: In memory of Patricia Ann Hurd (Docket No. 0610)

Councilor Ciommo: In memory of Peter Cardia (Docket No. 0611)

Councilor Yancey: In memory of Elizabeth Abelaide Brooks-Mills (Docket No. 0612) Delta Sigma Theta Sorority Day (Docket No. 0613) Declaring Jhair James Day (Docket No. 0614) Declaring Allegra Farrar Day (Docket No. 0615)

The matters contained within the Consent Agenda were severally adopted.

NEXT MEETING

Adjourned at 2:05 p.m. on motion of President Linehan and in memory of the Shusei Edamoto, Peter Cardia, Barbara Palkey, Coleman "Coley" Lydon, Anthony "Bucky" Disciscio, Vito Maniscalco, Giovanni Picariello, Jeanne L. Hogan, John J. Nee, Sal Natale, Carolyn Herrick, Courtney Kelly, Charles Button, Leo Buckley, John Canney, Gloria Nolan, Elizabeth Brooks-Mills, Patricia Hurd, Rosalee Joseph, Roosevelt Kinds, Sr., and Jill O'Malley Conroy, to meet a gain on Wednesday, April 1, 2015 at 12:00 p.m.

Note: All debate of City Council eliminated from proceedings in accordance with Chapter 447, Acts of 1947.

CITY OF BOSTON

Proceedings of the Boston City Council

Wednesday, April 1, 2015

Regular meeting of the City Council held in the Christopher A. Iannella Chamber, City Hall, at 12:10 p.m. President Linehan in the Chair.

INVOCATION

Reverend Laura Ahart, United Baptist Church, delivered the invocation and the meeting was opened with the pledge of allegiance to the flag.

STATEMENT OF PRESIDENT LINEHAN

President LINEHAN moved to adopt the minutes from the March 25, 2015 meeting. **Motion prevailed.**

NOTICE FROM CITY CLERK IN ACCORDANCE WITH CHAPTER 6 OF ORDINANCES OF 1979 RE: ACTIONS TAKEN BY MAYOR ON PAPERS ACTED UPON BY CITY COUNCIL AT ITS MEETING OF 2-11-2015 2015 (DOCKET NO. 0615)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the City Clerk

March 26, 2015

To the City Council.
Councilors:

In accordance with Chapter 6 of the Ordinances of 1979, I hereby notify you of the following actions taken by the Mayor with regard to the papers acted upon by the City Council at its meeting of February 11, 2015 viz.

0345 Order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend a donation of exercise equipment from Converse to be placed in the fitness center at District A1. The donated exercise equipment will promote health and wellness of the officers assigned there.
Approved by the Mayor February 18, 2015

Respectfully,
Maureen Feeney,
City Clerk.

Placed on file.

NOTICE FROM CITY CLERK IN ACCORDANCE WITH CHAPTER 6 OF ORDINANCES OF 1979 RE: ACTIONS TAKEN BY MAYOR ON PAPERS ACTED UPON BY CITY COUNCIL AT ITS MEETING OF 2-25-2015 (DOCKET NO. 0616)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the City Clerk

March 26, 2015

To the City Council.
Councilors:

In accordance with Chapter 6 of the Ordinances of 1979, I hereby notify you of the following actions taken by the Mayor with regard to the papers acted upon by the City Council at its meeting of February 25, 2015 viz.

0244 Order authorizing the City of Boston Transportation Department to accept and expend a, grant from the Massachusetts Department of Transportation ("MassDOT") in anj amount not to exceed Seven Hundred Thirty-Six Thousand, Nine Hundred Six Dollars and Two Cents ($736,906.02) to assist the City in funding positions in the Boston Traffic Management Center ("TMC") for the next fiscal year.
Approved by the Mayor March 9, 2015

0245 Order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend a grant totaling Eighty Thousand Four Hundred and Sixty Five Dollars ($80,465.00) from Urban Sustainability Director's Network to the City of Boston's Office of Environment, Energy, and Open Space to support the Multi City Microgrids workshop to carry out a collaborative learning workshop for five member cities of creating a more resilient grid.
Approved by the Mayor March 9, 2015

0339 Order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend a capital grant contribution in the amount not to exceed Four Million Three Hundred Seventy-Nine Thousand Four Hundred Thirty-Six Dollars ($4,379,436.00) from the Massachusetts Department of Transportation, Highway Division. This capital grant contribution is awarded to the City of Boston through the Public Works Department for the design of construction plans, specifications and estimates, and for providing construction phase engineering services for the redesign of the Long Island Bridge crossing over Boston Harbor.
Approved by the Mayor March 9, 2015

0341 Order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend the amount of Five Hundred Thousand Dollars ($500,000.00) in the form of a lump sum agreement from the Massachusetts Department of Transportation to fund the beautification and streetscape improvements to Mattapan Square.
Approved by the Mayor March 9, 2015

0342 Order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend the amount of not more than Five Hundred Thousand Dollars ($500,000.00) from Harvard University of Cambridge, MA. This grant is awarded to the City of Boston through the Public Works Department to fund the city-led and city-managed Everett Street Improvements Project.
Approved by the Mayor March 9, 2015

0344 Order authorizing the City of Boston Transportation Department to accept and expend Three Hundred Thousand Dollars ($300,000.00) in the form of a grant from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), passed through the Public Health Commission, as a part of the CDC's Partnerships to Improve Community Health program. The grant funds, to be used over 3 years.
Approved by the Mayor March 9, 2015

0373 Order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend funds totaling Four Hundred and Seventy Five Thousand Dollars. ($475,000.00) from The Knight Foundation to the City of Boston's Department of Itmovation and Technology (DoIT) and the Boston Public Library (BPL) to join forces in making the City's data more accessible.
Approved by the Mayor March 9, 2015

Respectfully,
Maureen Feeney,
City Clerk.

Placed on file.

NOTICE FROM CITY CLERK IN ACCORDANCE WITH CHAPTER 6 OF ORDINANCES OF 1979 RE: ACTIONS TAKEN BY MAYOR ON PAPERS ACTED UPON BY CITY COUNCIL AT ITS MEETING OF 3-4-2015 (DOCKET NO. 0617)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the City Clerk

March 26, 2015

To the City Council.
Councilors:

In accordance with Chapter 6 of the Ordinances of 1979, I hereby notify you of the following actions taken by the Mayor with regard to the papers acted upon by the City Council at its meeting of March 4, 2015 viz.

0378 Order authorizing the issuance of tax-exempt refunding bonds in a principal amount not to exceed Sixty-Five Million Dollars ($65,000,000.00) in order to pay the principal, redemption premium, if any and interest on the bonds or other, obligations to be refunded and costs of issuance of the refunding bonds.
Approved by the Mayor March 5, 2015

Respectfully,
Maureen Feeney,
City Clerk.

Placed on file.

NOTICE FROM CITY CLERK IN ACCORDANCE WITH CHAPTER 6 OF ORDINANCES OF 1979 RE: ACTIONS TAKEN BY MAYOR ON PAPERS ACTED UPON IIY CITY COUNCIL AT ITS MEETING OF 3-11-2015 (DOCKET NO. 0618)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the City Clerk

March 30, 2015

To the City Council.
Councilors:

In accordance with Chapter 6 of thc Ordinances of 1979, I hereby notify you of the following actions taken by the Mayor with regard to the papers acted upon by the City Council at its meeting of March 11, 2015 viz.

0246 Order authorizing the Police Commissioner to ac cept and expend funds of Fifty Thousand Dollars ($50,000.00) from the Executive Office of Health and Human Services Department of Public Health, for the purpose of supporting the Naloxone (narcan) program.
Approved by the Mayor March 16, 2015

0343 Order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend funds from the United States Department of Homeland Security, Port Security Grant Program FYI5 in the amount of Four Hundred Seventy-Two Thousand Five Hundred Dollars ($472,500.00). This grant was made for the purpose of designing and constructing a new dock facility for the Boston Fire Marine Unit".
Approved by the Mayor March 16, 2015

0379 Order authorizing the Office of Environment, Energy, and Open Space to accept and expend a grant of Three Million Six Hundred and Eighty Thousands dollars ($3,680,000.00) from the Massachusetts Department of Energy Resources Renewable and Alternative Energy Division Community Clean Energy Resiliency Initiative Project.
Approved by the Mayor March 16, 2015

0477 Order approval of a Home Rule Petition to the General Court entitled 'Petition for a Special Law Re: An Act Relative to Snow Removal Penalties" .
Approved by the Mayor March 11, 2015

Respectfully,
Maureen Feeney,
City Clerk.

Placed on file.

APPOINTMENT BY THE MAYOR
(DOCKET NO. 0619)

Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of Craig Galvin, as a member of the City of Boston Scholarship Fund Committee, for a term expiring March 23, 2018.
Placed on file.

ABSENCE OF THE MAYOR
(DOCKET NO. 0620)

Communication was received from the Mayor regarding his absence from the City from 6:30 a.m. Thursday, March 26. until 11:55p.m. Sunday, March 29, 2015.
Placed on file.

COMMUNICATION RECEIVED FROM HUY NGUYEN, MD. INTERIM EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR & MEDICAL DIRECTOR OF BOSTON PUBLIC HEALTH COMMISSION, PRESENTING 2014-2015 ANNUAL ASSESSMENT OF THE HEALTH OF BOSTON RESIDENTS (DOCKET NO. 0621)

Communication was received from Huy Nguyen, MD, Interim Executive Director & Medical Director of The Boston Public Health Commission, presenting the 2014-2015 annual assessment of the health of Boston residents.
Placed on file.

REPORT ON ORDER AUTHORIZING CITY OF BOSTON TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND GRANT FROM MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION ("MASSDOT") IN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED $3,159,403 TO FUND MA.JORITY OF PHASE I DESIGN AND ENGINEERING SERVICES FOR RUTHERFORD AVENUE IMPROVEMENT PROJECT (DOCKET NO. 0495)

Councilor McCARTHY, on behalf of the Committee on City, Neighborhood Services and Veterans Affairs, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 0495, message of the Mayor and order authorizing the City of Boston Transportation Department to accept and expend a grant from the Massachusetts Department of Transportation ("MassDOT") in an amount not to exceed Three Million One Hundred Fifty Nine Thousand Four Hundred and Three Dollars ($3,159,403.00) to fund a majority of the Phase 1 design and engineering services for the Rutherford Avenue Improvement Project (referred March 11) - recommending passage of the order.
The report was accepted; the order was passed.

ORDER FOR HEARING REGARDING SNOW OPER-

ATIONS AND REMOVAL IN CITY OF BOSTON (DOCKET NO. 0410)

This matter which was recently heard for possible action was remanded back to the Committee on City, Neighborhood Services and Veterans Affairs and the Committee on Ways and Means.

COMMUNICATION RECEIVED FROM CITY CLERK OF FILING BY AUDITING DEPARTMENT REGARDING CITY OF BOSTON'S FISCAL 2014 COMPREHENSIVE ANNUAL FINANCIAL REPORT (DOCKET NO. 0171)

This matter which was recently heard for possible action was remanded back to the Committee on Post Audit and Oversight.

ORDER FOR HEARING TO REVIEW FISCAL YEAR 2015 BUDGET (DOCKET NO. 0199)

This matter which was recently heard for possible action was remanded back to the Committee on Post Audit and Oversight.

REPORT ON ORDER FOR CONFIRMATION OF RE-APPOINTMENT OF CELIA WCISLO AS MEMBER OF BOSTON PUBLIC HEALTH COMMISSION'S BOARD OF HEALTH FOR TERM EXPIRING JANUARY 2, 2017 (DOCKET NO. 0380)

Councilor PRESSLEY, on behalf of the Committee on Healthy Women, Families and Communities, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 0380, order for the confirmation of the re-appointment of Celia Wcislo as member of the Boston Public Health Commission's Board of Health for a term expiring January 2, 2017 (referred February 25) - recommending confirmation the appointment.

The report was accepted; the appointment was confirmed.

REPORT ON ORDER FOR CONFIRMATION OF RE-APPOINTMENT OF DR. PAULA A. JOHNSON, AS MEMBER AND CHAIRPERSON OF BOSTON PUBLIC HEALTH COMMISSION'S BOARD OF HEALTH FOR REMAINDER OF TERM EXPIRING JANUARY 1, 2018 (DOCKET NO. 0381)

Councilor PRESSLEY, on behalf of the Committee on Healthy Women, Families and Communities, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 0381, order for the confirmation of the re-appointment of Dr. Paula A. Johnson, as a member and Chairperson of the Boston Public Health Commission's Board of Health for the remainder of a term expiring January 1, 2018 (referred February 25) - recommending confirmation of the appointment.

The report was accepted; the appointment was confirmed.

REPORT ON ORDER FOR CONFIRMATION OF RE-APPOINTMENT OF HAROLD COX AS MEMBER OF BOSTON PUBLIC HEALTH COMMISSION'S BOARD OF HEALTH FOR TERM EXPIRING JANUARY 1, 2018 (DOCKET NO. 0382)

Councilor PRESSLEY, on behalf of the Committee on Healthy Women, Families and Communities, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 0382, order for the confirmation of the re-appointment of Harold Cox as a member of the Boston Public Health Commission's Board of Health for a term expiring January 1, 2018 (referred February 25) - recommending confirmation of the appointment.

The report was accepted; the appointment was confirmed.

REPORT ON ORDER FOR CONFIRMATION OF RE-APPOINTMENT OF DR. JOSEPH BETANCOURT AS MEMBER OF BOSTON PUBLIC HEALTH COMMISSION'S BOARD OF HEALTH FOR TERM EXPIRING JANUARY 4, 2016 (DOCKET NO. 0383)

Councilor PRESSLEY, on behalf of the Committee on Healthy Women, Families and Communities, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 0383, order for the confirmation of the re-appointment of Dr. Joseph Betancourt as a member of the Boston Public Health Commission's Board of Health for a term expiring January 4, 2016 (referred February 25) - recommending confirmation of the appointment.

The report was accepted; the appointment was confirmed.

REPORT ON ORDER AUTHORIZING CITY OF BOSTON TO SUBMIT TO MASSACHUSETTS SCHOOL BUILDING AUTHORITY STATEMENT OF INTEREST FOR CARTER DEVELOPMENT DAY CARE SCHOOL (DOCKET NO. 0496)

Councilor CIOMMO, on behalf of the Committee on Ways and Means, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 0496, order authorizing the City of Boston to submit to the Massachusetts School Building Authority the Statement of Interest for the Carter Development Day Care School (referred March 11) - recommending passage of the order.

The report was accepted; the order was passed.

REPORT ON ORDER APPROVING APPROPRIATION OF $1,700,000 FOR PURPOSE OF PAYING COST OF FEASIBILITY STUDY AND SCHEMATIC DESIGN WORK ASSOCIATED WITH RENOVATION OR NEW CONSTRUCTION OF FACILITY FOR JOSIAH QUINCY UPPER SCHOOL. UPON COMPLETION OF FEASIBILITY STUDY, CITY OF BOSTON MAY BE ELIGIBLE FOR GRANT FROM MASSACHUSETTS SCHOOL BUILDING AUTHORITY, SAID AMOUNT TO BE EXPENDED UNDER DIRECTION OF PUBLIC FACILITIES DEPARTMENT ON BEHALF OF BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS (DOCKET NO. 0550)

Councilor CIOMMO, on behalf of the Committee on Ways and Means, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 0550, order approving an appropriation of One Million Seven Hundred Thousand Dollars ($1,700,000.00) for the purpose of paying cost of a feasibility; study and schematic design work associated with the renovation or new construction of a facility for the Josiah Quincy Upper SchooL Upon completion of the feasibility study, the City of Boston may be eligible for

a grant from the Massachusetts School Building Authority, said amount to be expended under the direction of the Public Facilities Department on behalf of Boston Public Schools (referred March 25) - recommending passage of the order.

The report was accepted; the order was passed.

REPORT ON ORDER APPROVING APPROPRIATION OF $1,700,000 FOR PURPOSE OF PAYING COST OF FEASIBILITY STUDY AND SCHEMATIC DESIGN WORK ASSOCIATED WITH RENOVATION OR NEW CONSTRUCTION OF FACILITY FOR BOSTON ARTS ACADEMY. UPON COMPLETION OF FEASIBILITY STUDY, CITY OF BOSTON MAY BE ELIGIBLE FOR GRANT FROM MASSACHUSETTS SCHOOL BUILDING AUTHORITY, SAID AMOUNT TO BE EXPENDED UNDER DIRECTION OF PUBLIC FACILITIES DEPARTMENT ON BEHALF OF BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS (DOCKET NO. 0551)

Councilor CIOMMO, on behalf of the Committee on Ways and Means, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 0551, order approving an appropriation of One Million Seven Hundred Thousand Dollars ($1,700,000.00) for the purpose of paying cost of a feasibility study and schematic design work associated with the renovation or new construction of a facility for the Boston Alis Academy. Upon completion of the feasibility study, the City of Boston may be eligible for a grant from the Massachusetts School Building Authority, said amount to be expended under the direction of the Public Facilities Department on behalf of Boston Public Schools (referred March 25) - recommending passage of the order.

On motion of Councilor CIOMMO, the order was read once and was passed and assigned for further action; yeas 13, nays 0.

REPORT ON ORDER AMENDING APPROPRIATION ORDER THAT WOULD RAISE AMOUNT FROM $550,000 TO $13,000,000 FROM FUNDS PREVIOUSLY HELD BY BOSTON REDEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY ON BEHALF OF CITY AND CURRENTLY HELD IN CITY'S CAPITAL FUND FOR PURPOSE OF MAJOR REHABILIT ATION, RENOVATION OR NEW CONSTRUCTION OF JOSIAH QUINCY UPPER SCHOOL (DOCKET NO. 0552)

Councilor CIOMMO, on behalf of the Committee on Ways and Means, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 0552, order amending an appropriation order that would raise the amount from Five Hundred Fifty Thousand ($550,000.00) to Thirteen Million Dollars ($13,000,000.00) from funds previous held by the Boston Redevelopment Authority on behalf of the City and currently held in the City's Capital Fund for the purpose of major! rehabilitation, renovation or new construction of the Josiah Quincy Upper School (referred March 25) - recommending passage of the order.

The report was accepted; the order was passed.

RESOLUTION THAT COUNCIL URGES MASSACHUSETTS LEGISLATURE TO TAKE ACTION TO SUPPORT APPROPRIATION OF FUNDING NECESSARY TO MAINTAIN READING RECOVERY'S EXISTING LEVEL OF SUPERB INSTRUCTION (DOCKET NO. 0622)

Councilors O'MALLEY, MCCARTHY, BAKER, CIOMMO, LAMATTINA, MURPHY, PRESSLEY, WU, ZAKIM, LINEHAN. JACKSON, FLAHERTY and YANCEY offered the following:

WHEREAS: Reading Recovery is a short-term academic intervention program which seeks to assist first graders that are having the most difficulty learning how to read and write: and

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WHEREAS: Utilizing one-an-one instruction in 30 minute daily sessions over the span of 12 to 20 weeks, Reading Recovery prioritizes five components of instruction: phonemic awareness, phonics, vocabulary, comprehension and fluency; and

WHEREAS: According to the President's Commission on Excellence in Special Education, the largest number of children entering special education are referred for reading difficulties. Reading Recovery has been effective in significantly reducing the number of first grade special education referrals; and

WHEREAS: During 2012-13, Reading Recovery instructors in Massachusetts served 1,396 students; 1,086, or seventy-eight percent, received "complete interventions" (the student either reached grade level or was recommended for further support). Of the students who received complete interventions, seventy-three percent reached grade level by the end of the 2012-13 school year and eighty-eight percent did not need to be referred to special education; and

WHEREAS: Nationally, since 1984, seventy-five percent of students who completed the full 12-to-20 week series of lessons met their grade-level expectation in reading and writing; and

WHEREAS: The Reading Recovery grant program pays for the training of teachers and support for existing teachers; it was funded at $2.9 million until the budget cuts of FY10. In FY15, state appropriation was reduced to $300,000; and

WHEREAS: The rest of this funding, totaling $1.2 million, has been sustained by federal (Investing in Innovation) grants established as a part of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009, which is not being renewed,by Congress; and

WHEREAS: In order to maintain the existing level of training and support, Reading Recovery needs an increase appropriation up to $1.5 million;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED: That the Boston City Council strongly urges the Massachusetts Legislature to take action to support an appropriation of funding necessary to maintain Reading Recovery's existing level of superb instruction.

On motion of Councilor O'MALLEY, the rules were suspended; the resolution was adopted; yeas 13.

ORDER FOR HEARING TO REVIEW SERVICES AND SUPPORTS TO ENGLISH LANGUAGE LEARNER STUDENTS IN BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS (DOCKET NO. 0623)

Councilors JACKSON, PRESSLEY, LAMATTINA, O'MALLEY, WU, YANCEY, CIOMMO, FLAHERTY, LINEHAN, MURPHY and MCCARTHY offered the following:

WHEREAS: English Language Learner students make up of at least 44% of students in Boston Public Schools (BPS); and

WHEREAS: In 2012, the Federal Civil Rights Department and BPS reached an agreement ""to ensure that English Language Leamer (ELL) students in Boston receive the services and support they need to overcome language barriers, as required by the Equal Educational Opportunities Act of 1974 and Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964"; \and

WHEREAS: The 2012 agreement replaced the 2010 settlement which ""required the district to implement short-term remedies to ensure that thousands of students improperly excluded from the district's ELL programs

were promptly assessed and provided services"; and

WHEREAS: While BPS has provide services to ELL students, the 2015 Federal review finds that BPS fails to provide adequatc scrvices to ELL students; and

WHEREAS: It is critical that BPS ELL students receivc appropriatc and adequate services and supports, including but not limited to specialized instruction and teaching instructors, in ordcr to improve and excel; and

WHEREAS: It is important that the Boston City Council reviews the Federal findings, BPS's compliance to the agreement, the serviccs provided to BPS ELL students and the status of ELL students; and,

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDERED, That the appropriate committee of the Boston City Council hold a hearing to review and discuss BPS services and supports to English Language Learners and that the representatives from the BPS Office of English Language Learners, the BPS Office of Equity , relevant BPS departments and other interested parties be invited to testify.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEE
(DOCKET NO. 0624)

Councilor LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Wednesday, April 1, 2015 the following named person be. and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, June 12, 2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:
John Allison, Secretary, $1,266.94, full time
James W. Chan, Secretary, $2,296.16, full time
Elaine M. Cloherty, Secretary, $1,923.08, part time
Jared Hogan, Secretary, $488.48, part time
Kara Nagle, Secretary, $1,266.94, full time
John Ulrich, Administrative Asst., $1.976.94, full time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEE
(DOCKET NO. 0625)

Councilor LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, March 21, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, June 12, 2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Alexander J. Chase, Secretary, $1,634.62, full time
Mark Handley, Secretary, $2,711.56, full time
Deborah O'Leary, Secretary, $1,750.02, full time
Joseph T. Walsh, Secretary, $1,423.10, full time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEE
(DOCKET NO. 0626)

Councilor LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That cffective Saturday, March 21, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, June 12, 2015:

BiWeeklv Payroll:
Robyn Casper, Secretary, $1,634.62, full time
Shaikh Hasib, Secretary, $1,634.62, full time
Tricia Kalayjian, Administrative Asst., $576.94, part time
Maria Lanza, Secretary, $576.94, part time
Ryan Spitz ,Administrative Asst., $2,403.86, full time
Paul Sullivan, Secretary, $692.32, part time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

REPORT ON ORDER APPROVING APPROPRIATION OF $1,700,000 FOR PURPOSE OF PAYING COST OF FEASIBILITY STUDY AND SCHEMATIC DESIGN WORK ASSOCIATED WITH RENOVATION OR NEW CONSTRUCTION OF FACILITY FOR BOSTON ARTS ACADEMY. UPON COMPLETION OF FEASIBILITY STUDY, CITY OF BOSTON MAY BE ELIGIBLE FOR GRANT FROM MASSACHUSETTS SCHOOL BUILDING AUTHORITY, SAID AMOUNT TO BE EXPENDED UNDER DIRECTION OF PUBLIC FACILITIES DEPARTMENT ON BEHALF OF BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS (DOCKET NO. 0551)

Councilor CIOMMO, on behalf of the Committee on Ways and Means, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 0551, order approving an appropriation of One Million Seven Hundred Thousand Dollars ($1,700,000.00) for the purpose of paying cost of a feasibility study and schematic design work associated with the renovation or new construction of a facility for the Boston Arts Academy. Upon completion of the feasibility study, the City of Boston may be eligible for a grant from the Massachusetts School Building Authority, said amount to be expended under the direction of the Public Facilities Deparhnent on behalf of Boston Public Schools (referred March 25) - recommending passage of the order.

The report was accepted; the order was passed.

On motion of Councilor CIOMMO, the order was read once and was passed and assigned for further action; yeas.13, nays 0.

LATE-FILED MATTERS

The Chair stated that in absence of objection, eight late-filed matters would be added to the Agenda.

No objection being heard, the following matters were added:

ORDER AUTHORIZING CITY OF BOSTON, ACTING THROUGH ITS DEPARTMENT OF NEIGHBORHOOD DEVELOPMENT, TO APPLY FOR, ACCEPT AND EXPEND FEDERAL FISCAL YEAR 2015 HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT FUNDS FROM U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT (HUD) (DOCKET NO.0644)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

March 27, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith for your approval, an Order authorizing the City of Boston, acting through its Department of Neighborhood Development, to apply for, accept and expend Federal Fiscal Year 2015 Housing and Community Development funds from the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD).

This Order includes the following programs and amounts:

1. Community Development Block Grant
$16,101,121

2. HOME Investment Partnerships Program

$3,998,161

3. Housing Opportunities for Persons With AIDS
$2,715,215

4. Emergency Solutions Grant
$1,460,989

5. Continuum of Care
$26,000,000

I urge you to adopt this order expeditiously so that the City may submit its application to HUD by the May 15, 2015 deadline.

Sincerely yours,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

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AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF BOSTON TO APPLY FOR, ACCEPT, AND EXPEND FEDERAL FY2015 HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT FUNDS AND FEDERAL FY 2015 CONTINUUM OF CARE PROGRAM FUNDS FROM THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT.

ORDERED: that the City of Boston, acting by and through its Department of Neighborhood Development, be and hereby is, authorized to apply for and accept funds from the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development for a Federal FY2015 Community Development Block Grant funds in an amount not to exceed Sixteen Million One Hundred One Thousand One Hundred Twenty One Dollars ($16,101,121.00); and to expend said funds in accordance with G. L. c. 44, § 53A for the purposes for which granted as stated in the City of Boston's Federal FY2015 Action Plan, and in connection therewith, to execute and deliver such documents as may be required by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development; further, be it

ORDERED: that the City of Boston, acting by and through its Department of Neighborhood Development, be and hereby is, authorized to apply for and accept from the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development Federal FY20 15 HOME Investment Partnerships Program Grant funds in an amount not to exceed Three Million Nine Hundred Ninety Eight Thousand One Hundred Sixty One Dollars ($3,998,161.00); and to expend said funds in accordance with G. L. c. 44, § 53A for the purposes for which granted as stated in the City of Boston's Federal FY2015 Action Plan, and in connection therewith, to execute and deliver such documents as may be required by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development; further be it

ORDERED: that the City of Boston, acting by and through its Department of Neighborhood Development, be and hereby is, authorized to apply for and accept from the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development Federal FY2015 Housing Opportunities for Persons With AIDS Grant funds in an amount not to exceed Two Million Seven Hundred Fifteen Thousand Two Hundred Fifteen Dollars ($2,715.215.00); and to expend said funds in accordance with G. L. c. 44, § 53A for the purposes for which they are granted as stated in the City of Boston's Federal FY2015 Action Plan, and in connection therewith, to execute and deliver such documents as may be required by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development; further be it

ORDERED: that the City of Boston, acting by and through its Department of Neighborhood Development, be and hereby is, authorized to apply for and accept from the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development Federal FY2015 Emergency Solutions Grant funds in an amount not to exceed One Million Four Hundred Sixty Thousand Nine Hundred Eighty Nine Dollars ($1,460,989.00); and to expend said funds in accordance with G. L. c. 44, § 53A for the purposes for which granted as stated in the City of Boston's Federal FY2015 Action Plan, and in connection therewith, to execute and deliver such documents as may be required by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development, further be it

ORDERED: that the City of Boston, acting by and through its Department of Neighborhood Development, be, and hereby is, authorized to apply for Federal FY2015 Continuum of Care funds in an amount not to exceed Twenty Six Million dollars ($26,000,000.00) from the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development, and to accept and expend said funds in accordance with G. L. c. 44, § 53A for the purposes for which the funds were granted as stated in the City of Boston's Federal FY2015 Continuum of Care Program application, and, in connection therewith, is authorized to execute and deliver such documents as may be required by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development.

Referred to the Committee on Housing.

ORDER AUTHORIZING CITY OF BOSTON TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND $51,776 IN FORM OF GRANT, FROM PEOPLEFORBIKES, NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATION, AS PART OF ITS BETTER BIKE SHARE PARTNERSHIP ("BBSP") (DOCKET NO. 0645)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

March 30, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I transm it herewith for your approval an Order authorizing the City of Boston Transportation Department to accept and expend Fifty One Thousand Seven Hundred and Sixty Dollars in the form of a grant, from PeopleForBikes, a non-profit organization, as pmt of its Better Bike Share Partnership ("BBSP"). The grant funds, to be used over twelve months, will be administered by the Boston Transportation Department for the purpose of supporting the City's Hubway equity projects, specifically expanding programs to make Hubway memberships available to low-income residents.

The City will use the funds described above to increase the number of subsidized Hubway memberships sold to more than 1,000 per year, to expand the Prescribe-a-Bike program and to create a roadmap to increasing bike share equity that can be transferred to

other cities in the United States.

I urge your Honorable Body to adopt this Order as expeditiously as possible so that the City of Boston may accept the funds and expend them for the purposes for which they were granted.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

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AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF BOSTON TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND A GRANT IN THE AMOUNT OF FIFTY ONE THOUSAND SEVEN HUNDRED SIXTY DOLLARS FOR THE PURPOSE OF SUPPORTING THE CITY'S BIKE PROGRAMS.

WHEREAS, the City will use the funds described below to increase the number of subsidized Hubway memberships sold to more than 1,000 per year, expand the Prescribe-a-Bike program and create a roadmap to increasing bike share equity that can be transferred to other cities in the United States; therefore be it

ORDERED: that the Mayor, acting on behalf of the City of Boston be, and hereby is, authorized pursuant to section 53A of Chapter 44 of the Massachusetts General

Laws, to accept and expend, upon award and/or receipt, funds in the amount of Fifty One Thousand Seven Hundred and Sixty Dollars ($51,760.00) awarded by PeopleForBikes.

Referred to the Committee on City, Neighborhood Services and Veterans Affairs.

ORDER FOR APPOINTMENT OF REAPPOINTMENT OF CATHLEEN DOUGLAS STONE AS MEMBER OF BOSTON WATER AND SEWER COMMISSION FOR TERM ENDING JANUARY 1, 2018 (DOCKET NO. 0646)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

March 30, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith and for approval by your Honorable Body an Order regarding the reappointment of Cathleen Douglas Stone, of 12 Lime Street, Boston, as a member of the Boston. Water and Sewer Commission, for a term ending January 1,2018. I am reappointing Ms. Stone pursuant to the authority vested in me by Section 3 of Chapter 436 of the Acts of 1977, and subject to your confirmation.

1 urge your Honorable Body to pass this order.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

ORDER TO CONFIRM THE REAPPOINTMENT OF CATHLEEN DOUGLAS STONE TO THE BOSTON WATER AND SEWER COMMISSION FOR A TERM EXPIRING JANUARY 1, 2018.

ORDERED: That the reappointment of Cathleen Douglas Stone, residing at 12 Lime Street, Boston, to the Boston Water and Sewer Commission, for a term ending January 1, 2018, be, and hereby is, confirmed.

Referred to the Committee on City, Neighborhood Services and Veterans Affairs.

ORDER REQUESTING CERTAIN INFORMATION UNDER SECTION 17F RE: PREVIOUS REQUESTS (DOCKET NO. 0647)

Councilor YANCEY offered the following:

ORDERED: That, under the provisions of 17F of Chapter 376 of the Acts of 1951, as amended, and under any other applicable provision of law, His Honor the Mayor, be, and hereby is, requested to obtain and deliver to the City Council, within one week of the receipt thereof, the following information:

The reasons, justifications and particulars regarding the noncompliance with requests for submittal of information, response to notice, request of appearance and the failure to attend the scheduled Boston City Council's Committee on Post Audit and Oversight public hearing on Tuesday, March 31, 2015 at 10:00 AM of Boston Auditing Department, City Auditor Sally D. Glora or any other official of the Boston Auditing Department, to address these Dockets;

0171- Communication was received from the City Clerk of the filing by the Auditing Department regarding the City of Boston's Fiscal 2014 Comprehensive Annual Financial Report.

0199 - Order for a hearing to review the Fiscal Year 20 15 Budget.

As Chair of the Boston City Council's Committee on Post Audit and Oversight, I request the following:

- Why did Boston Auditing Department, City Auditor Sally D. Glora not attend the hearing?
- Why did Boston Auditing Department, City Auditor Sally D. Glora not provide the relevant requested information for her Department?
- What duties was Boston Auditing Department, City Auditor Sally D. Glora performing at the time of the hearing?
- Where was Boston Auditing Department, City Auditor Sally D. Glora at the time of the hearing?
- And I again under this 17F Order, 1 request; For both FY14 and FY15:

BAR reports

Line by line budget, both Adopted and Actual (in Excel).

Personnel information (in Excel):

- List of approved positions as of 12/31/13 and 12/31/14
- List of filled positions as of 12/31/13 and 12/31/14
- List of vacant positions, as of 12/31/13 and 12/31/14
- Demographic report on personnel broken down by race and gender, as of 12/31/13 and 12/31/14
- List of the top ten wage earners, broken down by race and gender, as of 12/31/13 and 12/31/14.

Contract information (in Excel):

- Business address of contractor
- Home address of contractor
- Contract authorization amount
- Amount expended/contracted as of 6/30/14 and 6/30/15
- Demographic report on all contractors, broken down by race and gender

On motion of Councilor YANCEY, the rules were suspended; the order was passed.

ORDER REQUESTING CERTAIN INFORMATION UNDER SECTION 17F RE: PREVIOUS REQUESTS (DOCKET NO. 0648)

Councilor YANCEY offered the following:

ORDERED: That, under the provisions of 17F of Chapter 376 of the Acts of 1951, as amended, and under any other applicable provision of law, His Honor the Mayor, be, and hereby is, requested to obtain and deliver to the City Council, within one week of the receipt thereof, the following information:

The reasons, justifications and particulars regarding the noncompliance with requests for submittal of information, response to notice, request of appearance and the failure to attend the scheduled Boston City Council's Committee on Post Audit and Oversight public hearing on Tuesday, March 24, 2015 at 10:00 AM of Boston Fire

Department, Commissioner Joseph E. Finn or any other official of the Boston Fire Department, to address these Dockets;

0171 - Communication was received from the City Clerk of the filing by the Auditing Department regarding the City of Boston's Fiscal 2014 Comprehensive Annual Financial Report.

0199 - Order for a hearing to review the Fiscal Year 2015 Budget.

As Chair of the Boston City Council's Comlnittee on Post Audit and Oversight. I request the following:

- Why did Boston Fire Department, Commissioner Joseph E. Finn not attend the hearing?
- Why did Boston Fire Department, Commissioner Joseph E. Finn not provide the relevant requested information for his Department?
- What duties was Boston Fire Department, Commissioner Joseph E. Finn performing at the time of the hearing?
- Where was Boston Fire Department, Commissioner Joseph E. Finn at the time of the hearing?
- And I again under this 17F Order, 1 request;

For both FY14 andFY15:

BAR reports

Line by line budget, both Adopted and Actual (in Excel).

Personnel information (in Excel):

- List of approved positions as of 12/31/13 and 12/31/14
- List of filled positions as of 12/31/13 and 12/31/14
- List of vacant positions, as of 12/31/13 and 12/31/14
- Demographic report on personnel broken down by race and gender, as of 12/31/13 and 12/31/14
- List of the top ten wage earners, broken down by race and gender, as of 12/31/13 and 12/31/14.

Contract information (in Excel):

- Business address of contractor
- Home address of contractor
- Contract authorization amount
- Amount expended/contracted as of 6/30/14 and 6/30/15
- Demographic report on all contractors, broken down by race and gender

On motion of Councilor YANCEY, the rules were suspended; the order was passed.

ORDER REQUESTING CERTAIN INFORMATION UNDER SECTION 17F RE: PREVIOUS REQUESTS (DOCKET NO. 0649)

Councilor YANCEY offered the following:

ORDERED: That, under the provisions of 17F of Chapter 376 of the Acts of 1951, as amended, and under any other applicable provision of law, His Honor the Mayor, be, and hereby is, requested to obtain and deliver to the City Council, within one week of the receipt thereof, the followi ng information:

The reasons, justifications and particulars regarding the noncompliance with requests for submittal of information, response to notice, request of appearance and the failure to attend the scheduled Boston City Council's Committee on Post Audit and Oversight public hearing on Thursday, March 26, 2015 at 10:00 AM of Public Works Department, Interim Commissioner Michael Dennehy or any other official of the Public Works Department, to address these Dockets;

0171 - Communication was received from the City Clerk of the filing by the Auditing Department regarding the City of Boston's Fiscal 2014 Comprehensive Annual Financial Report.

0199 - Order for a hearing to review the Fiscal Year 20 15 Budget.

As Chair of the Boston City Council's Committee on Post Audit and Oversight, I request the following:

- Why did Public Works Department, Interim Commissioner Michael Dennehy not attend the hearing?
- Why did Public Works Department, Interim Commissioner Michael Dennehy not provide the relevant requested information for his Department?
- What duties was Public Works Department, Interim Commissioner Michael Dennehy performing at the time of the hearing?
- Where was Public Works Department, Interim Commissioner Michael Dennehy at the time of the hearing?
- And I again under this 17F Order, I request;

For both FY14 and FY15:

BAR reports

Line by line budget, both Adopted and Actual (in Excel).

Personnel information (in Excel):

- List of approved positions as of 12/31/13 and 12/31/14
- List of filled positions as of 12/31/13 and 12/31/14
- List of vacant positions, as of 12/31/13 and 12/31/14
- Demographic report on personnel broken down by race and gender, as of 12/31/13 and 12/31/14
- List of the top ten wage earners, broken down by race and gender, as of 12/31/13 and 12/31/14.

Contract information (in Excel):

- Business address of contractor
- Home address of contractor
- Contract authorization amount
- Amount expended/contracted as of 6/30/14 and 6/30/15

- Demographic report on all contractors, broken down by race and gender

On motion of Councilor YANCEY, the rules were suspended; the order was passed.

RESOLUTION URGING THE CITY OF BOSTON TO TAKE ACTION IN ORDER TO REFLECT THE CITY'S COMMITMENT TO EQUITY BY PROHIBITING PUBLICLY FUNDED TRAVEL TO THE STATE OF ARKANSAS WHILE HOUSE BILL 1228 REMAINS IN EFFECT (DOCKET NO. 0650)

Councilors JACKSON, O'MALLEY, YANCEY, BAKER, CIOMMO, FLAHERTY and LINEHAN offered the following:

WHEREAS: The Arkansas House of Representative passed House Bill 1228, a Religious Freedom Restoration Act, and the state of Arkansas Governor plans to sign the bill into law; and

WHEREAS: This law would allow anyone to claim religious freedom as a right to refuse to follow laws that protect against discrimination or harm; and

WHEREAS: The policy and practice provided under this Religious Freedom Restoration Act is inconsistent with the Boston City Council and City of Boston's values of promoting equality, fairness, inclusiveness and respect for all; and

WHEREAS: The Boston City Council will stand with those who are fighting to protect and advance equity and social justice in Arkansas and elsewhere across the country; and

WHEREAS: The City of Boston should affirm the City's commitment to civil rights and ensuring equity for all people by banning publicly funded travel to the state of Arkansas; and,

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, That the Boston City Council strongly urges the City of Boston to take action in order to reflect the City's commitment to equity by prohibiting publicly funded travel to the state of Arkansas while such law remains in effect.

On motion of Councilor JACKSON, the rules were suspended; the resolution was adopted.

RESOLUTION URGING THE CITY OF BOSTON TO TAKE ACTION IN ORDER TO REFLECT THE CITY'S COMMITMENT TO EQUITY BY PROHIBITING PUBLICLY FUNDED TRAVEL TO THE STATE OF INDIANA WHILE "THE RELIGIOUS FREEDOM RESTORATION ACT" REMAINS IN EFFECT (DOCKET NO. 0651)

Councilors JACKSON, BAKER, CIOMMO, LAMATTINA, MCCARTHY, O'MALLEY, PRESSLEY, WU, ZAKIM and LINEHAN offered the following:

WHEREAS: The state of Indiana recently enacted a law entitled "The Religious Freedom Restoration Act" to allow individuals and businesses, whether nonprofit or for-profit, to discriminate against lesbian, gay, bisexual and transgender persons in public accommodations; and

WHEREAS: Indiana's Religious Freedom Restoration Act is inconsistent with the Boston City Council and City of Boston's values of promoting equality, fairness, inclusiveness and respect for all; and

WHEREAS: The Boston City Council will stand with those who are fighting to protect and advance equity and social justice in Indiana and elsewhere across the country; and

WHEREAS: The City of Boston should affirm the City's commitment to civil rights and ensuring equity for all people by banning publicly funded travel to the state of Indiana; and,

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, That the Boston City Council strongly urges the City of Boston to take action in order to reflect the City's commitment to equity by prohibiting publicly funded travel to the state of Indiana while such law remains in effect.

On motion of Councilor JACKSON, the rules were suspended; the resolution was adopted.

STATEMENT OF COUNCILOR O'MALLEY

Councilor O'MALLEY, having unanimous consent to do so, wanted to thank all of the Councilors and friends who supported him and his family during their time of grief in the loss of his sister, Jill O'Malley Conroy.

He remembered Jill and her faithfulness to children and teaching and her support of him during his election and how proud she was of him even when she thought he had lost. He was overwhelmed by all of the friends and co-workers present who came and was touched by their condolences.

CONSENT AGENDA

The Chair moved adoption of a Consent Agenda in which the following-named Councilors offered resolutions of a condolence or congratulatory nature as set forth after each Councilor's name:

Councilor Murphy: In memory of John Joe Somers (Docket No. 0627)

CouncilorWu: Congratulating the Loong Kong Tien Yee Association (Docket No. 0(28)

Councilor Ciommo: Recognizing Mandy & Joe's Restaurant (Docket No. 0629) In memory of John F. Robinson (Docket No. 0630)

Councilor Zakim: Recognizing John Jackson (Docket No. 0631)

Councilors Linehan and Flaherty: In memory of Robert B. Flynn (Docket No. 0632) In memory of Kevin M. Mayer (Docket No. 0633)

Councilor Wu: Congratulating the Lee Family Association on its Chinese New Year banquet (Docket No. 0634)

Councilors Murphy, McCarthy, WU and Flaherty: Congratulating Brittany Butler (Docket No. 0635) Congratulating Erica Hirshler (Docket No. 0636) Congratulating Marietta Phinney (Docket No. 0637)

Councilor McCarthy: Congratulating Barbara Wicker (Docket No. 0638) Congratulating Mary Margaret Pitts (Docket No. 0639)

Congratulating Musiconnects (Docket No. 0640) Congratulating Brother Anthony K. Cavet (Docket No. 0(41)

Councilor Yancey: Congratulating Lamont Lilly (Docket No. 0642)

Councilor Yancey: Recognizing 24 people for their contribution to during the Golden Age of Radial at WRBB 104.0 FM, a public service of Northeastern University (Docket No. 0643)

The chair stated that in absence of objection, ten late-file matters would be added to the Consent Agenda.

No objection being beard, the following matters were added:

Councilor Linehan: In memory of Nancy A. Walker (Docket No. 0652 In memory of William F. Cook, Sr. (Docket No. 0653) Councilor O'Malley: In memory of Sam Sherwood (Docket No. 0654)

Councilor Linehan: In memory of Alice V. Connolly (Docket No. 0655)

Councilor LaMattina: In memory of Diane Albano (Docket No. 0656) Congratulating Candice Cook (Docket No. 0657) In memory of Anthony "Bucky" Disciscio (Docket No. 0658) In memory of Josephine Gentile (Docket No. 0659) In memory of Fred Ruggiero (Docket No. 0660)

Councilor Ciommo: In memory of Cora M. Tenagli (Docket No. 0661)

The matters contained within the Consent Agenda were severally adopted.

Adjourned at 1:58 p.m. on motion of President Linehan, in memory of M. Patricia Flanigan, John F. Robinson, Cora M. Tenaglia, Nancy A. Walker, Fred Ruggiero, Sam Sherwood, Mary Consalvo, Jon Joe Somers, Alice V. Connolly, William J. Cook, Sr., Robert B. Flynn and Kevin Meyer, to meet again on Wednesday, April 8, 2015 at 12:00 p.m.

Note: All debate of City Council eliminated from proceedings in accordance with Chapter 447, Acts of 1947.

CITY OF BOSTON

Proceedings of the Boston City Council

Wcdnesday, April 8, 2015

Regular meeting of the City Council held in the Christopher A. Iannella Chamber, City Hall, at 12:12 p.m. President Linehan in the Chair. Absent, Councilor Pressley.

INVOCATION

Sister Maryadele Robinson, Laboure Center, delivered the invocation, and the meeting was opened with the pledge of allegiance to the flag.

VISITORS TO CITY COUNCIL

President LINEHAN welcomed the Timilty School with Lisa Bello who was visiting the the Council Chamber today.

PRESENTATION BY COUNCILOR MURPHY

Councilor MURPHY presented a resolution to the members of the George Demeter Unit which abides by the Demeter's Manual of Parliamentary Law and Procedure and declared April 8, 2015 as George Demeter Day in the City of Boston.

STATEMENT OF PRESIDENT LINEHAN

President LINEHAN moved to adopt the minutes from the April 1, 2015 meeting. **Motion prevailed.**

ORDER FOR ANNUAL APPROPRIATION AND TAX ORDER FOR FY2016 (DOCKET NO. 0662)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

April 6, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith my Fiscal Year 2016 Recommended Budget for the City of Boston. The Recommended Operating Budget totals $2.86 billion and represents an increase of $119.9 million, or 4.4% over FY15.

I put forth these recommendations for an FY16 budget that will advance progress toward a City that is Thriving, Healthy, and Innovative for all residents.

It invests heavily in core City services and amenities, such as Neighborhood Services, Public Works, and Parks to enhance the quality of life across the City.

It improves public safety by providing for new police and fire classes, while elevating diversity efforts through additional resources in the Fire department and the reintroduction of the Cadet program in the Police department.

It builds off of FY15's elevation of Arts and Culture to the cabinet-level by increasing the office's budget by nearly 33 percent. With this, Boston will be able to expand its major event offerings, support its artists, and enrich the lives of its citizens, while contributing to the local economy.

It fully funds operations of the City's renowned library system, including the newly renovated children's and teen spaces in the Johnson Building in Copley Square.

It advances my goal of producing 4,000 units of affordable elderly housing by 2030 with a brand-new $1.75 million City investment.

It invests heavily in BPS, appropriating $21 million more in weighted student funding, funding 100 additional Pre- K seats, and expanding extended learning time to 16 additional schools.

With growth in fixed costs and salaries and benefits. and the City's increasing reliance on local revenues, I was forced to make tough choices among City priorities. However, the strength of the Boston economy affords me the ability to recommend the investments referenced above and others, while maintaining Boston's path to long-term fiscal stability.

This budget is a manifestation of my vision for a Thriving, Healthy, and Innovative Boston. A thriving Boston allows each resident to prosper economically. receive a world¬class education, and have access to affordable housing. In a healthy Boston, residents feel safe, and care for their environment and the well-being of all of those within it. An innovative Boston improves citizen experiences with government operations and drives optimal service delivery through data and technology driven management.

I look forward to working with you during the budget process, and I respectfully request your favorable action on the FY16 Operating Budget and the Five Year Capital Plan for FY16 to FY20.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

Appropriation and Tax Order for the fiscal year Commencing July 1, 2015 and ending June 30, 2016

ORDERED: That to meet the current expenses of the City of Boston, in the fiscal year commencing July 1, 2015 and ending June 30, 2016. the respective sums of money specified in the schedules hereinafter set out, be, and the same hereby are, appropriated for expenditure under the direction of the respective boards and officers severalty specified. for the several specific purposes hereinafter designated and., except for transfers lawfully made, for such purposes only said appropriations, to the extent they are for the maintenance and operation of parking meters, and the regulation of parking and other activities incident thereto (which is hereby determined to be $20,500,000), being made out of the income from parking meters and, to the extent they are for other purposes, being made out of the proceeds from the sale of tax title possessions and receipts from tax title redemptions in addition to the total real and personal property taxes of prior years collected from July 1,2014 up to and including March 31, 2015, as certified by the City Auditor under Section 23 of Chapter 59 of the General Laws, and out of available funds on hand, (which is hereby determined to be $40,000,000) as certified by the Director of Accounts under said Section 23, and the balance of said appropriations to be raised by taxation pursuant to Section 23 of Chapter 59 of the General Laws:

CITY DEPARTMENTS	Personnel Services	Contractual Services	Supplies & Materials	Current Charges & Obligations	Equipment	Special Appropriation	Structures & Improvements	Land Non-Structural Improvement	Total
Mayor's Office									
111 Mayor's Office	3,184,257	166,518	42,715	18,181	-	-	-	-	3,391,671
121,128 Election Department	3,184,751	774,650	373,850	118,400	51,974	-	-	-	4,503,625
151 Law Department	3,942,011	1,983,953	19,887	115,068	3,000	-	-	-	6,043,919
Operations									
150 Intergovernmental Relations	957,673	174,734	5,034	182,156	-	-	-	-	1,319,597
412 Neighborhood Services	2,638,043	65,048	12,680	4,779	1,600	-	-	-	2,742,150
180 Property & Construction Mgmt	13,964,255	8,076,550	471,095	130,450	200,719	-	-	-	22,843,069
Arts & Culture									
414 Office of Arts & Culture	794,326	582,389	26,586	1,015	5,824	-	-	-	1,410,140
110 Library Department	23,491,095	7,580,721	2,629,675	143,387	222,696	-	-	25,000	34,092,573
Economic Development									
182 Office of Economic Development	1,796,317	119,684	15,600	17,574	10,791	-	-	-	1,959,946
114 Consumer Affairs & Licensing	429,739	15,316	10,975	801	-	-	-	-	456,831
252 Licensing Board	792,529	19,200	10,900	11,000	-	-	-	-	833,629
416 Office of Tourism	788,093	39,880	29,335	50,074	21,029	218,285	-	-	1,146,696
Environment, Energy & Open Space									
303 Environment Department	1,798,252	437,895	16,000	2,465	-	-	-	-	2,249,612
280 Inspectional Services Dept	15,812,923	1,355,673	201,158	815,287	152,700	-	-	-	18,337,721
300,400 Parks & Recreation Department	11,704,606	3,579,767	905,656	623,951	438,691	50,000	-	983,083	18,285,754
Finance, Budget & Administration									
144 Office of Finance & Budget	727,509	199,391	3,800	1,700	-	-	-	-	932,400
136 Assessing Department	6,467,192	421,000	108,714	109,687	-	-	-	-	7,106,593
131 Auditing Department	2,589,791	59,370	10,635	6,065	-	-	-	-	2,665,861
141 Budget Management	2,425,956	505,756	5,800	197,775	-	-	-	-	3,135,087
333 Execution of Courts	-	-	-	-	-	3,500,000	-	-	3,500,000
148 Health Insurance	-	-	-	195,756,613	-	-	-	-	195,756,613
142 Human Resources	3,423,953	141,700	41,650	191,528	5,800	-	-	-	3,804,631
139 Medicare Payments	8,700,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8,700,000
147 Labor Relations	827,087	556,020	4,350	32,652	3,215	-	-	-	1,423,204
374 Pensions & Annuities - City	4,100,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4,100,000
749 Pensions & Annuities - County	100,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	100,000
143 Purchasing Division	1,711,218	52,752	5,800	2,885	-	6,000	-	-	1,778,655
163 Registry Division	950,947	37,817	18,900	710	-	-	-	-	1,008,374
137,138 Treasury Department	3,294,944	225,359	772,919	19,319	-	-	-	-	4,312,541
199 Unemployment Compensation	350,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	350,000
341 Workers' Compensation Fund	-	-	-	-	-	2,200,000	-	-	2,200,000
Health & Human Services									
385 Boston Centers for Youth & Families	20,462,857	3,658,677	241,878	110,049	169,504	-	-	-	24,642,965
404 Commission for Persons with Disabilities	384,458	18,600	8,192	-	-	-	-	-	411,250
387 Elderly Commission	2,694,923	178,735	142,176	56,020	56,397	-	-	-	3,128,251
403 Fair Housing & Equity	201,689	7,500	7,000	1,147		-	-	-	217,336
113 Office of New Bostonians	360,188	12,570	3,500	263	-	-	-	-	376,521
620 Public Health Commission	-	-	-	-	-	73,950,274	-	-	73,950,274
741 Veterans Services Department	835,899	102,932	63,350	4,248,580	-	-	-	-	5,250,761
417 Women's Commission	209,649	2,669	900	-	-	-	-	-	213,218
448 Youth Engagement & Employment	4,881,939	14,080	23,500	1,600	4,500	622,500	-	-	5,548,119
Housing & Neighborhood Development									
188 Neighborhood Development	2,969,821	1,338,384	47,267	125,925	8,869	7,250,000	-	-	11,760,266
Information & Technology									
149 Department of Innovation & Technology	12,630,258	5,227,800	57,100	8,481,435	1,431,112	-	-	-	27,827,705

	CITY DEPARTMENTS	Personnel Services	Contractual Services	Supplies & Materials	Current Charges & Obligations	Equipment	Special Appropriation	Structures & Improvements	Land Non-Structural Improvement	Total
	Public Safety									
231	Emergency management	257,402	180,475	2,700	265,540	-	-	-	-	706,117
221	Fire Department	195,681,273	6,968,740	4,905,056	2,894,963	3,254,791	-	-	20,000	213,722,813
211	Police Department	291,375,285	12,666,056	8,646,044	4,135,957	6,685,145	-	-	-	323,508,487
	Streets, Transportation & Sanitation									
321	Central Fleet Management	1,921,914	124,551	149,380	7,860	272,360	-	-	-	2,476,065
310	Office of Streets, Transportation & Sanitation	1,786,415	9,338	17,725	1,610	25,293	-	-	-	1,822,381
311	Public Works Department	21,769,017	54,680,183	1,695,586	636,950	2,807,408	-	400,000	-	81,989,144
331	Snow Removal	-	22,158,079	-	-	407,885	-	-	-	22,563,964
251,253	Transportation Department	22,946,079	7,708,225	1,550,521	317,432	685,861	-	-	-	33,208,118
	Non-Mayoral Departments									
112	City Council	5,046,819	173,460	30,500	23,100	16,000	-	-	-	5,289,879
161	City Clerk	1,051,135	51,761	15,000	9,600	-	-	-	-	1,127,496
193	Finance Commission	257,975	4,450	575	250	2,125	-	-	-	265,375
	Other									
158	Risk Retention Reserve	-	-	-	-	-	1,500,000	-	-	1,500,000
159	Housing Trust Fund	-	-	-	-	-	330,000	-	-	330,000
999	Reserve for Collective Bargaining	11,111,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11,111,000
	TOTAL	**719,780,442**	**142,454,388**	**23,351,464**	**219,871,663**	**16,945,288**	**89,827,059**	**400,000**	**1,028,083**	**1,213,438,387**

FURTHER ORDERED: That to meet so much of the expenses of maintaining. improving and embellishing in the fiscal period commencing July 1, 2015 and ending June 30, 2016, cemeteries owned by the City of Boston, or in its charge, as is not met by the income of deposits for perpetual care on hand December 31, 2014, the respective sum of money specified in the subjoined schedule be, and the same hereby is, appropriated out of the fund set up under Chapter 13 of the .Acts of 1961 the same to be expended under the direction of the Commissioner of Parks and Recreation:

400100
Cemetery Division
Parks and Recreation Department
$950.000

Referred to the Committee of Ways and Means.

ORDER FOR ANNUAL APPROPRIATION FOR THE SCHOOL DEPARTMENT FOR FY2016 (DOCKET NO. 0663)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

April 6, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith an appropriation order for the Boston Public Schools for Fiscal Year 2016, in the amount of $1.0135 billion, submitted pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 224 of the Acts of 1936, as amended by Chapter 190 of the Acts of 1982, as further amended by Chapter 701 of the Acts of 1986, Chapter 613 of the Acts of 1987, and Chapter 108 of the Acts of 1991.

Projected cost growth exceeding City revenue growth, and reductions in federal and net state aid presented challenges for BPS in developing the FY16 budget. However, thanks to a City appropriation increase of $38.6 million, this budget provides the financial support for many key investments. These include continuing to expand our early education program by 100 new Kl seats; expanding inclusive opportunities for students with disabilities; maintaining hiring autonomy for schools to attract, hire, retain and develop, talented teams of highly--qualified, diverse educators; offering extended learning time to 16 additional schools; enhancing digital learning opportunities through technology infrastructure and program expansion; continuing to invest in underperforming schools; and supporting the BPS network structure. Most significantly, this budget increases investment in Weighted Student Funding to schools increase by $21 million.

The recently concluded Superintendent search demonstrated the passion that our City has for the future of its children. The unparalleled level of transparency and public dialogue through this process revealed the problems. progress, and opportunities of our school system. As we transition to a new era within BPS, my commitment to our students remains steadfast We must meet the system's numerous challenges head on and operate more efficiently to achieve better results. This budget moves the City in the direction of better outcomes for all students through further efficiencies and targeted investments. I commend Interim Superintendent McDonough and the School Committee for their work in developing this budget.

I respectfully request your support of the FY16 appropriation for the Boston Public Schools.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

ORDERED: That pursuant to Chapter 224 of the Acts of 1936. as amended by Chapter 190 of the Acts of 1982, and as further amended by Chapter 701 of the Acts of 1986. Chapter 613 of the Acts of 1987. and Chapter 108 of the Acts of 1991, to meet the current operating expenses of the School Department in the fiscal period commencing July I, 2015 and ending June 30, 2016, the sum of ONE BlILION THIRTEEN MlIL1ON F1VE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOJ.LARS ($1.013,500.000) be, and the same hereby is. appropriated. said sum to be raised by taxation pursuant to Section 23 of Chapter 59 of the General Laws:

Boston School Department $1,013,500,000

Referred to the Committee of Ways and Means.

ORDER APPROVING APPROPRIATION OF $40,000,000 TO OTHER POST-EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS (OPEB) LIABILITY TRUST FUND ESTABLISHED UNDER SECT1ON 20 OF MASSACHUSETTS GENERAL LAW CHAPTER 32B (DOCKET NO. 0664)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

April 6, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith for your approval, an order appropriating $40,000,000 to the Other Post Employment Benefits (OPEB) Liability Trust Fund authorized under Chapter 32B, §20, as added by Chapter 479 of the Acts of 2008. Your annual approval of the OPEB contribution will bring the total aggregate amount appropriated toward the City's and Public Health Commission's unfunded liability to $307 million. The OPEB actuarial valuation as of June 30, 2013, estimated the City's unfunded liability at $2.1 billion.

Building on the changes agreed to under the first Public Employee Commission (PEC) agreement which resulted in greater employee and retiree cost sharing of health care costs, the City and its unions successfully signed a second five-year PEC agreement in January 2015. We will continue to work with our unions to ensure the sustainability of health care benefits within the means of the City's current budget. both now and in the future.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

ORDERED: That the sum of FORTY MILLION DOLLARS ($40,000,000) be, and the same hereby is, appropriated to the Other Post Employment Benefits Liability Trust Fund established under Section 20 of Massachusetts General Laws Chapter 32B, said sum to be met from available funds on hand as certified by the Director of Accounts pursuant to Section 23 of Chapter 59 of the General Laws.

61800-138910
Other Post Employment Benefits Liability Trust Fund
$40,000,000

Referred to the Committee of Ways and Means.

ORDER AUTHOR1ZING CITY TO ENTER 1NTO ONE OR MORE LEASE, LEASE·PURCHASE OR INSTALLMENT SALES AGREEMENTS 1N FY2016 1N AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED $26,900,000 FOR VAR1OUS CITY DEPARTMENTS FOR

ACQUISITION OF EQUIPMENT IN FURTHERANCE OF THEIR RESPECTIVE GOVERNMENTAL FUNCTIONS (DOCKET NO. 0665)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

April 6, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith for your approval an order authorizing the City of Boston to enter into one or more lease, lease-purchase or installment sales agreements in Fiscal Year 2016 in an amount not to exceed $26,900,000. These funds are to be used by various City departments for the acquisition of equipment in furtherance of their respective governmental functions. The list of equipment includes: computer equipment (hardware and software), motor vehicles and trailers, ambulances, firefighting equipment, office equipment, telecommunications equipment, photocopying equipment, medical equipment, school and educational equipment, school buses, parking meters, street lighting installation, traffic signal equipment and equipment functionally related to, and components of, the foregoing.

I urge your Honorable Body to pass this order as expeditiously as possible to ensure the successful completion of the equipment acquisition program.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

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ORDERED: That pursuant to section 11 of Cllapter 643 of the Acts of 1983, the City of Boston, acting by and through its Purchasing Agent and its Collector-Treasurer, with the approval of the Mayor, is authorized to acquire the following departmental equipment by entering into one or more lease, lease-purchase or installment sales agreements in Fiscal Year 2016 in an amount not to exceed Twenty Six Million Nine Hundred Thousand Dollars ($26,900,000) in such form or forms as the Purchasing Agent and Collector-Treasurer may determine with the approval of the Mayor; computer equipment (hardware and software), motor vehicles and trailers, ambulances, firefighting equipment, office equipment, telecommunications equipment, photocopying equipment, medical equipment, school and educational equipment, school buses, parking meters, street lighting installation, traffic signal equipment and equipment functionally related to, and components of, the foregoing.

AND FURTHER ORDERED: That pursuant to section 9 of Chapter 643 of the Acts of 1983, the Collector-Treasurer be, and hereby is, authorized to execute and deliver, as appropriate, on behalf of the City of Boston, with the approval of the Mayor, trust, security and/or lease agreements andj or reimbursement agreements with attached letters of credit, and to procure, as appropriate, insurance to secure the City's obligation as authorized above, all in such form or forms as the Collector/Treasurer may determine with the approval of the Mayor.

Referred to the Committee of Ways and Means.

ORDER AMENDING APPROPRIATION ORDER THAT WOULD RAISE AMOUNT FROM $2,020,000 TO $3,030,000 FOR PURPOSE OF FINANCING COST OF VARIOUS CAPITAL PROJECTS PER" YOUTH BUDGET" PROJECT ADMINISTERED BY BOSTON CENTER FOR YOUTH AND FAMILIES (DOCKET NO. 0666)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

April 6, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith for your approval an appropriation order to amend an appropriation originally passed by your Honorable Body on June 5, 2013 and June 26, 2013, and approved by the Mayor on July 1, 2013, and amended by your Honorable Body on June 4, 2014 and June 25, 2014, and approved by the Mayor on June 30, 2014.

The proposed appropriation order would raise the currently approved amount from $2,020,000 to $3,030,000 for the purposes of financing the costs of various capital projects per the "Youth Budget" project administered by the Boston Center for Youth and Families.

I urge your Honorable Body to pass this order.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

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ORDERED: That an appropriation originally passed by the Boston City Council on June 5, 2013 and June 26, 2013, and approved by the Mayor on July 1, 2013 in the amount of One Million Ten Thousand Dollars ($1,010,000), and amended by your Honorable Body on June 4, 2014 and June 25, 2014, and approved by the Mayor on June 30,2014 as increased to the aggregate amount of Two Million Twenty Thousand Dollars ($2,020,000), is yet further amended by inserting in place of such amount the aggregate sum of Three Million Thirty Thousand Dollars ($3,030,000) appropriated for financing the costs of various capital projects for the purposes of the Boston Center for Youth and Families; and that to meet said appropriation the Collector-Treasurer be, and hereby is, authorized under the provisions of Section 7 of Chapter 44 of the General Laws, or any other enabling authority, to issue from. time to time, with the approval of the Mayor, bonds, notes or certificates of indebtedness of the City up to said amount, provided that the appropriation authorized through this order be expended only on the project(s) as described by name attached hereto; that this order shall constitute a declaration of official intent of the City pursuant to Treasury Regulations Section 1.150-2{e) to reimburse expenditures for such projects made from funds established for such purpose as permitted by statute from proceeds of debt incurred by the City pursuant to this order; and that pursuant to Section 12(b) of Chapter 643 of the Acts of 1983, as amended, if any part of the proceeds of sale of any bonds or notes or other obligations issued by the City under this order remains unexpended after the work or purpose for which such bonds, notes or other obligations are issued is completed, such proceeds are hereby appropriated and may be applied by the Collector-Treasurer and City Auditor, at the direction of the Mayor, to pay the principal, premium or interest on such bonds, notes or other obligations or on any other debt of the City.

FY'16 - Capital Council Order Attachment

Amendment of $1,010,000 - from $2,020,000 to $3,030,000

1. Youth Budget Round 3

Referred to the Committee of Ways and Means.

ORDER FOR LOAN OF $40,525,000 FOR REMODELING, RECONSTRUCTING, OR MAKING EXTRAORDINARY REPAIRS TO PUBLIC BUILDINGS OWNED BY CITY, INCLUDING ORIGINAL EQUIPMENT, FURNISHINGS AND

LANDSCAPING, PAVING AND OTHER SITE IMPROVEMENTS INCIDENTAL OR DIRECTLY RELATED TO SUCH REMODELING, RECONSTRUCTION OF REPAIR; AND/OR FOR ENERGY CONSERVATION, ALTERNATIVE ENERGY OR RENEWABLE ENERGY IMPROVEMENTS TO PUBLIC BUILDINGS OR FACILITIES, AND/OR FOR COST OF DEPARTMENTAL EQUIPMENT; AND/OR FOR COST OF ENGINEERING OR ARCHITECTURAL SERVICES FOR PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS, FOR PURPOSE OF VARIOUS CITY DEPARTMENT INCLUDING BOSTON CENTER FOR YOUTH AND FAMILY, BOSTON REDEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY, ENVIRONMENT, FIRE, LIBRARY, NEIGHBORHOOD DEVELOPMENT, POLICE, PROPERTY AND CONSTRUCTION MANAGEMENT, PUBLIC HEALTH COMMISSION AND TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT (DOCKET NO. 0667)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

April 6, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith for your approval an appropriation order in the amount of $40,525,000 for remodeling. reconstructing, or making extraordinary repairs to public buildings owned by the City, including original equipment, furnishings and landscaping, paving and other site improvements incidental or directly related to such remodeling, reconstruction or repair; and/ or for energy conservation, alternative energy or renewable energy improvements to public buildings or facilities; and/or for the cost of departmental equipment; and/or for the cost of engineering or architectural services for plans and specifications, for the purposes of various city departments including the Boston Center for Youth and Families, Boston Redevelopment Authority, Environment, Fire, Library, Neighborhood Development, Police, Property and Construction Management, Public Health Commission and Transportation Departments.

I urge your Honorable Body to pass this order.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

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ORDERED: That the sum of Forty Million Five Hundred Twenty Five Thousand Dollars ($40,525,000) be, and hereby is, appropriated for remodeling, reconstructing, or making extraordinary repairs to public buildings owned by the City, including original equipment, furnishings and landscaping, paving and other site improvements incidental or directly related to such remodeling, reconstruction or repair; and/ or for energy conservation, alternative energy or renewable energy improvements to public buildings or facilities; and/ or for the cost of departmental equipment; and/ or for the cost of engineering or architectural services for plans and specifications, for the purposes of various city departments including the Boston Center for Youth and Families, Boston Redevelopment Authority, Environment, Fire, Library, Neighborhood Development, Police, Property and Construction Management, Public Health Commission and Transportation Departments; and that to meet said appropriation the Collector-Treasurer be, and hereby is, authorized under the provisions of Gauses (3A), (3B), (9), and/ or (22) of Section 7 of Chapter 44 of the General Laws, or any other enabling authority, to issue from time to time, with the approval of the Mayor, bonds, notes or certificates of indebtedness of the City up to said amount, provided that the appropriation authorized through this order be expended only on the project(s) as described by name attached hereto; that this order shall constitute a declaration of official intent of the City pursuant to Treasury Regulations Section 1.150-2(e) to reimburse expenditures for such projects made from funds established for such purpose as permitted by statute from proceeds of debt incurred by the City pursuant to this order; and that pursuant to Section 12(b) of Chapter 643 of the Acts of 1983, as amended, if any part of the proceeds of sale of any bonds or notes or other obligations issued by the City under this order remains unexpended after the work or purpose for which such bonds, notes or other obligations are issued is completed, such proceeds are hereby appropriated and may be applied by the Collector-Treasurer and City Auditor, at the direction of the Mayor, to pay the principal, premium or interest on such bonds, notes or other obligations or on any other debt of the City.

FY'16 - Capital Council Order Attachment

$40,525,000

1. Boilers and HVAC Improvements
2. City Hall Plaza Improvements
3. Distributed Energy Resource Design Services
4. Energy Efficiency Design Services
5. Building Envelope Repairs at Various Stations
6. Critical Facility Repairs
7. Diesel Exhaust System Replacement
8. Engine 50
9. Programming Study
10. Roof and Masonry Repairs at Engine 4, 14, and 55
11. Central Library: Johnson Roof Replacement
12. Dudley Branch Ubrary Renovation
13. Parker Hill Library
14. Strand Theater Upgrades
15. Area A-I and D-4 Stations
16. Area E-5 Station
17. Community Policing Facilities Study
18. Critical Facility Repairs
19. Emergency 9-1-1 Backup Study
20. 26 Court Street Renovation
21. City Hall
22. City Hall ADA Restroom
23. City Hall Garage Repairs
24. City Hall Lobby Access Improvements
25. City Hall Plaza Vertical Connection
26. Critical Facility Repairs
27. Faneuil Hall HVAC
28. Veronica Smith Center Bathrooms and Flooring
29. Critical Facility Repairs
30. 300 Frontage Road Improvements
31. BTD Tow Lot Facility

Referred to the Committee of Ways and Means.

ORDER FOR LOAN FOR $5,825,000 IN AID OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND INDUSTRIAL CORPORATION AND BOSTON REDEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY (DOCKET NO. 0668)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

April 6, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith for your approval an appropriation order in the amount of $5,825,000 in aid of the Economic Development and Industrial Corporation and the Boston Redevelopment Authority.

I urge your Honorable Body to pass this order.

Sincerely,

Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

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ORDERED: That the sum. of Five Million Eight Hundred Twenty Five Thousand Dollars ($5,825,000) be, and hereby is, appropriated in aid of the Economic Development and Industrial Corporation and the Boston Redevelopment Authority; and that to meet said appropriation the Collector-Treasurer be, and hereby is, authorized under the provisions of Section 11 of Chapter 1097 of the Acts of 1971, or any other enabling authority, to issue from time to time, with the approval of the Mayor, bonds, notes or certificates of indebtedness of the City up to said amount, provided that the appropriation authorized through this order be expended only on the project(s) as described by name attached hereto; that this order shall constitute a declaration of official intent of the City pursuant to Treasury Regulations Section 1.150-2(e) to reimburse expenditures for such projects made from funds established for such purpose as permitted by statute from proceeds of debt incurred by the City pursuant to this order and that pursuant to Section 12(b) of Chapter 643 of the Acts of 1983, as amended, if any part of the proceeds of sale of any bonds or notes or other obligations issued by the City under this order remains unexpended after the work or purpose for which such bonds, notes or other obligations are issued is completed, such proceeds are hereby appropriated and may be applied by the Collector-Treasurer and City Auditor, at the direction of the Mayor, to pay the principal, premium or interest on such bonds, notes or other obligations or on any other debt of the City.

FY'16 - Capital Council Order Attachment

$5,825,000

1. BMIP: Black Falcon Avenue and Terminal Street
2. BMIP: Bulkhead Restoration along Fid Kennedy Avenue
3. BMIP: Drainage System Improvements
4. BMIP: Fid Kennedy Avenue Improvements
5. BMIP: Harbor Street Improvements
6. BMIP: Pier 5 Drydock 4 Improvements
7. BMIP: Pier 5 Cofferdam Sheet Piling Repairs
8. BMIP: Tide Street Improvements

Referred to the Committee of Ways and Means.

ORDER FOR LOAN OF $460,000 IN AID OF BOSTON REDEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY FOR DEFRAYING SUCH PART OF COST OF DEVELOPMENT, RENOVATION, MODERNIZATION, ACQUISITION, PURCHASE AND CERTAIN OPERATIONS RELATIVE TO URBAN RENEWAL CHARLESTOWN NAVY YARD PROJECT (DOCKET NO. 0669)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

April 6, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith for your approval an appropriation order in the amount of $460,000 in aid of the Boston Redevelopment Authority for defraying such part of the costs of development, renovation, modernization, acquisition, purchase and certain operations relative to the Urban Renewal Charlestown Navy Yard Project.

I urge your Honorable Body to pass this order.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

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ORDERED: That the sum of Four Hundred Sixty Thousand Dollars ($460,000) be, and hereby is, appropriated in aid of the Boston Redevelopment Authority for defraying such part of the costs of development, renovation, modernization,. acquisition, purchase and certain operations relative to the Urban Renewal Charlestown Navy Yard Project as will not be met by loans (other than temporary loans) or by contributions or grants from the federal government or any other source; and that to meet said appropriation the Collector-Treasurer be, and hereby is, authorized under the provisions Section 20 of Chapter 121 B of the General Laws, as amended, or any other enabling authority, to issue from time to time, with the approval of the Mayor, bonds, notes or certificates of indebtedness of the City up to said amount, provided that the appropriation authorized through this order be expended only on the project(s) as described by name attached hereto; that this order shall constitute a declaration of official intent of the City pursuant to Treasury Regulations Section 1.150-2{e) to reimburse expenditures for such projects made from funds established for such purpose as permitted by statute from proceeds of debt incurred by the City pursuant to this order; and that pursuant to Section 12(b) of Chapter 643 of the Acts of 1983, as amended, if any part of the proceeds of sale of any bonds or notes or other obligations issued by the City under this order remains unexpended after the work or purpose for which such bonds, notes or other obligations are issued is completed, such proceeds are hereby appropriated and may be applied by the Collector-Treasurer and City Auditor, at the direction of the Mayor, to pay the principal, premium or interest on such bonds, notes or other obligations or on any other debt of the city.

FY'16 - Capital Council Order Attachment

$460,000

1. CNY: Drydock 5 Maritime Improvements
2. CNY: Pier 4 Improvements

Referred to the Committee of Ways and Means.

ORDER FOR LOAN IN AMOUNT OF $21,555,000 FOR DEVELOPMENT, DESIGN, PURCHASE AND INSTALLATION OF COMPUTERS HARDWARE, OTHER DATA PROCESSING EQUIPMENT AND COMPUTER ASSISTED INTEGRATED FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT AND ACCOUNTING SYSTEMS; AND/OR FOR DEVELOPMENT, DESIGN AND PURCHASE OF COMPUTER SOFTWARE INCIDENT TO PURCHASE, INSTALLATION OR OPERATION OF COMPUTER HARDWARE, OTHER DATA PROCESSING EQUIPMENT AND COMPUTER ASSISTED INTEGRATED FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT AND ACCOUNTING SYSTEMS; ANDIOR FOR COST OF DEPARTMENTAL EQUIPMENT, FOR PURPOSE OF VARIOUS CITY DEPARTMENTS INCLUDING DEPARTMENT OF INNOVATION AND TECHNOLOGY AND SCHOOL DEPARTMENT (DOCKET NO. 0670)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

April 6, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith for your approval an appropriation order in the amount of $21,555,000 for the development, design, purchase and installation of computer hardware, other data processing equipment and computer assisted

integrated financial management and accounting systems; and/ or for the development, design and purchase of computer software incident to the purchase, installation or operation of computer hardware, other data processing equipment and computer assisted integrated financial management and accounting systems; and/ or for the cost of departmental equipment, for the purposes of various city departments including the Department of Innovation and Technology and the School Department.

I urge your Honorable Body to pass this order.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

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ORDERED: That the sum of Twenty One Million Five Hundred Fifty Five Thousand Dollars ($21,555,000) be, and hereby is, appropriated for the development, design, purchase and installation of computer hardware, other data processing equipment and computer assisted integrated financial management and accounting systems; and/ or for the development, design and purchase of computer software incident to the purchase, installation or operation of computer hardware, other data processing equipment and computer assisted integrated financial management and accounting systems; and/ or for the cost of departmental equipment, for the purposes of various city departments including the Department of Innovation and Technology and the School Department; and that to meet said appropriation the Collector-Treasurer be, and hereby is, authorized under the provisions of Clauses (28), (29), and/ or (9) of Section 7 of Chapter 44 of the General Laws, or any other enabling authority, to issue from time to time, with the approval of the Mayor, bonds, notes or certificates of indebtedness of the City up to said amount, provided that the appropriation authorized through this order be expended only on the project(s) as described by name attached hereto; that this order shall constitute a declaration of official intent of the City pursuant to Treasury Regulations Section I.1S0-2(e) to reimburse expenditures for such projects made from funds established for such purpose as permitted by statute from proceeds of debt incurred by the City pursuant to this order; and that pursuant to Section 12(b) of Chapter 643 of the Acts of 1983, as amended, if any part of the proceeds of sale of any bonds or notes or other obligations issued by the city under this order remains unexpended after the work or purpose for which such bonds, notes or other obligations are issued is completed, such proceeds are hereby appropriated and may be applied by the Collector-Treasurer and City Auditor, at the direction of the Mayor, to pay the principal, premium or interest on such bonds, notes or other obligations or on any other debt of the city.

FY'16 - Capital Council Order Attachment

$21,555,000

1. Business Process Modernization
2. Cyber Security and Resiliency
3. Data Analytics
4. Digital Service Delivery and Engagement
5. Enterprise Business Applications
6. Fiber Network Expansion
7. Mobility Solutions
8. Youth and Human Services Initiatives
9. Technology Infrastructure

Referred to the Committee of Ways and Means.

ORDER FOR A LOAN OF FOUR MILLION EIGHT HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS ($4,800,000.00) FOR ACQUIRING LAND, OR INTERESTS THEREIN, FOR ANY PURPOSE FOR WHICH THE CITY IS OR MAY HEREAFTER BE AUTHORIZED TO ACQUIRE LAND OR INTERESTS THEREIN; NOT OTHERWISE SPECIFICALLY PROVIDED FOR; AND FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF BUILDINGS, OR FOR ADDITIONS TO SUCH BUILDINGS WHERE SUCH ADDITIONS INCREASE THE FLOOR SPACE Of SAID BUILDINGS, INCLUDING THE COST OF ORIGINAL EQUIPMENT AND FURNISHINGS OF SAID BUILDINGS OR ADDITIONS; AND/ OR FOR REMODELING, RECONSTRUCTING, OR MAKING EXTRAORDINARY REPAIRS TO PUBLIC BUILDINGS OWNED BY THE CITY, INCLUDING ORIGINAL EQUIPMENT, FURNISHINGS AND LANDSCAPING, PAVING AND OTHER SITE IMPROVEMENTS INCIDENTAL OR DIRECTLY RELATED TO SUCH REMODELING, RECONSTRUCTION OR REPAIR; AND/ OR FOR THE COST OF ENGINEERING OR ARCHITECTURAL SERVICES FOR PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS, FOR THE PURPOSES OF VARIOUS CITY DEPARTMENTS INCLUDING THE FIRE AND POLICE DEPARTMENTS AND THE PUBLIC HEALTH COMMISSION. (DOCKET NO. 0671)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

April 6, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith for your approval an appropriation order in the amount of $4,800,000 for acquiring land, or interests therein, for any purpose for which the City is or may hereafter be authorized to acquire land or interests therein, not otherwise specifically provided for; and for the construction of buildings, or for additions to such buildings where such additions increase the floor space of said buildings, including the cost of original equipment and furnishings of said buildings or additions; and/ or for remodeling, reconstructing, or making extraordinary repairs to public buildings owned by the City, including original equipment, furnishings and landscaping, paving and other site improvements incidental or directly related to such remodeling, reconstruction or repair; and/ or for the cost of engineering or architectural services for plans and specifications, for the purposes of various city departments including the Fire and Police Departments and the Public Health Commission.

I urge your Honorable Body to pass this order.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

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ORDERED: That the sum of Four Million Eight Hundred Thousand Dollars ($4,800,000) be, and hereby is, appropriated for acquiring land, or interests therein, for any purpose for which the City is or may hereafter be authorized to acquire land or interests therein, not otherwise specifically provided for; and for the construction of buildings, or for additions to such buildings where such additions increase the floor space of said buildings, including the cost of original equipment and furnishings of said buildings or additions; and/or for remodeling, reconstructing, or making extraordinary repairs to public buildings owned by the City, including original equipment, furnishings and landscaping, paving and other site improvements incidental or directly related to such remodeling, reconstruction or repair; and/or for the cost of engineering or architectural services for plans and specifications, for the purposes of various city departments including the Fire and Police Departments and the Public Health Commission; and that to meet said appropriation the Collector-Treasurer be, and hereby is, authorized under the provisions of Oauses (3), (3A) and/ or (22) of Section 7 of Chapter 44 of the General Laws, or any other

enabling authority, to issue from time to time, with the approval of the Mayor, bonds, notes or certificates of indebtedness of the City up to said amount, provided that the appropriation authorized through this order be expended only on the project(s) as described by name attached hereto; that this order shall constitute a declaration of official intent of the City pursuant to Treasury Regulations Section 1.150-2(e) to reimburse expenditures for such projects made from funds established for such purpose as permitted by statute from proceeds of debt incurred by the City pursuant to this order; and that pursuant to Section 12(b) of Chapter 643 of the Acts of 1983, as amended, if any part of the proceeds of sale of any bonds or notes or other obligations issued by the City under this order remains unexpended after the work or purpose for which such bonds, notes or other obligations are issued is completed, such proceeds are hereby appropriated and may be applied by the Collector-Treasurer and City Auditor, at the direction of the Mayor, to pay the principal, premium or interest on such bonds, notes or other obligations or on any other debt of the City.

FY'16 - Capital Council Order Attachment

$4,800,000

1. Engine 17
2. Engine 42
3. East Boston Police Station
4. EMS Training Academy

Referred to the Committee of Ways and Means.

ORDER FOR LOAN OF $1,210,000 FOR COST OF DEPARTMENTAL EQUIPMENT FOR PURPOSE OF VARIOUS CITY DEPARTMENTS INCLUDING FIRE DEPARTMENT (DOCKET NO. 0672)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

April 6, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith for your approval an appropriation order in the amount of $1,210,000 for the cost of departmental equipment, for the purposes of various city departments including the Fire Department.

I urge your Honorable Body to pass this order.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

ORDERED: That the sum of One Million Two Hundred Ten Thousand Dollars ($1,210,000) be, and hereby is, appropriated for the cost of departmental equipment, for the purposes of various city departments including the Fire Department; and that to meet said appropriation the Collector-Treasurer be, and hereby is, authorized under the provisions of Cause (9) of Section 7 of Chapter 44 of the General Laws, or any other enabling authority, to issue from time to time, with the approval of the Mayor, bonds, notes or certificates of indebtedness of the City up to said amount, provided that the appropriation authorized through this order be expended only on the project(s) as described by name attached hereto; that this order shall constitute a declaration of official intent of the City pursuant to Treasury Regulations Section 1.150-2(e) to reimburse expenditures for such projects made from funds established for such purpose as permitted by statute from proceeds of debt incurred by the city pursuant to this orderi and that pursuant to Section 12(b) of Chapter 643 of the Acts of 1983, as amended, if any part of the proceeds of sale of any bonds or notes or other obligations issued by the City under this order remains unexpended after the work or purpose for which such bonds, notes or other obligations are issued is completed, such proceeds are hereby appropriated and may be applied by the eonector-Treasurer and City Auditor, at the direction of the Mayor, to pay the principal, premium or interest on such bonds, notes or other obligations or on any other debt of the City.

FY'16 - Capital Council Order Attachment

$1,210,000

1. Fire Equipment

Referred to the Committee of Ways and Means.

ORDER FOR A LOAN OF THIRTEEN MILLION FIVE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS ($13,500,000.00) FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF MUNICIPAL OUTDOOR AND RECREATIONAL ATHLETIC FACILITIES, INCLUDING THE ACQUISITION AND DEVELOPMENT OF LAND AND THE CONSTRUCTION AND RECONSTRUCTION FOR FACILITIES; AND/OR FOR DEVELOPING LAND FOR BURIAL PURPOSES AND FOR CONSTRUCTING PATHS AND AVENUES EMBELLISHING THE GROUNDS IN CITY-OWNED CEMETERIES; AND/OR FOR COST OF ENGINEERING OR ARCHITECTURAL SERVICES FOR PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS; AND/OR FOR REMODELING, RECONSTRUCTING, OR MAKING EXTRAORDINARY REPAIRS TO PUBLIC BUILDINGS OWNED BY THE CITY, INCLUDING ORIGINAL EQUIPMENT, FURNISHINGS AND LANDSCAPING, PAVING AND OTHER SITE IMPROVEMENTS INCIDENTAL OR DIRECTLY RELATED TO SUCH REMODELING, RECONSTRUCTION OR REPAIRS; AND/OR FOR ACQUIRING LAND, OR INTERESTS THEREIN, FOR ANY PURPOSE FOR WHICH THE CITY IS OR MAY HEREAFTER BE AUTHORIZED TO ACQUIRE LAND OR INTERESTS THEREIN, NOT OTHERWISE SPECIFICALLY PROVIDED FOR; AND FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF BUILDINGS, OR FOR ADDITIONS TO SUCH BUILDINGS WHERE SUCH ADDITIONS INCREASE THE FLOOR SPACE OF SAID BUILDINGS, INCLUDING THE COST OF ORIGINAL EQUIPMENT AND FURNISHINGS OF SAID BUILDING OR ADDITIONS, FOR THE PURPOSES OF VARIOUS CITY DEPARTMENTS INCLUDING THE PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT AND SCHOOL DEPARTMENTS (DOCKET NO. 0673)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

April 6, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith for your approval an appropriation order in the amount of $13,500,000 for the construction of municipal outdoor recreational and athletic facilities, including the acquisition and development of land and the construction and reconstruction of facilities; and/or for developing land for burial purposes and for constructing paths and avenues and embellishing the grounds in city-owned cemeteries; and/or for cost of engineering or architectural services for plans and specifications; andj or for remodeling, reconstructing, or making extraordinary repairs to public buildings owned by the City, including original equipment, furnishings and landscaping, paving and other site improvements incidental or directly related

to such remodeling, reconstruction or repair; and/or for acquiring land, or interests therein, for any purpose for which the City is or may hereafter be authorized to acquire land or interests therein, not otherwise specifically provided for; and for the construction of buildings, or for additions to such buildings where such additions increase the floor space of said buildings, including the cost of original equipment and furnishings of said buildings or additions, for the purposes of various city departments including the Parks and Recreation and School Departments.

I urge your Honorable Body to pass this order.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

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ORDERED: That the sum of Thirteen Million Five Hundred Thousand Dollars ($13,500,000) be, and hereby is, appropriated for the construction of municipal outdoor recreational and athletic facilities, including the acquisition and development of land and the construction and reconstruction of facilities; and/ or for developing land for burial purposes and for constructing paths and avenues and embellishing the grounds in city-owned cemeteries; and/ or for cost of engineering or architectural services for plans and specifications; and/ or for remodeling reconstructing, or making extraordinary repairs to public buildings owned by the City, including original equipment, furnishings and landscaping paving and other site improvements incidental or directly related to such remodeling reconstruction or repair; and/ or for acquiring land, or interests therein, for any purpose for which the City is or may hereafter be authorized to acquire land or interests therein, not otherwise specifically provided for; and for the construction of buildings, or for additions to such buildings where such additions increase the floor space of said buildings, including the cost of original equipment and furnishings of said buildings or additions, for the purposes of various city departments including the Parks and Recreation and School Departments; and that to meet said appropriation the Collector-Treasurer be, and hereby is, authorized under the provisions of Qauses (25), (20), (22), (3A) and/or (3) of Section 7 of Chapter 44 of the General Laws, or any other enabling authority, to issue from time to time, with the approval of the Mayor, bonds, notes or certificates of indebtedness of the City up to said amount, provided that the appropriation authorized through this order be expended only on the project(s) as described by name attached hereto; that this order shall constitute a declaration of official intent of the City pursuant to Treasury Regulations Section 1.150-2(e) to reimburse expenditures for such projects made from funds established for such purpose as permitted by statute from proceeds of debt incurred by the City pursuant to this order; and that pursuant to Section 12(b) of Chapter 643 of the Acts of 1983, as amended, if any part of the proceeds of sale of any bonds or notes or other obligations issued by the City under this order remains unexpended after the work or purpose for which such bonds, notes or other obligations are issued is completed, such proceeds are hereby appropriated and may be applied by the Collector-Treasurer and City Auditor, at the direction of the Mayor, to pay the principal, premium or interest on such bonds, notes or other obligations or on any other debt of the City.

FY'16 - Capital Council Order Attachment

$13,500,000

1. Boston Common Accessibility Study Shaw Memorial
2. Boston Common Boylston Street Edge
3. Boston Conunon Parkman Plaza
4. Boston Common Utility Study
5. Cassidy Field House
6. Christopher Columbus Park
7. Court Renovations
8. Eliot Norton Park
9. Fallon Field Playground
10. Field Renovations at Moakley Park
11. Field Renovations at Ronan Park
12. Franklin Park Master Plan Update
13. Frog Pond Master Plan Study
14. General Parks Improvements
15. Healy Field Playground
16. Historic Cemeteries
17. Marcella Playground
18. McConnell Park
19. McKinney Playground Master Plan
20. Medal of Honor Park & Lee Playground
21. Olmsted Park Landscape Restoration
22. Park Accessibility Evaluation and Asset Study
23. Park Planning Studies
24. Public Garden Pathways
25. Public Garden Tool Shed
26. Rachel Revere Square
27. Roberts Playground
28. Ross Playground
29. Titus Sparrow Park
30. Urban Wilds Renovations
31. William Devine Golf Course
32. School Yard Improvements at Murphy School
33. School Yard Repairs

Referred to the Committee of Ways and Means.

ORDER AMENDING APPROPRIATION ORDER THAT WOULD RAISE AMOUNT FROM $1,415,000) TO $2,125,000 FOR PURPOSE OF PLANTING SHADE TREES, PLANNING, DESIGNING, ACQUIRING LAND FOR, CONSTRUCTING AND ORIGINALLY EQUIPPING STRUCTURES AND FACILITIES AUTHORIZED TO CONSTRUCT, AND FOR REMODELING, RECONSTRUCTING OR MAKING MAJOR ALTERATIONS, ADDITIONS AND REPAIRS TO EXISTING FACILITIES INCLUDING ORIGINAL EQUIPMENT AND LANDSCAPING, PAVING AND OTHER SITE IMPROVEMENTS INCIDENTALS OR DIRECTLY RELATED TO SUCH REMODELING, RECONSTRUCTION OR REPAIR FOR PURPOSE OF VARIOUS CITY DEPARTMENTS INCLUDING PARKS AND RECREATIONS DEPARTMENT (DOCKET NO. 0674)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

April 6, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith for your approval an appropriation order to amend an appropriation originally passed by your Honorable Body on June 5, 2013 and June 26, 2013, and approved by the Mayor on July 1, 2013, and amended by your Honorable Body on June 4, 2014 and June 25, 2014, and approved by the Mayor on June 30, 2014.

The proposed appropriation order would raise the currently approved amount from $1,415,000 to $2,125,000 for the purposes of planting shade trees, planning, designing, acquiring land of constructing and originally equipping structures and facilities it is authorized to construct, and for remodeling, reconstructing, or making major alterations, additions and repairs to existing facilities including original equipment and landscaping, paving and other site improvements incidental or directly related to such remodeling, reconstruction or repair, for the purposes of various city departments including the Parks and Recreation Department

I urge your Honorable Body to pass this order.

Sincerely,

Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

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ORDERED: That an appropriation originally passed by the Boston City Council on June 5, 2013 and June 26, 2013, and approved by the Mayor on July 1, 2013 in the amount of Seven Hundred Ten Thousand Dollars ($710,000), and amended by your Honorable Body on June 4, 2014 and June 25,2014, and approved by the Mayo! on June 30, 2014 as increased to the aggregate amount of One Million Four Hundred Fifteen Thousand Dollars ($1,415,000), is yet further amended by inserting in place of such amount the aggregate sum of Two Million One Hundred Twenty Five Thousand Dollars ($2,125,000) appropriated for the purposes of planting shade trees, planning, designing, acquiring land for, constructing and originally equipping structures and facilities it is authorized to construct, and for remodeling, reconstructing, or making major alterations, additions and repairs to existing facilities including original equipment and landscaping, paving and other site improvements incidental or directly related to such remodeling, reconstruction or repair, for the purposes of various city departments including the Parks and Recreation Deparbnent; and that to meet said appropriation the Collector-Treasurer be, and hereby is, authorized under the provisions of Chapter 642 of the Acts of 1966, as amended, or any other enabling authority, to issue from time to time, with the approval of the Mayor, bonds, notes or certificates of indebtedness of the City up to said amount, provided that the appropriation authorized through this order be expended only on the project(s) as described by name attached hereto; that this order shall constitute a declaration of official intent of the City pursuant to Treasury Regulations Section 1.150-2(e) to reimburse expenditures for such projects made from funds established for such purpose as permitted by statute from proceeds of debt incurred by the City pursuant to this order; and that pursuant to Section 12(b) of Chapter 643 of the Acts of 1983, as amended, if any part of the proceeds of sale of any bonds or notes or other obligations issued by the City under this order remains unexpended after the work or purpose for which such bonds, notes or other obligations are issued is completed, such proceeds are hereby appropriated and may be applied by the Collector-Treasurer and City Auditor, at the direction of the Mayor, to pay the principal, premium or interest on such bonds, notes or other obligations or on any other debt of the City.

FY'16 - Capital Council Order Attachment

Amendment of $710,000 - from $1,415,000 to $2,125,000

1. Street Tree Planting

Referred to the Committee of Ways and Means.

ORDER FOR LOAN IN AMOUNT OF $10,100,000 FOR POLICE COMMUNICATION INSTALLATIONS, AND FOR PURPOSE OF EXTENDING AND IMPROVING SUCH INSTALLATIONS; AND/OR FOR COST OF DEPARTMENTAL EQUIPMENT; AND/OR FOR COST OF ENGINEERING OR ARCHITECTURAL SERVICES FOR PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS; AND/ OR FOR REMODELING, RECONSTRUCTING, OR MAKING EXTRAORDINARY REPAIRS TO PUBLIC BUILDINGS OWNED BY CITY, INCLUDING ORIGINAL EQUIPMENT, FURNISHINGS AND LANDSCAPING, PAVING AND OTHER SITE IMPROVEMENTS INCIDENTAL OR DIRECTLY RELATED TO SUCH REMODELING, RECONSTRUCTION OR REPAIR, FOR PURPOSES OF VARIOUS CITY DEPARTMENTS INCLUDING POLICE DEPARTMENT (DOCKET NO. 0675)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

April 6, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith for your approval an appropriation order in the amount of $10,100,000 for police communication installations, and for the purpose of extending and improving such installations; and/ or for the cost of departmental equipmenti and/ or for the cost of engineering or architectural services for plans and specifications; and/ or for remodeling, reconstructing, or making extraordinary repairs to public buildings owned by the City, including original equipment, furnishings and landscaping, paving and other site improvements incidental or directly related to such remodeling, reconstruction or repair, for the purposes of various city departments including the Police Department.

I urge your Honorable Body to pass this order.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

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ORDERED: That the sum of Ten Million One Hundred Thousand Dollars ($10,100,000) be, and hereby is, appropriated for police communication installations, and for the purpose of extending and improving such installations; and/ or for the cost of departmental equipment; and/or for the cost of engineering or architectural services for plans and specifications; and/ or for remodeling, reconstructing, or making extraordinary repairs to public buildings owned by the City, including original equipment, furnishings and landscaping, paving and other site improvements incidental or directly related to such remodeling, reconstruction or repair, for the purposes of various city departments including the Police Department; and that to meet said appropriation the Collector-Treasurer be, and hereby is, authorized under the provisions of Clauses (14), (9), (22) and/ or (3A) of Section 7 of Chapter 44 of the General Laws, or any other enabling authority, to issue from time to time, with the approval of the Mayor, bonds, notes or certificates of indebtedness of the City up to said amount, provided that the appropriation authorized through this order be expended only on the project(s) as described by name attached hereto; that this order shall constitute a declaration of official intent of the City pursuant to Treasury Regulations Section 1.150-2(e) to reimburse expenditures for such projects made from funds established for such purpose as permitted by statute from proceeds of debt incurred by the City pursuant to this order; and that pursuant to Section 12(b) of Chapter 643 of the Acts of 1983, as amended, if any part of the proceeds of sale of any bonds or notes or other obligations issued by the City under this order remains unexpended after the work or purpose for which such bonds, notes or other obligations are issued is completed, such proceeds are hereby appropriated and may be applied by the Collector-Treasurer and City Auditor, at the direction of the Mayor, to pay the principal, premium or interest on such bonds, notes or other obligations or on any other debt of the City.

FY'16 - Capital Council Order Attachment

$10,100,000

1. Communications Infrastructure Upgrades

Referred to the Committee of Ways and Means.

ORDER FOR LOAN IN AMOUNT OF $20,995,000 FOR ORIGINAL CONSTRUCTION OF PUBLIC WAYS OR EXTENSION OR WIDENING THEREOF, INCLUDING LAND DAMAGES AND COST OF PAVEMENT AND SIDEWALKS LAID AT TIME OF SAID CONSTRUCTION, OR FOR CONSTRUCTION OF STONE, BLOCK, BRICK, CEMENT CONCRETE, BITUMINOUS CONCRETE, BITUMINOUS MACADAM OR OTHER PERMANENT PAVEMENT OF SIMILAR LASTING CHARACTER, OR FOR ORIGINAL CONSTRUCTION, SURFACING OR RESURFACING OF MUNICIPALLY OWNED AND OPERATED OFF-STREET PARKING AREAS; AND/OR FOR CONSTRUCTION OF SIDEWALKS OF BRICK, BITUMINOUS CONCRETE, STONE OR CONCRETE, INSTALLING MACADAM PAVEMENT OR OTHER ROAD MATERIAL, FOR RESURFACING MUNICIPALLY OWNED AND OPERATED OFF-STREET PARKING AREAS WITH PAVEMENT OR OTHER ROAD MATERIAL; AND/OR FOR COST OF ENGINEERING OR ARCHITECTURAL SERVICES FOR PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS; AND/OR FOR TRAFFIC SIGNAL OR PUBLIC LIGHTING INSTALLATIONS, FOR PURPOSES OF VARIOUS CITY DEPARTMENTS INCLUDING PUBLIC WORKS AND TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENTS (DOCKET NO. 0676)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

April 6, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith for your approval an appropriation order in the amount of $20,995,000 for the original construction of public ways or the extension or widening thereof, including land damages and the cost of pavement and sidewalks laid at the time of said construction, or for the construction of stone, block, brick, cement concrete, bituminous concrete, bituminous macadam or other permanent pavement of similar lasting character, or for the original construction, surfacing or resurfacing of municipally owned and operated off-street parking areas; and/ or for the construction of sidewalks of brick, bituminous concrete, stone or concrete, installing macadam pavement or other road material, for resurfacing municipally owned and operated off-street parking areas with pavement or other road material; and/ or for the cost of engineering or architectural services for plans and specifications; and/ or for traffic signal or public lighting installations, for the purposes of various city departments including the Public Works and Transportation Departments.

I urge your Honorable Body to pass this order.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

ORDERED: That the sum of Twenty Million Nine Hundred Ninety Five Thousand Dollars ($20,995,000) be, and hereby is, appropriated for the original construction of public ways or the extension or widening thereof, including land damages and the cost of pavement and sidewalks laid at the time of said construction, or for the construction of stone, block, brick, cement concrete, bituminous concrete, bituminous macadam or other permanent pavement of similar lasting character, or for the original construction, surfacing or resurfacing of municipally owned and operated off-street parking areas; and/ or for the construction of sidewalks of brick, bituminous concrete, stone or concrete, installing macadam pavement or other road material, for resurfacing municipally owned and operated off-street parking areas with pavement or other road material; and/ or for the cost of engineering or architectural services for plans and specifications; and/ or for traffic signal or public lighting installations, for the purposes of various city departments including the Public Works and Transportation Departments; and that to meet said appropriation the Collector-Treasurer be, and hereby is, authorized under the provisions of Clauses (5), (6), (22) and/ or (14) of Section 7 of Chapter 44 of the General Laws, or any other enabling authority, to issue from time to time, with the approval of the Mayor, bonds, notes or certificates of indebtedness of the City up to said amount, provided that the appropriation authorized through this order be expended only on the project(s) as described by name attached hereto; that this order shall constitute a declaration of official intent of the City pursuant to Treasury Regulations Section 1.150-2{e) to reimburse expenditures for such projects made from funds established for such purpose as permitted by statute from proceeds of debt incurred by the City pursuant to this order; and that pursuant to Section 12(b) of Chapter 643 of the Acts of 1983, as amended, if any part of the proceeds of sale of any bonds or notes or other obligations issued by the City under this order remains unexpended after the work or purpose for which such bonds, notes or other obligations are issued is completed, such proceeds are hereby appropriated and may be applied by the Collector-Treasurer and City Auditor, at the direction of the Mayor, to pay the principal, premium or interest on such bonds, notes or other obligations or on any other debt of the City.

FY'16 - Capital Council Order Attachment

$20,995,000

1. ADA/ AAB Pedestrian Ramps
2. Commonwealth Avenue Phase 3 and 4
3. Cormect Historic Boston
4. Crossroads Initiative
5. Main Street Business District
6. Neighborhood Commons
7. Roadway Reconstruction
8. Safe Routes to Schools
9. Street Light LED Conversion
10. Street Lighting Installation
11. Sullivan Square / Rutherford Avenue
12. Walkable Streets
13. Municipal Parking Lots
14. Traffic Signal Equipment On-Call
15. Traffic Signals Battery Backup
16. Transportation Planning
17. Vision Zero

Referred to the Committee of Ways and Means.

ORDER IN AMOUNT OF $6,510,000 FOR ACQUIRING LAND OR INTERESTS THEREIN, FOR ANY PURPOSE FOR WHICH CITY IS OR MAY HEREAFTER BE AUTHORIZED TO ACQUIRE LANJ) OR INTERESTS THEREIN, NOT OTHERWISE SPECIFICALLY PROVIDED FOR; AND FOR CONSTRUCTION OF BUILDINGS, OR FOR ADDITIONS TO SUCH BUILDINGS WHERE SUCH ADDITIONS INCREASE FLOOR SPACE OF SAID BUILDINGS, INCLUDING COST OF ORIGINAL EQUIPMENT AND FURNISHINGS OF SAID BUILDINGS OR ADDITIONS; AND/ OR FOR REMODELING, RECONSTRUCTING, OR MAKING EXTRAORDINARY REPAIRS TO PUBLIC BUILDINGS OWNED BY CITY, INCLUDING ORIGINAL EQUIPMENT, FURNISHINGS AND LANDSCAPING, PAVING AND OTHER SITE IMPROVEMENTS INCIDENTAL OR DIRECTLY RELATED TO SUCH REMODELING, RECONSTRUCTION OR REPAIR; AND/OR FOR COST OF ENGINEERING OR ARCHITECTURAL SERVICES FOR PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS; AND/OR FOR FIRE ALARM OR

POLICE COMMUNICATION INSTALLATIONS, FOR PURPOSES OF VARIOUS CITY DEPARTMENTS INCLUDING SCHOOL DEPARTMENT (DOCKET NO. 0677)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

April 6, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith for your approval an appropriation order in the amount of $6,510,000 for acquiring land, or interests therein, for any purpose for which the City is or may hereafter be authorized to acquire land or interests therein, not otherwise specifically provided for; and for the construction of buildings, or for additions to such buildings where such additions increase the floor space of said buildings, including the cost of original equipment and furnishings of said buildings or additions; and/or for remodeling, reconstructing, or making extraordinary repairs to public buildings owned by the City, including original equipment, furnishings and landscaping, paving and other site improvements incidental or directly related to such remodeling, reconstruction or repair; and/ or for the cost of engineering or architectural services for plans and specifications; and/or for fire alarm. or police communication installations, for the purposes of various city departments including the School Department.

I urge your Honorable Body to pass this order.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

ORDERED: That the sum of Six Million Five Hundred Ten Thousand Dollars ($6,510,000) be, and hereby is, appropriated for acquiring land, or interests therein, for any purpose for which the City is or may hereafter be authorized to acquire land or interests therein, not otherwise specifically provided for; and for the construction of buildings, or for additions to such buildings where such additions increase the floor space of said buildings, including the cost of original equipment and furnishings of said buildings or additions; and/or for remodeling, reconstructing, or making extraordinary repairs to public buildings owned by the City, including original equipment, furnishings and landscaping, paving and other site improvements incidental or directly related to such remodeling, reconstruction or repair; and/or for the cost of engineering or architectural services for plans and specifications; and/ or for fire alarm or police conununication installations, for the purposes of various city departments including the School Department; and that to meet said appropriation the Collector-Treasurer be, and hereby is, authorized under the provisions of Gauses (3), (3A), (22), and/ or (14) of Section 7 of Chapter 44 of the General Laws, or any other enabling authority, to issue from time to time, with the approval of the Mayor, bonds, notes or certificates of indebtedness of the City up to said amount, provided that the appropriation authorized through this order be expended only on the project(s) as described by name attached hereto; that this order shall constitute a declaration of official intent of the City pursuant to Treasury Regulations Section 1.1S0-2(e) to reimburse expenditures for such projects made from funds established for such purpose as permitted by statute from proceeds of debt incurred by the City pursuant to this order; and that pursuant to Section 12(b) of Chapter 643 of the Acts of 1983, as amended, if any part of the proceeds of sale of any bonds or notes or other obligations issued by the City under this order remains unexpended after the work or purpose for which such bonds, notes or other obligations are issued is completed, such proceeds are hereby appropriated and may be applied by the Collector-Treasurer and City Auditor, at the direction of the Mayor, to pay the principal, premium or interest on such bonds, llotes or other obligations or on any other debt of the City.

FY'16 - Capital Council Order Attachment

$6,510;000

1. Access Improvements at Henderson Inclusion Upper School
2. Eliot School Access Improvements
3. English High School Building Envelope
4. Environmental and Sustainability Improvements at Various Schools
5. Exterior Renovations at Various Schools
6. Roof Replacement at Burke High School
7. Security Related Improvements at Various Schools

Referred to the Committee of Ways and Means.

ORDER IN AMOUNT OF $1,600,000 FOR PURPOSE OF PAYING COSTS OF FEASIBILITY STUDY AND SCHEMATIC DESIGN WORK ASSOCIATED WITH RENOVATION OF AND ADDITION TO CARTER DEVELOPMENT CENTER, LOCATED AT 396 NORTHAMPTON STREET, BOSTON, MA (THE "PROJECT"), INCLUDING PAYMENT OF ALL COSTS INCIDENTAL OR RELATED THERETO, AND FOR WHICH CITY OF BOSTON MAYBE ELIGIBLE FOR GRANT FROM MASSACHUSETTS SCHOOL BUILDING AUTHORITY ("MSBA"), SAID AMOUNT TO BE EXPENDED UNDER DIRECTION OF PUBLIC FACILITIES DEPARTMENT ON BEHALF OF BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS; AND IF CITY IS NOT ELIGIBLE FOR GRANT FROM MSBA FOR THIS PROJECT, SAID AMOUNT MAY BE EXPENDED FOR SUCH FEASIBILITY STUDY, SCHEMATIC DESIGN, INCLUDING RENOVATION OF AND ADDITION TO CARTER DEVELOPMENT CENTER AND PAYMENT OF ALL COSTS INCIDENTAL OR RELATED THERETO (DOCKET NO. 0678)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

April 6, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith for your approval an appropriation order in the amount of $1,600,000 for the purpose of paying costs of a feasibility study and schematic design work associated with the renovation of and addition to the Carter Development Center, located at 396 Northampton Street, Boston, MA (the "Project"), including the payment of all costs incidental or related thereto, and for which the City of Boston may be eligible for a grant from the Massachusetts School Building Authority ("MSBA"), said amount to be expended under the direction of the Public Facilities Department on behalf of Boston Public Schools; and if the City is not eligible for a grant from the MSBA for this project, said amount may be expended for such feasibility study, schematic design, including the renovation of and addition to the Carter Development Center and payment of all costs incidental or related thereto.

The City has not yet been invited by the MSBA into the Eligibility Period for this project. The City is in the process of submitting a Statement of Interest (SOI) for improvements at the Carter Development Center to the MSBA and willleam later this year whether the MSBA Board will act favorably on the SOI and invite the City into their Eligibility Period. This loan order will allow the City to proceed with the initial phase of this important

project either within the MSBA's program structure or independently.

I urge your Honorable Body to pass this order.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

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ORDERED: That the City of Boston appropriate the amount of One Million Six Hundred Thousand Dollars ($1,600,000) for the purpose of paying costs of a feasibility study and schematic design work associated with the renovation of and addition to the Carter Development Center, located at 396 Northampton Street, Boston, MA (the "Project"), including the payment of all costs incidental or related thereto, and for which the City of Boston may be eligible for a grant from the Massachusetts School Building Authority ("MSBA"), said amount to be expended under the direction of the Public Facilities Department on behalf of Boston Public Schools; and if the City is not eligible for a grant from the MSBA for this project, said amount may be expended for such feasibility study, schematic design, including the renovation of and addition to the Carter Development Center and payment of all costsinddental or related thereto; and that to meet said appropriation the Collector~ Treasurer with the approval of the Mayor is authorized to borrow said amount under the provisions of Chapter 44 of the General Laws, as amended or supplemented, or any other enabling authority and from time to time, issue bonds, notes or certificates of indebtedness of the City up to said amount; that this order shall constitute a declaration of official intent of the City pursuant to Treasury Regulations Section 1.150-2(e) to reimburse expenditures for such projects made from funds established for such purpose as permitted by statute from proceeds of debt incurred by the City pursuant to this Order; and that pursuant to Section 12(b) of Chapter 643 of the Acts of 1983, as amended, if any part of the proceeds of sale of any bonds or notes or other obligations issued by the City under this Order remains unexpended after the work or purpose for which such bonds, notes or other obligations are issued is completed, such proceeds are hereby appropriated and may be applied by the Collector-Treasurer and City Auditor, at the direction of the Mayor, to pay the principal of, and premium andj or interest on such bonds, notes or other obligations or on any debt of the City. The City of Boston acknowledges that as of the date of the Mayors approval of this order the MSBA has not invited the City into the Eligibility Period for this project. The City of Boston further acknowledges that the MSBA's grant program is a non-entitlement, discretionary program based on need, as determined by the MSBA, and any costs the City of Boston incurs in excess of any grant approved by and received from the MSBA shall be the sole responsibility of the City of Boston, and that the amount of borrowing authorized pursuant to this vote shall be reduced by any grant amount set forth in the Feasibility Study Agreement that may be executed between the City of Boston and the MSBA.

FY'16 - Capital Council Order Attachment

$1,600,000

1. Carter Development Center

Referred to the Committee of Ways and Means.

ORDER IN AMOUNT OF $23,430,000 FOR CONSTRUCTING OR RECONSTRUCTING BRIDGES OF STONE OR OF IRON SUPERSTRUCTURE; AND/OR FOR COST OF ENGINEERING OR ARCHITECTURAL SERVICES FOR PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS, FOR PURPOSES OF VARIOUS CITY DEPARTMENTS INCLUDING PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (DOCKET NO. 0679)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

April 6, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith for your approval an appropriation order in the amount of $23,430,000 for constructing or reconstructing bridges of stone or of iron superstructure; and/ or for the cost of engineering or architectural services for plans and specifications, for the purposes of various city departments including the Public Works Department.

I urge your Honorable Body to pass this order.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

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ORDERED: That the sum of Twenty Three Million Four Hundred Thirty Thousand Dollars ($23,430,000) be, and hereby is, appropriated for constructing or reconstructing bridges of stone or of iron superstructure; and/ or for the cost of engineering or architectural services for plans and specifications, for the purposes of various city departments including the Public Works Department; and that to meet said appropriation the Collector-Treasurer be, and hereby is, authorized under the provisions of Gauses (4) and/ or (22) of Section 7 of Chapter 44 of the General Laws, or any other enabling authority, to issue from time to time, with the approval of the Mayor, bonds, notes or certificates of indebtedness of the City up to said amount, provided that the appropriation authorized through this order be expended only on the project(s) as described by name attached hereto; that this order shall constitute a declaration of official intent of the City pursuant to Treasury Regulations Section 1.1S0-2(e) to reimburse expenditures for such projects made from funds established for such purpose as permitted by statute from proceeds of debt incurred by the City pursuant to this orderj and that pursuant to Section 12(b) of Chapter 643 of the Acts of 1983, as amended, if any part of the proceeds of sale of any bonds or notes or other obligations issued by the City under this order remains unexpended after the work or purpose for which such bonds, notes or other obligations are issued is completed, such proceeds are hereby appropriated and may be applied by the Collector-Treasurer and City Auditor, at the direction of the Mayor, to pay the principal, premium or interest on such bonds, notes or other obligations or on any other debt of the City.

FY'16 - Capital Council Order Attachment

$23,430,000

1. Bridge Repairs
2. Dana Avenue Bridge
3. Massachusetts Avenue Bridge at Commonwealth Avenue
4. North Washington Street Bridge
5. Old Northern Avenue Bridge

Referred to the Committee of Ways and Means.

ORDER AUTHORIZING CITY OF BOSTON TO APPROPRIATE AMOUNT OF $6,500,000 FROM CITY'S CAPITAL GRANT FUND IN ORDER TO PROVIDE FUNDING FOR STREET RULE BOOK PROJECT AND NEW PARKING METER AND MANAGEMENT SYSTEM TO BE MANAGED BY BOSTON TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT ("BTD"). FUNDS SHALL BE CREDITED TO CAPITAL GRANT FUND FROM PARKING METER FUND (DOCKET NO. 0680)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

April 6, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I hereby transmit for your approval an Order authorizing the City of Boston to appropriate the amount of Six Million Five Hundred Thousand Dollars ($6,500,000) from the City's Capital Grant Fund in order to provide funding for a Street Rule Book Project and a new Parking Meter and Management System to be managed by the Boston Transportation Department ("BTD"). The funds shall be credited to the Capital Grant Fund from the Parking Meter Fund.

Through the Street Rule Book Project, the City will catalogue a block by block inventory of parking rules in the City of Boston. This accurate record will allow BTD to craft more effective policies for the City's on-street parking inventory so that the supply of curb space and the demand for on-street parking are better matched.

A new Parking Meter and Management System would allow the City to upgrade its system of over ,000 parking meters. The system would include at least three technological advances: the ability to allow residents to pay meters with credit cards, the ability to implement dynamic pricing policies, and the ability of drivers to access real-time parking availability information.

I urge your Honorable Body to adopt this Order as soon as possible so that the City of Boston may use the funds to proceed with the above-mentioned projects.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

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ORDERED: That the City of Boston appropriate the amount of Six Million Five Hundred Thousand Dollars ($6,500,000) from the Capital Grant Fund of the City for the purpose of funding the Street Rule Book Project and a new Parking Meter and Management System to be managed by the Boston Transportation Department. To meet this appropriation. the Collector/Treasurer, with the approval of the Mayor, is authorized to transfer such amount from the Parking Meter Fund to the Capital Grant Fund.

Referred to the Committee of Ways and Means.

ORDER AUTHORIZING LAW DEPARTMENT TO RE-ESTABLISH IN ACCORDANCE WITH GENERAL LAW CHAPTER 44, SECTION 53E 1/2 REVOLVING FUND TO ACCEPT FROM FUND UP TO MAXIMUM OF $500,000 TO FUND FISCAL YEAR 201, FOR PURPOSES OF PURCHASING GOODS AND SERVICES TO PAY FOR REPAIRS TO CITY PROPERTY FROM DAMAGES CAUSED BY THIRD PARTIES (DOCKET NO. 0681)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

April 6, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith for your approval an Order authorizing the Law Department to re-establish a revolving fund for Fiscal Year 2016 to purchase goods and services to pay for repairs to city property.

This revolving fund shall be funded by receipts from recoveries for damages to city property caused by third parties. The Law Department will be the only unit authorized to expend from the fund and such expenditures shall be capped at $500,000.

I urge your Honorable Body to act favorably on the proposed order without delay.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

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AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE LAW DEPARTMENT TO RE-ESTABLISH A REVOLVING FUND TO PAY FOR REPAIRS TO CITY PROPERTY FROM DAMAGES CAUSED BY THIRD PARTIES

ORDERED: That, the Law Department, acting by and through the Corporation Counsel, pursuant to the authority granted under G.L. c 44, §53E Y2, be, and is hereby authorized to re¬establish a revolving fund for the purposes of purchasing goods and services to pay for repairs to city property. This revolving fund shall be funded by receipts from recoveries for damages to city property caused. by third parties. The Law Department shall be authorized to expend from the fund for such purposes up to a maximum of $500.000 for the 2016 fiscal year.

Referred to the Committee of Ways and Means.

ORDER AUTHORIZING MAYOR'S OFFICE OF TOURISM TO RE-ESTABLISH IN ACCORDANCE WITH GENERAL LAW CHAPTER 44, SECTION 53E 1/2 REVOLVING FUND TO ACCEPT FROM FUND UP TO MAXIMUM OF $300,000 TO FUND FISCAL YEAR 2016 FOR PURPOSES OF PURCHASING GOODS AND SERVICES TO ADVANCE TOURISM AND PROMOTE PARTICIPATION IN PUBLIC CELEBRATIONS (DOCKET NO. 0682)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

April 6, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith for your approval an Order authorizing the Mayor's Office of Tourism to re-establish a revolving fund for Fiscal Year 2016 to purchase goods and services to advance tourism and promote participation in public celebrations.

This revolving fund shall be funded by receipts from payments for the use of City Hall Plaza pursuant to City of Boston Code, Ordinances, 11-1.14. The Mayor's Office of Tourism will be the only unit authorized to expend from the fund and such expenditures shall be capped at $300,000.

I urge your Honorable Body to act favorably on the proposed order without delay.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

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AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR'S OFFICE OF TOURISM TO RE-ESTABLISH A REVOLVING FUND TO ADVANCE TOURISM AND PROMOTE PARTICIPATION IN PUBLIC CELEBRATIONS

ORDERED: That, the Mayor's Office of Tourism, pursuant to the authority granted under G.L. c 44. §53E 1/2 and City of Boston Code, Ordinances, Chapter 11-7.14, be. and is hereby authorized to re-establish a revolving

fund for the purposes of purchasing goods and services to advance tourism and promote participation in public celebrations. This revolving fund shall be funded by receipts from payments for the use of City Hall Plaza pursuant to City of Boston Code, Ordinances, 11-7.14. The Mayor's Office of Tourism shall be authorized to expend from the fund for such purposes up to a maximum of $300,000 for the 2016 fiscal year.

Referred to the Committee of Ways and Means.

ORDER AUTHORIZING MAYOR'S OFFICE OF ARTS AND CULTURE TO RE-ESTABLISH IN ACCORDANCE WITH GENERAL LAW CHAPTER 44, SECTION 53E 1/2 REVOLVING FUND TO ACCEPT FROM FUND UP TO MAXIMUM OF $300,000 TO FUND FISCAL YEAR 2016 FOR PURPOSES OF PURCHASING GOODS AND SERVICES TO SUPPORT PUBLIC ART THROUGHOUT CITY OF BOSTON (DOCKET NO. 0683)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

April 6, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith for your approval an Order authorizing the Mayor's Office of Arts & Culture to re-establish a revolving fund for Fiscal Year 2016 to purchase goods and services to support public.art throughout the City of Boston.

This revolving fund shall be funded by receipts from easements granted by the Public Improvement Commission. The Mayor's Office of Arts & Culture will be the only unit authorized to expend from the fund and such expenditures shall be capped at $300,000.

I urge your Honorable Body to act favorably on the proposed order without delay.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR'S OFFICE OF ARTS & CULTURE TO RE-ESTABLISH A REVOLVING FUND TO SUPPORT PUBLIC ART

ORDERED: That, the Mayor's Office of Arts & Culture, pursuant to the authority granted under G.L. c 44. §53E Y2, be, and is hereby authorized to re-establish a revolving fund for the purposes of purchasing goods and services to support public art throughout the City of Boston. This revolving fund shall be funded by receipts from easements granted by the Public Improvement Commission. The Mayor's Office of Arts & Culture shall be authorized to expend from the fund for such purposes up to a maximum of $300,000 for the 2016 fiscal year.

Referred to the Committee of Ways and Means.

ORDER AUTHORIZING INSPECTIONAL SERVICES TO RE-ESTABLISH IN ACCORDANCE WITH GENERAL LAW CHAPTER 44, SECTION 53E 1/2 REVOLVING FUND TO ACCEPT FROM THE FUND UP TO MAXIMUM OF $200,000 TO FUND FISCAL YEAR 2016 TO REIMBURSE FOR ADMINISTRATIVE COST TO THOSE CITY AGENCIES WHICH ENFORCE CBC CHAPTER 16 SECTION 1.9 AND 1.9B, AND FOR COST ASSOCIATED WITH LICENSING AND REGISTRATION (DOCKET NO. 0684)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

April 6, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith for your approval an Order authorizing the Inspectional Services department, Animal Control Unit to re-establish a revolving fund for Fiscal Year 2016 to reimburse for administrative costs to those City agencies which enforce CBC Chapter 16, sections 1.9 and 1.9B, and for costs associated with licensing and registration.

This revolving fund shall be credited with receipts from all dog registration fees collected pursuant to CBC Chapter 18, section 1.4 (6-10) and fmes pursuant to CBC Chapter 16, sections 1.9 and L9B. Receipts and resulting expenditures from this fund for shall not exceed $200,000.

I urge your Honorable Body to act favorably on the proposed order without delay.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

AN ORDER AUTHORIZING TIIE INSPECTIONAL SERVICES DEPARTMENT, ANIMAL CONTROL UNIT, TO RE-ESTABLISH A REVOLVING FUND WHICH SHALL BE CREDITED WITH ALL RECEIPTS FROM DOG LICENSES, REGISTRATIONS, AND CERTAIN FINES

ORDERED: That, the Inspectional Services Department, Animal Control Unit, acting by and through its Commissioner, be and hereby is authorized, pursuant to G.L. c 44, §53E 1/2 to re-establish a revolving fund which shall be credited with receipts from all dog registration fees collected pursuant to CBC Chapter 18, section 1.4 (6-10) and fines pursuant to CDC Chapter I6. sections 1.9 and 1.9B. The funds credited to this revolving fund shall be used solely to reimburse for administrative costs to those City agencies which enforce CBC Chapter I6, sections 1.9 and 1.9B. and for costs associated with licensing and registration. Receipts and resulting expenditures from this fund for Fiscal Year 2016 shall not exceed $200,000.

Referred to the Committee of Ways and Means.

ORDER AUTHORIZING BOSTON CENTER FOR YOUTH AND FAMILIES TO RE-ESTABLISH IN ACCORDANCE WITH GENERAL LAW CHAPTER 44, SECTION 53E 1/2 REVOLVING FUND TO ACCEPT FROM FUND UP TO MAXIMUM OF $750,000 TO FUND FISCAL YEAR 2016 TO PAY SALARIES AND BENEFITS OF EMPLOYEES AND TO PURCHASE SUPPLIES AND EQUIPMENT NECESSARY TO OPERATE CITY HALL CHILD CARE (DOCKET NO. 0685)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

April 6, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith for your approval an Order authorizing the Boston Centers for Youth & Family (BCYF) to re-establish a revolving fund for Fiscal Year 2016 to pay salaries and benefits of employees and to purchase sup-

plies and equipment necessary to operate the City Hall Child Care.

This revolving fund shall be credited with any and all receipts from tuition paid by parents or guardians of children enrolled at the center. Receipts and resulting expenditures from this fund for shall not exceed $750,000.

I urge your Honorable Body to act favorably on the proposed order without delay.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

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AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE BOSTON CENTERS FOR YOUTH & FAMILY TO RE-ESTABLISH A REVOLVING FUND TO OPERATE THE CITY HALL CIDLD CARE

ORDERED: That, the Boston Centers for Youth and Family, acting by and through its Commissioner, be and hereby is authorized, pursuant to G.L. c 44, §53E 1/2 to re-establish a revolving fund which shall be credited with receipts from all tuition paid by parents or guardians of children enrolled at the center. The funds credited to this revolving fund shall be used solely to pay salaries and beneftts of employees and to purchase supplies and equipment necessary to operate the City Hall Child Care. Receipts and resulting expenditures from this fund for Fiscal Year 2016 shall not exceed $750,000.

Referred to the Committee or Ways and Means.

ORDER AUTHORIZING OFFICE OF ENVIRONMENTAL AND ENERGY SERVICES TO ESTABLISH IN ACCORDANCE WITH GENERAL LAW CHAPTER 44, SECTION 53E 1/2 REVOLVING FUND TO ACCEPT FROM FUND UP TO MAXIMUM OF $100,000 TO FUND FISCAL YEAR 2016 TO PURCHASE OFFSETS OF GREENHOUSE GAS EMISSIONS WHICH SHALL BE ASSOCIATED WITH PORTION OF ELECTRICITY CONSUMED BY CITY ANNUALLY, THEREBY ''GREENING" A GREATER PERCENTAGE OF CITY'S AGGREGATE ELECTRICITY LOAD (DOCKET NO. 0686)

The following was received:
City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

April 6, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith for your approval an Order authorizing the Office of Environmental and Energy Services to re-establish a revolving fund for Fiscal Year 2016 to purchase offsets of greenhouse gas emissions which shall be associated with a portion of the electricity consumed by the City annually, thereby "greening" a greater percentage of the City's aggregate electricity load.

This revolving fund shall be credited with any and all receipts from the sale of solar renewable energy certificates produced by the City's solar photovoltaic arrays at 201 Rivermoor Street and 400 Frontage Road. Receipts and resulting expenditures from this fund shall not exceed $100,000.

I urge your Honorable Body to act favorably on the proposed order without delay.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

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AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE OFFICE OF ENVIRONMENTAL AND ENERGY SERVICES TO RE-ESTABLISH A REVOLVING FUND WIDCH SHALL BE CREDITED WITH RECEIPI'S FROM THE SALE OF SOLAR RENEWABLE ENERGY CERTIFICATES TO PURCHASE OFFSETS OF GREENHOUSE GAS EMISSIONS TO FURTHER ''GREEN" THE CITY'S ELECTRICITY LOAD

ORDERED: That, the Office of Environmental and Energy Services, acting by and through the Chief of Environment, Energy and Open Space, be and hereby is authorized, pursuant to G.L. c 44, §53E 1/2 to re-establish a revolving fund which shall be credited with receipts from the sale of solar renewable energy certificates produced by the City's solar photovoltaic arrays at 201 Rivermoor Street and 400 Frontage Road in Fiscal Year 2016. The funds credited to this revolving fund shall be used to purchase offsets of greenhouse gas emissions which shall be associated with a portion of the electricity consumed by the City annually, thereby "greening" a greater percentage of the City' 8 aggregate electricity load. Receipts and resulting expenditures from this fund for Fiscal Year 2016 shall not exceed $100,000.

Referred to the Committee of Ways and Means.

ORDER AUTHORIZING BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS TO RE-ESTABLISH IN ACCORDANCE WITH GENERAL LAW CHAPTER 44, SECTION 53E 1/2 REVOLVING FUND TO ACCEPT FROM FUND UP TO MAXIMUM OF $1,800,000 TO FUND FISCAL YEAR 2016 TO SUPPORT MAINTENANCE AND REPAIR OF BPS FACILITIES, INCLUDING CUSTODIAL AND UTILITY COST FOR EXTENDED BUILDING TIME, FLOOR REFINISHING, LANDSCAPING AND BUILDING REPAIRS (DOCKET NO. 0687)

The following was received:
City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

April 6, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith for your approval an Order authorizing the Boston Public Schools (BPS) to re-establish a revolving fund for Fiscal Year 2016 to support the maintenance and repair of BPS facilities, including custodial and utility costs for extended building time, floor refinishing, landscaping and building repairs.

Receipts from Lease, Permit for Use and Parking Fees for BPS facilities will be deposited in the fund. BPS will be the only unit authorized to expend from the fund and such expenditures shall not exceed $1,800,000.

I urge your Honorable Body to act favorably on the proposed order without delay.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

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AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE BOSTON PUBUC SCHOOLS TO RE-ESTABLISH A REVOLVING FUND wmCH SHALL BE CREDITED WITH ALL RECEIPTS FROM LEASE, PERMIT FOR USE AND PARKING FEES FOR BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOL FACILITIES

ORDERED: That. the Boston Public Schools, acting by and through its Superintendent. be and hereby is authorized, pmsuant to G.L c 44, §53E 1/2 to re-establish a revolving fund which shall be credited with any and all receipts in Fiscal Year 2016 from Lease, Permit for Use, and Parking Fees for Boston Public School Facilities. The

funds credited to this revolving fund shall be used solely to maintain and repair Boston Public School facilities. including custodial and utility costs for extended building time. floor refinishing, landscaping and building repairs. Receipts and resulting expenditures from this fund for Fiscal Year 2016 shall not exceed $1,800,000.

Referred to the Committee of Ways and Means.

ORDER AUTHORIZING BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOL TO RE·ESTABLISH IN ACCORDANCE WITH GENERAL LAW CHAPTER 44, SECTION 53E 1/2 REVOLVING FUND FOR FISCAL YEAR 2016 TO ACCEPT FROM FUND UP TO MAXIMUM OF $1,500,000 TO REPAIR AND PURCHASE BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOL TECHNOLOGY, INCLUDING COMPUTERS, MOBILE DEVICES AND INSTRUCTIONAL SOFTWARE (DOCKET NO. 0688)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

April 6, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith for your approval an Order authorizing the Boston Public Schools to re-establish a revolving fund for Fiscal Year 2016 to repair and purchase Boston Public Schools computer technology, including computers, mobile devices and instructional software.

This revolving fund shall be credited with any and all receipts from equipment sales and repair fees for Boston Public School technology. Receipts and resulting expenditures from this fund for shall not exceed $1,500,000.

I urge your Honorable Body to act favorably on the proposed order without delay.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS TO RE-ESTABLISH A REVOLVING FUND WHICH SHALL BE CREDITED WITH ALL RECEIPTS FROM EQUIPMENT SALES AND REPAIR FEES FOR BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOL TECHNOLOGY

ORDERED: That, the Boston Public Schools, acting by and through its Superintendent, be and hereby is authorized, pursuant to G.L. c 44, §53E 1/2 to re-establish a revolving fund which shall be credited with any and all receipts in Fiscal Year 2016 from Equipment Sales and Repair Fees for Boston Public School Technology. The funds credited to this revolving fund shall be used solely to repair and purchase Boston Public Schools computer technology, including computers, mobile devices and instructional software. Receipts and resulting expenditures from this fund for Fiscal Year 2016 shall not exceed $1,500,000.

Referred to the Committee of Ways and Means.

ORDER AUTHORIZING BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS TO RE-ESTABLISH IN ACCORDANCE WITH GENERAL LAW CHAPTER 44, SECTION 53E 1/2 REVOLVING FUND TO ACCEPT FROM FUND UP TO MAXIMUM OF $125,000 TO FUND FISCAL YEAR 2016 TO BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOL TRANSPORTATION COSTS, INCLUDING BUS AND PUBLIC TRANSPORT A TION COSTS (DOCKET NO. 0689)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

April 6, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith for your approval an Order authorizing the Boston Public Schools to re-establish a revolving fund for Fiscal Year 2016 for Boston Public School Transportation costs, including bus and public transportation costs.

This revolving fund shall be credited with any and all receipts from subsidized field trips.

Receipts and resulting expenditures from this fund for shall not exceed $125,000.

I urge your Honorable Body to act favorably on the proposed order without delay.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS TO RE·ESTABLISH A REVOLVING FUND WHICH SHALL BE CREDITED WITH ALL RECEIPTS FROM SUBSIDIZED FIELD TRIPS FOR BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOL TRANSPORTATION

ORDERED: That, the Boston Public Schools, acting by and through its Superintendent. be and hereby is authorized, pursuant to G.L. c 44. §53E 1/2 to re-establish a revolving fund which shall be credited with any and all receipts in Fiscal Year 2016 from Subsidized Field Trips for Boston Public School Transportation. The funds credited to this revolving fund shall be used solely for Boston Public School Transportation, including bus and public transportation costs. Receipts and resulting expenditures from this fund for Fiscal Year 2016 shall not exceed $125,000.

Referred to the Committee of Ways and Means.

ORDER AUTHORIZING BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS TO ESTABLISH IN ACCORDANCE WITH GENERAL LAW CHAPTER 44, SECTION 53E 1/2 REVOLVING FUND TO ACCEPT FROM FUND UP TO MAXIMUM OF $400,000 TO FUND FISCAL YEAR 2016 TO PERFORM ENERGY ·SA VING MAINTENANCE AND EQUIPMENT UPGRADES IN SCHOOL BUILDINGS (DOCKET NO. 0690)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

April 6, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith for your approval an Order authorizing the Boston Public Schools to re-establish a revolving fund for Fiscal Year 2016 to perform energy-saving maintenance and equipment upgrades in school buildings.

This revolving fund shall be credited with any and all receipts nom utility incentive reimbursements from the performance of energy-saving maintenance and equipment upgrades in school buildings. Receipts and resulting expenditures from this fund for shall not exceed $400,000.

I urge your Honorable Body to act favorably on the proposed order without delay.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

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AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS TO RE-ESTABLISH A REVOLVING FUND WHICH SHALL BE CREDITED WITH ALL RECEIPTS FROM UTILITY REIMBURSEMENTS FOR THE PERFORMANCE OF ENERGY SAVING MAINTENANCE AND REPAIRS TO SCHOOL FACILITIES

ORDERED: That, the Boston Public Schools ("BPS"). acting by and through its Superintendent, be and hereby is authorized, pursuant to G.L. c 44, §53EI/2 to re-establish a revolving fund which shall be credited with any and all receipts in Fiscal Year 2016 from utility incentive reimbursements resulting from the performance of energy saving maintenance and equipment upgrades in BPS facilities. The funds credited to this revolving fund shall be used to perform further energy saving maintenance and equipment upgrades in BPS facilities. Receipts and resulting expenditures from this fund for Fiscal Year 2016 shall not exceed $400,000.

Referred to the Committee of Ways and Means.

ORDER AUTHORIZING BOSTON FIRE DEPARTMENT ACADEMY TO RE-ESTABLISH IN ACCORDANCE WITH GENERAL LAW CHAPTER 44, SECTION 53E I/2 REVOLVING FUND TO ACCEPT FROM FUND UP TO MAXIMUM OF $100,000 TO FUND FISCAL YEAR 2016 TO SUPPORT BOSTON FIRE DEPARTMENT'S PARTICIPATION IN DETECTION, CLEANUP AND CONTAINMENT OF HAZARDOUS MATERIAL RELEASE (DOCKET NO. 0691)

The following was received:
City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

April 6, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith for your approval an Order authorizing the Boston Fire Depamnent Academy to re-establish a revolving fund for Fiscal Year 2016 to support Boston Fire Department's participation in the detection, cleanup and containment costs associated with Massachusetts General Law, Chapter 21E, the Massachusetts Oil and Hazardous Material Release and Prevention and Response Act

The revolving fund shall be credited with any and all receipts recovered by the Boston Fire Department from events related to Chapter 21E. The Boston Fire Department shall be authorized to expend from such fund for the purpose of purpose of detection, cleanup and containment of hazardous material release up to an amount not to exceed $100,000.

I urge your Honorable Body to act favorably on the proposed order without delay.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

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AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE BOSTON FIRE DEPARTMENT TO RE-ESTABLISH A REVOLVING FUND FOR COSTS ASSOCIATED WITH THE MASSACHUSETTS OIL AND HAZARDOUS MATERIAL RELEASE PREVENTION AND RESPONSE ACT

ORDERED: That, the Boston Fire Department, acting by and through its Commissioner. be and is hereby authorized, pursuant to the authority granted under G.L.c 44, §53E 1/2 to re-establish a revolving fund which shall be credited with any and all receipts received in Fiscal Year 2016 pursuant to detection. cleanup and containment costs associated with Massachusetts General Law. Chapter 21E, the Massachusetts Oil and Hazardous Material Release and Prevention and Response Act. The Boston Fire Department shall be authorized to expend from such fund for the purpose of detection, cleanup and containment of hazardous material release up to an amount not to exceed $100,000 in Fiscal Year 2016.

Referred to the Committee of Ways and Means.

ORDER AUTHORIZING BOSTON FIRE ACADEMY TO RE·ESTABLISH IN ACCORDANCE WITH GENERAL LAW CHAPTER 44, SECTION 53E I/2 REVOLVING FUND TO ACCEPT FROM FUND UP TO MAXIMUM OF $100,000 TO FUND FISCAL YEAR 2016 TO SUPPORT TRAINING PROGRAMS FOR FIREFIGHTERS FROM NON-CITY OF BOSTON FIRE AGENCIES. ACADEMY WILL CHARGE PARTICIPATING OUTSIDE AGENCIES TUITION FOR EACH FIREFIGHTER RECRUIT THEY SEND TO ACADEMY (DOCKET NO. 0692)

The following was received:
City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

April 6, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith for your approval an Order authorizing the Boston Fire Academy to re-establish a revolving fund for Fiscal Year 2016 to support training programs for firefighters from non-City of Boston fire agencies. The Academy will charge participating outside agencies tuition for each firefighter recruit they send to the Academy.

The tuition paid by outside agencies will be used to purchase training equipment. certify instructors, update facilities, and to provide funds for training needs not otherwise budgeted for. The Fire Academy will be the only unit authorized to expend from the fund and such expenditures shall be capped at $100,000.

I urge your Honorable Body to act favorably on the proposed order without delay.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

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AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE BOSTON FIRE DEPARTMENT FIRE ACADEMY TO RE-ESTABLISH A REVOLVING FUND FOR NON-CITY OF BOSTON FIREFIGHTER TRAINING PURPOSES

ORDERED: That, the Boston Fire Department Academy, pursuant to the authority granted under G.L. c 44, §53E I/2 be, and is hereby authorized to re-establish a revolving fund for the purposes of purchasing training equipment, certifying instructors, updating facilities, and providing funds for other training needs not otherwise budgeted for. This revolving fund shall be funded by receipts for tuition and other fees paid by outside firefitghting agencies for training at the Boston Fire Academy. The Boston Fire Academy shall be authorized to expend from the fund for such purposes up to a maximum of $100.000 for the 2016 fiscal year.

Referred to the Committee of Ways and Means.

ORDER AUTHORIZING BOSTON FIRE DEPARTMENT ACADEMY TO RE-ESTABLISH IN ACCORDANCE WITH GENERAL LAW CHAPTER 44, SECTION 53E 1/2 REVOLVING FUND TO ACCEPT FROM FUND UP TO MAXIMUM OF $25,000 TO FUND FISCAL YEAR 2016 TO SUPPORT BOSTON FIRE DEPARTMENT PERSONNEL PARTICWATING IN DETECTION, CLEANUP AND CONTAINMENT COSTS ASSOCIATED WITH MASSACHUSETTS GENERAL LAW, CHAPTER 21E, MASSACHUSETTS OIL AND HAZARDOUS MATERIAL RELEASE AND PREVENTION AND RESPONSE ACT (DOCKET NO. 0693)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

April 6, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith for your approval an Order authorizing the Boston Fire Department Academy to re-establish a revolving fund for Fiscal Year 2016 to support Boston Fire Department personnel participation in the detection, cleanup and containment costs associated with Massachusetts General Law, Chapter 21E, the Massachusetts Oil and Hazardous Material Release and Prevention and Response Act.

The revolving fund shall be credited with any and all receipts received from the Massachusetts Department of Fire Services recovered from events related to Chapter 2IE. The Boston Fire Department shall be authorized to expend from such fund for the purpose of paying employee salary and related costs up to an amount not to exceed $25,000.

I urge your Honorable Body to act favorably on the proposed order without delay.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

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AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE BOSTON FIRE DEPARTMENT TO RE-ESTABLISH A REVOLVING FUND FOR PERSONNEL COSTS ASSOCIATED WITH THE MASSACHUSETTS OIL AND HAZARDOUS MATERIAL RELEASE PREVENTION AND RESPONSE ACT

ORDERED: That, the Boston Fire Department, acting by and through its Commissioner, be and is hereby authorized, pursuant to the authority granted under G.L. c 44, §53E 1/2, to re-establish a revolving fund which shall be credited with any and all receipts received in Fiscal Year 2016 pursuant to Boston Fire Department personnel participation in the detection, cleanup and containment costs associated with Massachusetts General Law, Chapter 21E. the Massachusetts Oil and Hazardous Material Release and Prevention and Response Act. The Boston Fire Department shall be authorized to expend from such fund for the purpose of paying employee salary and related costs up to an amount not to exceed $25,000 in Fiscal Year 2016.

Referred to the Committee of Ways and Means.

ORDER AUTHORIZING BOSTON POLICE DEPARTMENT LICENSING DIVISION TO RE·ESTABLISH IN ACCORDANCE WITH GENERAL LA W CHAPTER 44, SECTION 53E 1/2 REVOLVING FUND TO ACCEPT FROM FUND UP TO MAXIMUM OF $350,000 TO FUND FISCAL YEAR 2016 FOR PURPOSE OF PURCHASING, LEASING, OR RENTING SPACE, MATERIALS AND EQUIPMENT, AND TO BE PARTIALLY OR WHOLLY USED FOR INSTRUCTIONAL PURPOSED FOR NEW HACKNEY CARRIAGE DRIVERS APPLICANTS AND PROVIDING FUNDS FOR OTHER TRAINING NEEDS NOT OTHERWISE BUDGETED FOR (DOCKET NO. 0694)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

April 6, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith for your approval an Order authorizing the Boston Police Department, Licensing Division to re-establish a revolving fund for Fiscal Year 2016 for the purposes of purchasing, leasing, or renting space, materials, and equipment to be partially or wholly used for instructional purposes for new hackney carriage driver applicants and providing funds for other training needs not otherwise budgeted for. The Licensing Division will charge a one-time $75.00 new applicant fee that drivers pay for Hackney Carriage Driver Training Class.

The Licensing Division will be the only unit authorized to expend from the fund and such expenditures shall be capped at $350,000.

I urge your Honorable Body to act favorably on the proposed order without delay.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

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AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE BOSTON POLICE DEPARTMENT, LICENSING DIVISION, TO RE-ESTABLISH A REVOLVING FUND FOR NEW HACKNEY DRIVER INSTRUCTIONAL PURPOSES

ORDERED: That, the Boston Police Department, Licensing Division, pursuant to the authority granted under G.L. c 44, §53E 1/2 be, and is hereby authorized to re-establish a revolving fund for the purposes of purchasing, leasing, or renting space, materials, and equipment to be partially or wholly used for instructional purposes for new hackney carriage driver applicants and providing funds for other training needs not otherwise budgeted for. This revolving fund shall be funded from a one-time $75.00 new applicant fee that drivers pay for Hackney Carriage Driver Training Class. The Boston Police Department, Licensing Division shall be authorized to expend from the fund for such purposes up to a maximum of $350,000 for the 2016 fiscal year.

Referred to the Committee of Ways and Means.

ORDER AUTHORIZING BOSTON POLICE DEPARTMENT TO ESTABLISH IN ACCORDANCE WITH GENERAL LAW CHAPTER 44, SECTION 53E 1/2 REVOLVING FUND TO ACCEPT FROM FUND UP TO MAXIMUM OF $300,000 TO FUND FISCAL YEAR 2016 TO PAY SALARIES AND BENEFITS OF EMPLOYEES AND TO PURCHASE SUPPLIES AND EQUIPMENT NECESSARY TO OPERATE POLICE DEPARTMENT FITNESS CENTER (DOCKET NO. 0695)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

April 6, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith for your approval an Order authorizing the Boston Police Department to establish a revolving fund for Fiscal Year 2016 to pay salaries and benefits of employees and to purchase supplies and equipment necessary to operate the Police Department Fitness Center. Revenue for this fund is derived from monthly membership fees.

Receipts and resulting expenditures from this fund for shall not exceed $300,000.

I urge your Honorable Body to act favorably on the proposed order without delay.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

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AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE BOSTON POLICE DEPARTMENT POLICE DEPARTMENT TO ESTABLISH A REVOLVING FUND FOR FITNESS CENTER OPERATIONS

ORDERED: That, the Boston Police Department, pursuant to the authority granted under G.L. c 44, §53E 1/2 be, and is hereby authorized to establish a revolving fund to pay salaries and benefits of employees and to purchase supplies and equipment necessary to operate the Police Department Fitness Center. Revenue for this fund is derived from monthly membership fees. The Boston Police Department shall be authorized to expend from the fund for such purposes up to a maximum of $300,000 for the 2016 fiscal year.

Referred to the Committee of Ways and Means.

ORDER AUTHORIZING BOSTON POLICE ACADEMY TO RE-ESTABLISH IN ACCORDANCE WITH GENERAL LAW CHAPTER 44, SECTION 53E 1/2 REVOLVING FUND TO ACCEPT FROM FUND UP TO MAXIMUM OF $200,000 TO FUND FISCAL YEAR 2016 TO SUPPORT TRAINING PROGRAMS FOR OFFICERS FROM NON-CITY OF BOSTON LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES. ACADEMY WILL CHARGE PARTICIPATED OUTSIDE LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES TUITION FOR EACH RECRUIT, POLICE OFFICER OR SPECIAL POLICE OFFICER THEY SEND TO ACADEMY (DOCKET NO. 0696)

The following was received:
City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

April 6, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith for your approval an Order authorizing the Boston Police Academy to re-establish a revolving fund for Fiscal Year 2016 to support training programs for officers from non-City of Boston 'law enforcement agencies. The Academy will charge participating outside law enforcement agencies tuition for each recruit, police officer or special police officer they send to the Academy.

The tuition paid by outside agencies will be used to purchase training equipment, certify instructors, update facilities, and to provide funds for training needs not otherwise budgeted for. The Police Academy will be the only unit authorized to expend :from the fund and such expenditures shall be capped at $200,000.

I urge your Honorable Body to act favorably on the proposed order without delay.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

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AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE BOSTON POLICE DEPARTMENT POLICE ACADEMY TO RE-ESTABLISH A REVOLVING FUND FOR NON-CITY OF BOSTON POLICE OFFICER TRAINING PURPOSES

ORDERED: That, the Boston Police Academy, pursuant to the authority granted under G.L. c 44, §53E 1/2 be, and is hereby authorized to re-establish a revolving fund for the purposes of purchasing training equipment, certifying instructors, updating facilities, and providing funds for other training needs not otherwise budgeted for. This revolving fund shall be funded by receipts for tuition and other fees paid by outside law enforcement agencies for training at the Boston Police Academy. The Boston Police Academy shall be authorized to expend from the fund for such purposes up to a maximum of $200,000 for the 2016 fiscal year.

Referred to the Committee of Ways and Means.

ORDER AUTHORIZING BOSTON POLICE DEPARTMENT SPECIAL OPERATIONS DIVISION TO RE-ESTABLISH IN ACCORDANCE WITH GENERAL LAW CHAPTER 44, SECTION 53E 1/2 REVOLVING FUND TO ACCEPT FROM FUND UP TO MAXIMUM OF $100,000 TO FUND FISCAL YEAR 2016 TO SUPPORT CANINE UNIT'S TRAINING PROGRAMS FOR OFFICERS AND POLICE DOGS FROM NON-CITY OF BOSTON LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES. SPECIAL OPERATION DIVISION WILL CHARGE TUITION AND OTHER FEES TO OUTSIDE LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES FOR TRAINING WITH CANINE UNIT (DOCKET NO. 0697)

The following was received:
City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

April 6, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith for your approval an Order authorizing the Boston Police Department, Special Operations Division, to re-establish a revolving fund for Fiscal Year 2016 to support the Canine Unit's training programs for officers and police dogs from non-City of Boston law enforcement agencies. The Special Operations Division will charge tuition and other fees to outside law enforcement agencies for training with the Canine Unit.

The tuition and other fees paid by outside agencies will be used to purchase training equipment, certify instructors, update facilities and provide funds for other training needs not otherwise budgeted for. The Special Operations Division will be the only unit authorized to expend from the fund and such expenditures shall be capped at $100,000.

I urge your Honorable Body to act favorably on the proposed order without delay.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

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AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE BOSTON POLICE DEPARTMENT, SPECIAL OPERATIONS DIVISION, TO RE-ESTABLISH A REVOLVING FUND FOR NON-CITY OF BOSTON POLICE OFFICER CANINE UNIT TRAINING PURPOSES

ORDERED: That, the Boston Police Department. Special Operations Division, pursuant to the authority

granted under G.L. c 44, §53E 1/2 be, and is hereby authorized to re-establish a revolving fund for the pmposes of purchasing training equipment, certifying instructors. updating facilities to support its Canine Unit's training programs for officers and police dogs from non-City of Boston law enforcement agencies, and providing funds for other training needs not otherwise budgeted for. This revolving fund shall be funded by receipts for tuition and other fees paid by outside law enforcement agencies for training with the Canine Unit at the Boston Police Department, Special Operations Division. The Special Operations Division shall be authorized to expend from the fund for such purposes up to a maximum of $100,000 for the 2016 fiscal year.

Referred to the Committee of Ways and Means.

ORDINANCE TO AMEND CITY OF BOSTON CODE, ORDINANCES, CHAPTER VI, SECTION 6.3, THE SCHEDULE OF PARKING FINES TO RAISE THE FINE FOR PARKING IN AN AREA DESIGNATED FOR STREET CLEANING (DOCKET NO. 0698)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

April 6, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith for your approval an ordinance to amend City of Boston Code, Ordinances, §6-6.3, the Schedule of Parking Fines. The amendment would allow the Transportation Commissioner, on a trial basis, to raise the fine for parking in an area designated for street cleaning during the prohibited days and times from $40 to $90, while at the same time changing this violation to a non-towable offense. The Transportation Commissioner will test this regulation in one or more neighborhoods in the City ("Pilot Zone(s)") to determine whether it should be applied to all neighborhoods in the City.

I urge your Honorable Body to act favorably on the proposed amendment without delay.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

AN AMENDMENT TO CITY OF BOSTON CODE, ORDINANCES, CHAPTER VI, SECTION 6-6.3, SCHEDULE OF FINES

WHEREAS, some residents have expressed dissatisfaction with the City's current regulations that make parking in an area designated for street cleaning during the prohibited days and times a towable offense; and

WHEREAS, as a result the City wishes to test the effectiveness of raising the fine for this violation, while at the same time changing it to a non-towable offense; and

WHEREAS, the City wishes to test tlris new regulation as a pilot program in one or more neighborhoods in the City ("Pilot Zone(s)"); and

WHEREAS, the City will use data collected from this pilot program to determine whether to extend this regulation to all areas of the City on a permanent basis;

NOW THEREFORE,

Be it ordained by the City Council of Boston as follows:

SECTION 1. City of Boston Code, Ordinances, Chapter VI, Section 6-6.3 is hereby amended

by adding the following subsection after subsection ii:

jj. The fine for parking a vehicle in violation of any posted prohibition against parking of motor vehicles during hours designated for street cleaning within one or more "Pilot Zone(s)," as defined by the Transportation Commissioner, shall be ninety dollars ($90.00) for each such violation. A penalty of thirty dollars ($30.00) shall be assessed if the fine remains unpaid twenty-one (21) days after issuance of a notice of such violation.

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect upon passage.

Referred to the Committee on Government Operations.

NOTICE RECEIVED FROM COUNCILOR PRESSLEY, IN ACCORDANCE WITH PUBLIC MEETING LAWS, ADVISING SHE WILL BE HOSTING BRIEFING FOR CITY COUNCILORS REGARDING BOSTON PUBLIC HEALTH COMMISSIONS 2015-2015 HEALTH OF BOSTON REPORT (DOCKET NO. 0699)

Notice was received from Councilor Pressley, in accordance with the public meeting laws, advising she will be hosting a briefing for City Councilors regarding the Boston Public Health Commissions 2015-2015 Health of Boston Report.

Placed on file.

REPORT ON ORDINANCE AMENDING CBC SECTION 6-6.3, SCHEDULE OF PARKING FINES (DOCKET NO. 0267)

Councilor FLAHERTY, on behalf of the Committee on Government Operations, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 0267), ordinance amending CBC Section 6-6.3, schedule of parking fines (referred February 4) submits a report recommending passage of the ordinance in a new draft.

The report was accepted; the ordinance, in its new draft, was passed.

ORDER FOR HEARING TO DISCUSS DIVERSITY IN POST-SECONDARY INSTITUTIONS (DOCKET NO. 0211)

This matter which was recently heard for possible action was remanded back to the Committee on Education.

COMMUNICATION WAS RECEIVED FROM CITY CLERK OF FILING BY AUDITING DEPARTMENT REGARDING CITY OF BOSTON'S FISCAL 2014 COMPREHENSIVE ANNUAL FINANCIAL REPORT (DOCKET NO. 0171)

This matter which was recently heard for possible action was remanded back to the Committee on Post Audit and Oversight.

ORDER FOR HEARING TO REVIEW FISCAL YEAR 2015 BUDGET (DOCKET NO. 0199)

This matter which was recently heard for possible action was remanded back to the Committee on Post Audit and Oversight.

ORDER FOR HEARING TO DISCUSS DISPLACEMENT, COMMUNITY STABILITY AND NEIGHBORHOOD PRESERVATION (DOCKET NO. 0210)

This matter which was recently heard for possible action was remanded back to the Committee on Housing.

ORDER FOR HEARING TO PROTECT AIR QUALITY THROUGHOUT CITY OF BOSTON BY REDUCING FUEL EMISSIONS (DOCKET NO. 0700)

Councilors MURPHY, JACKSON, LINEHAN, LAMATTINA, MCCARTHY, WU, YANCEY, O'MALLEY and CIOMMO offered the following:

WHEREAS, The City of Boston is committed to ensuring health, safety, and well-being of its residents; and

WHEREAS, In order to protect air quality throughout the community, the City must control emissions of air pollutants; and

WHEREAS, Air pollution has their deleterious effects on human life, animal life, urban agriculture, personal property and limits citizens' activities in the communities; and

WHEREAS, The Mayor and Boston City Council continue to have a vital interest in reducing fuel emissions to improve the air quality all City of Boston residents; now, Therefore Be It,

ORDERED, That the City of Boston Code, Chapter VII, entitled "Environmental Protection" is hereby amended by adding the following as Section 7-2.3, ''Diesel Emissions Reductions":

a. Purpose. The purpose of this ordinance is to minimize the public health risks associated with exposure to diesel particulate emissions by establishing requirements relating to the use of ultra-low sulfur diesel fuel and diesel. emissions control technology by non--road and on-road diesel vehicles used in City projects and services, and by City owned, leased or operated diesel vehicles.

It is further the purpose of this ordinance to protect the public health and the environment by reducing vehicular emissions and conserving fuel. .

b. Definitions. When used in this section, unless a contrary intention clearly appears, the following terms shall have the following meaning:

CARR means the California Air Resources Board or any successor agency.

Offered by Councilor Stephen J. Murphy

Consumer Price Index means the annual average Consumer Price Index (CPI-U) as detennined by the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics.

Diesel equipment means any diesel-powered equipment greater than fifty brake-horsepower.

EPA means the United States Environmental Protection Agency or any successor agency.

Non-road vehicle means a vehicle that is powered by a non-road diesel engine fifty brake-horsepower or greater and that is not a motor vehicle or a vehicle used solely for competition, which shall include, but not be limited to, backhoes, bulldozers, compressors, cranes, excavators, generators, and similar equipment; non-road vehicles do not include locomotives or marine vessels.

On-road vehicle means any self-propelled vehicle designed for transporting persons or property on a street or highway that operates on diesel fuel and that has a gross vehicle weight rating of 14,000 pounds or more.

Ultra low sulfur diesel fuel means diesel fuel that has a sulfur content of no more than fifteen parts per million.

Verified rctrofit technology means diesel emission control technology appearing on the Verified Retrofit Technologies List ofEP A or CARB or any successor list.

c. Idling.

1. It shall be the duty of every Police Officer, every official or employee of the Transportation Department assigned the responsibilities provided in Boston Code 6-6.2, and every official or employee of the Air Pollution Control Commission who takes cognizance of a violation of any provision ofM.G.L. c. 90 §§ 16A and 16B, as now or hereinafter amended, or any regulation, as now or hereinafter amended, promulgated by the Registry of Motor Vehicles pursuant to M.G.L. c. 90 § 16B. to issue a written Warning or to issue a written violation and to give the offender a notice to appear before the Parking Clerk, during regular office hours, not later than twenty-one (21) days after the date of the violation. The offender has the right to appeal a violation to the Parking Clerk. and that such hearings before the Parking Clerk will be conducted pursuant to G.L. c. 30A.

2. Section 7-2.3 is added to chapter Vll of the city of Boston Mmrlcipal Code:

The fine for any violation of the provisions of M.G.L. c. 90 § 16A, as now or hereinafter amended shall be one hundred dollars for the first offense, and five hundred dollars for each succeeding offense.

The fine for any violation of the provisionsof M.G.L. c.90 § 16B and 540 CMR 27.00 et seq, as now or herein after amended, shall be one hundred dollars for the first offense, and five hundred dollars for each succeeding offense.

3. Any violation issued pursuant to this section, and any appeal of such yiolation to the Office of the Parking Clerk, shall be done in accordance with the procedures set forth in G.L. c. 9O, s. 20A 1/2.

d. City Vehicles All on-road vehicles, non-road vehicles, and diesel equipment owned, leased, or operated by the City of Boston shall:

1. Be powered by ultra-low-sulfur diesel fuel; and

2. Meet EPA emissions standards for new vehicles in effect in 2007 or later for their respective classes of vehicle or have verified retrofit technology that removes at least 20 percent of particulates from the exhaust stream.

3. Notwithstanding the requirements of 7-2.3(d)(2), the Commissioner of Public Works, in consultation with the Air Pollution Control Commission, may determine, if supported by data concerning annual vehicle usage, fuel consumption, and emission reltes, that a greater net reduction in diesel emissions can be achieved at a lesser cost to the city by withholding the installation of diesel emission control equipment from certain vehicles and installing higher-yield diesel emission control equipment on other vehicles. In such cases, equipment installation shall follow said detennination. Vehicles receiving higher-yield emission control equipment and vehicles receiving none on this basis shall be specifically identified in the annual report required by 7 -2.3(f) (2).

4. All on-road vehicles, non-road vehicles, and diesel equipment owned, leased, or operated by the City of Boston shall meet this requirement set forth in 7- 2.3(d) by December 31, 2015.

5. Exemptions: The following are exempt from the requirements of7-2.3(d):

(a) Emergency vehicles including but not limited to vehicles operated by the Boston Police Department, Boston Fire Deparlment, and Boston Emergency Medical Services.

(b) On-road vehicles, non-road vehicles, and diesel equipment used solely for snow removal,

(c) On-road vehicles, non-road vehicles, and diesel equipment in operation for fewer than 100 hours a year,

(d) On-road vehicles, non-road vehicles, and diesel equipment to be sold, surplused, or removed. form service before December 31, 2015, as determined by the Director of Central Fleet Management, and

(e) On-road vehicles, non-road vehicles, and diesel equipment identified in a cost-effectiveness determination, as specified. in 7-2.3(d) (3).

e. Contract Requirements: All contracts entered into by the City of Boston for construction projects and other projects and services having a total estimated cost in excess of $2,000,000, adjusted annually to reflect changes in the Consumer Price Index, shall require that on-road vehicles, non-road vehicles, and diesel equipment used to fulfill the contract:

1. Be powered by ultra-low-sulfur diesel fuel; and

2. Meet EPA emissions standards for new vehicles and equipment in effect in 2007 or later for its respective class of vehicle or equipment; or have diesel emission control equipment that removes a significant percentage of particulates from the exhaust stream, as follows:

(a) For contracts entered into on or after July 1, 2015 and before July 1,2016, the diesel emission control equipment shall be present on at least one half of all on-road vehicles, non-road vehicles, and diesel equipment used to fulfill the contract and shall remove at least 20 percent of particulates from the exhaust stream and either

i. Shall be verified retrofit technology. or

ii. If verified retrofit technology is not available, the contractor shall present a letter from the equipment manufacturer attesting that the equipment complies with the 20-percent requirement.

iii. Exemptions. The following on-road vehicles, non-road vehicles, and diesel equipment are exempt from the requirements relevant to contracts entered into on or after July 1, 2015 and before July 1, 2016 as provided in §§ 7-2.3(e)(2)(a)(i)-(ii):

(A) On-road vehicles, non-road vehicles, and diesel equipment, which are not owned by the contractor and on site for fewer than 10 days during the life of the project, and

(B) On-road vehicles, non-road vehicles, and diesel equipment used solely for snow removal.

(b) For contracts entered into on or after July 1.2016 and before July 1,2017, the diesel emission control equipment shall be present on all on-road vehicles, non-road vehicles, and diesel equipment used to fulfill the contract and shall remove at least 20 percent of particulates from the exhaust stream and either:

i. Shall be verified retrofit technology, or

ii. If verified retrofit technology is not available, the contractor shall present a letter from the equipment manufacturer attesting that the equipment complies with the 20-percent requirement.

iii. Exemptions. The following on-road vehicles, non-road vehicles, and diesel equipment are exempt from the requirements relevant to contracts entered on or after July 1, 2016 and before July 1, 2017 as provided in §§ 7-2.3(e)(2)(b)(i)-(ii):

(A) On-road vehicles, non-road vehicles, and diesel equipment, which are not owned by the contractor and on site for fewer than 10 days during the life of the project, and

(B) On~road vehicles, non-road vehicles, and diesel equipment used solely for snow removal.

(c) For contracts entered into on or after July 1, 2017, the diesel emission control equipment:

i. Shall be, if available for the vehicle or equipment, verified retrofit technology and remove at least 85 percent of particulates from the exhaust stream.

ii. If equipment required by sub-paragraph (i) is not available, the diesel emission control equipment shall be, if available, verified retrofit tedmology and rem.ove the highest possible percentage of particulates from the exhaust stream. All equipment within a five-(5-) point range shall be considered equivalent.

iii. If equipment required by sub-paragraphs (i) and (li) is not available, the emission control equipment shall remove at least 20 percent of particulates from the exhaust stream, and the contractor shall present a letter from the equipment manufacturer attesting that the equipment complies with the 20-percent requirement.

iv. Exemptions. The following on-road vehicles, non-road vehicles, and diesel equipment are exempt from the requirements relevant to contracts entered on or after July 1, 2017 as provided in §§ 7-2.3(e)(2)(c)(i) -(iii):

(A) On-road vehicles, non-road vehicles, and diesel equipment retrofit before July 1,2017, to meet the requirements of subsection 7-2.3(e)(2)(b);

(B) On-road vehicles, non-road vehicles, and diesel equipment, which are not owned by the contractor and on site for fewer than 3 days during the life of the project, and

(C) On-road vehicles, non-road vebicles, and diesel equipment used solely for snow removal.

3. Compliance with these requirements shall be deemed a cost of doing business and shall be considered incidental to the cost of the contract.

f. Implementation. The Air Pollution Control Commission shall:

1. Issue guidance to all City of Boston departments and agencies for implementing the requirements of this section; obtaining documentation of compliance; and providing application procedures and deadlines about available local, State and Federal public incentive programs to retrofit, re-power, or replace older, more polluting diesel equipment;

2. Issue an annual report on the overall progress of implementation to the Mayor and City Council; and

3. Every five years, review and, as appropriate, recommend to the Mayor changes in, requirementS for diesel emission control equipment for all City and contract vehicles and equipment subject to this section.

4. Notwithstanding other paragraphs of this section, the Commission may participate in or offer grant programs to assist owners of diesel vehicles and equipment in reducing emissions from their vehicles.

g. Enforcement and sanctions

Upon request, the Commission shall provide assistance to the contracting agency in determining non¬compliance with the ordinance. In the event of non-compliance, the

contracting agency shall immediately utilize all remedies available under the contract to address and halt the non-compliance, including, where appropriate, termination of the contract.

h. Applicability If any provision of this section imposes greater restrictions or obligations than those imposed by any other general law, special law, regulation, rule, ordinance, by-law, order, or policy then the provisions of this section control. Nothing in this Ordinance shall be construed to restrict or abrogate any of the duties, powers, or responsibilities of any official or employee of the city of Boston existing prior to the enactment of this

Ordinance.

i. Severability If any provision of this section is to be held invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction then such provision should be considered separately and apart from the remaining provisions, which shall remain in full force and effect.

j. Date of Effectiveness The provisions of this section are effective immediately upon passage.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Parks.

Later in the session, Councilor MURPHY moved reconsideration of Docket No. 0700.

Reconsideration prevailed.

On motion of Councilor MURPHY, because this order should have been an ordinance, Docket No. 0700 was referred to the Committee on Government Operations.

ORDER FOR HEARING REGARDING URGENT REVIEW OF IMPACTS ON BOSTON NEIGHBORHOODS DURING AND AFTER ARBORWAY/ CASEY OVERPASS BRIDGE DEMOLITION PROJECT (DOCKET NO. 0701)

Councilor YANCEY offered the following:

WHEREAS: The Boston City Council takes very seriously its mandated to ensure the health and safety ofthe inhabitants and visitors in the City of Boston; and

WHEREAS: According to MassDOT and the Barletta Company, the Arborway/Casey Overpass

Project has commenced road preparation for the May 2015 demolition, and will take ¬approximately 2.5 - 3 years to complete the permanent alteration of this major roadway; and

WHEREAS: This extensive timeframe brings immediate and multifaceted challenges to residents and visitors who routinely depend on safe travel to the Longwood Medical Area, the Fenway and to downtown Boston for lifesaving medical services, employment, education, worship, shopping, as well as, entertainment; and

WHEREAS: Input from residents and businesses in abutting neighborhoods, such as Dorchester, Mattapan, Hyde Park, Roslindale, Roxbury, and all neighborhoods along Route 203, including Jamaica Plain, is critical to effective traffic management, safely curtailing new traffic to undesignated small streets and to the ongoing survival of businesses (both small and large); THEREFORE BE IT

ORDERED: That the appropriate City Council Committee hold a series of public hearings to examine the traffic density, safety and environmental health impacts on Boston's neighborhoods and drivers during and after the demolition of the Arborway/Casey Overpass Bridge; BE IT FURTHER

ORDERED: That the Committee invite representatives from the Boston Transportation Department, Boston Emergency Medical Services, Boston Fire Department, Boston Police Department, private ambulance services, Boston Public Schools, all school transportation services, Massachusetts Bay Transportation Agency, senior and disabled transportation companies, the taxi industry, MassDOT, the Barletta Company, the business community, as well as, the public in order to give testimony as to any unforeseen circumstances along with remediation procedures for any unintended consequences such as, but not limited to undesignated alternative traffic flow, decreased road access for emergency vehicles and any environmental health hazards associated with massive idling of vehicles and exposure to airbourn and settled demolition material that may adversely impact residents and drivers in abutting neighborhoods, as well as, neighborhoods along Route 203.

Referred to the Special Committee on Transportation, Public Infrastructure, Planning and Investment.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES (DOCKET NO. 0702)

President LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, April 4 ,2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, June 12, 2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:
John F. Kelly, Secretary, $2,000.00, full time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

LATE-FILED MATTERS

The Chair stated that in absence of objection, three late-filed matters would be added to the Agenda.

No objection being heard, the following matters were added:

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES (DOCKET NO. 0722)

President LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, April 11, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, June 12, 2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Arthur A. Natella, Secretary, $1,653.86, full time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES (DOCKET NO. 0723)

President LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, April 4, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, April 10, 2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Arthur A. Natella, Secretary, $2,625.00, full time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

COMMUNICATION RECEIVED FROM COUNCILOR A YANNA PRESSLEY RE: ABSENCE FROM 04/08/2015 CITY COUNCIL MEETING (DOCKET NO. 0724)

Communication was received from Councilor Ayanna Pressley regarding her absence from the City Council

Meeting on April 8, 2015.

Placed on file.

CONSENT AGENDA

The Chair moved adoption of a Consent Agenda in which the following-named Councilors offered resolutions of a condolence or congratulatory nature as set forth after each Councilor's name:

Councilor Pressley: Recognizing the pilgrimage of fifty three individuals to Selma, Alabama for the 50th Anniversary of the Voting rights Act (Docket No. 0703)
Councilor Flaherty: In memory of Romeo "Roy" Manganiello (Docket No. 0704)
Councilors Murphy and McCarthy: In memory of Mary Consalvo (Docket No. 0705)
Councilor Pressley on behalf of all Councilors: Recognizing Dr. Gene Sharp (Docket No. 0706)
Councilors Linehan and Flaherty: In memory of Michael J. Burke (Docket No. 0707) In memory of Catherine L. O'Donnell (Docket No. 0708) In memory of Elizabeth A. Schomburg (Docket No. 0709) In memory of Mary T. Skerry (Docket No. 0710)
Councilor Wu: Congratulating the Goon Shee Family Association on its Chinese New Year banquet celebration (Docket No. 0711)
Councilor Ciommo: In memory of Mary M. Bligh (Docket No. 0712)
Councilor Linehan: In memory of Ana Rivera (Docket No. 0713)
Councilor Jackson: Recognizing Dr. Beverly Scott (Docket No. 0714)
Councilor Yancey: In memory of Pedro Camacho (Docket No. 0715)
Councilor Murphy: Congratulating Declan James Lane (Docket No. 0716) Recognizing Brian Fleming (Docket No. 0717)
Councilor Murphy: Recognizing Christopher Joseph Broderick (Docket No. 0718) Recognizing Alex Robert Poniatowski (Docket No. 0719) Declaring April 8th, 2015 George Demeter Day (Docket No. 0720) Recognizing Dr. Judith Bradford (Docket No. 0721)

The Chair stated that in the absence of objection three late-filed matters would be added to the Consent Agenda.
No objection being heard, the following matter was added:

Councilor Jackson: Recognizing Dr. James Jennings (Docket No. 0725)
Councilor LaMattina: In memory of John Principe (Docket No. 0726
Councilor Linehan: In memory of Anna Sullivan (Docket No. 727)

The matters contained within the Consent Agenda were severally adopted.

NEXT MEETING

Adjourned at 1:33 p.m. on motion of President Linehan and in memory of Mary M. Bligh, Ray Manganiello, John Principe, William W. Killoran, Ana Rivera, Anna Sullivan, Michael J. Burke, Catherine L. O'Donnell, Elizabeth A. Schomburg, Mary T. Skerry, Bruce Bolling, Sarah Brady, Alfred Brothers, Richard Long, Robert "Brian" Mullen and Catherine Rita Finn, to meet again on Wednesday, April 15, 2015 at 12:00 p.m.

Note: All debate of City Council eliminated from proceedings in accordance with Chapter 447, Acts of 1947.

CITY OF BOSTON

Proceedings of the Boston City Council

Wednesday, April 15, 2015

Regular meeting of the City Council held in the Christopher A. Iannella Chamber, City Hall, at 12:12 p.m. President Linehan in the Chair. Absent, Councilor Wu.

INVOCATION

Imam Abdullah Faaruuq, Mosque for the Praising of Allah, delivered the invocation, and the meeting was opened with the pledge of allegiance to the flag.

STATEMENT OF PRESIDENT LINEHAN

President LINEHAN moved to adopt the minutes from the April 8, 2015 meeting. **Motion prevailed.**

Councilor CIOMMO in the Chair.

ORDER FIXING THE DATE OF THE 2015 PRELIMINARY MUNICIPAL ELECTION PURSUANT TO G.L.C. 54 § 103P (DOCKET NO. 0728)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

April 10, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I hereby transmit for your approval an Order fixing the date of the 2015 Preliminary Municipal Election as Tuesday, September 8, 2015.

Pursuant to the City Charter, the preliminary municipal election occurs on the sixth Tuesday preceding the regular election. For the year 2015, that date falls on September 22, 2015. The observance of the holiday of Yom Kippur will begin at sundown on September 22, 2015. The polls for elections are open from 7:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Pursuant to G.L. c. 54, § 103P, the Mayor and City Council may fix the date of a preliminary municipal election. The date chosen for the election must be prior to the date fixed by the City Charter, and the Mayor and City Council must set the date no later than sixty days prior to the date they choose.

The holiday of Rosh Hashanah falls on the next prior Tuesday, September 15, 2015.

I urge your Honorable Body to adopt this Order fixing the date of the 2015 Preliminary Municipal Election as Tuesday, September 8, 2015 as soon as possible so that voters will be afforded the opportunity to vote in the preliminary municipal election during all of the hours that the polls are open.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

ORDER FIXING THE DATE OF THE 2015 PRELIMINARY MUNICIPAL ELECTION

WHEREAS, Pursuant to the City Charter, the preliminary municipal election occurs on the sixth Tuesday preceding the regular election, and for the year 2015, that date falls on September 22, 2015, and whereas, the observance of the holiday of Yom Kippur will begin at sundown on September 22, 2015; and

WHEREAS, Pursuant to G.L.c. 54, § 103P, the Mayor and City Council may fix the date of a preliminary municipal election, and whereas, the date chosen for the election must be prior to the date fixed by the City Charter, and the Mayor and City Council must set the date no later than sixty days prior to the date they choose; and

WHEREAS, The holiday of Rosh Hashanah falls on the next prior Tuesday, September 15, 2015; and

WHEREAS, Voters should have the opportunity to vote in the preliminary municipal election during all of the hours that the polls are open, which are 7:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.; therefore be it

ORDERED: That pursuant to G.L.c. 54, § 103P, the date of the Preliminary Municipal Election in 2015 be fixed as Tuesday, September 8, 2015.

The rules were suspended; the order was passed.

President LINEHAN in the Chair.

NOTICE FROM MAYOR OF APPOINTMENT OF MARY JO BROGNA, AS MEMBER OF BOSTON EMPLOYMENT COMMISSION, FOR TERM EXPIRING AUGUST 13, 2016 (DOCKET NO. 0729)

Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of Mary Jo Brogna, as a member of the Boston Employment Commission, for a term expiring August 13, 2016.

Placed on file.

NOTICE RECEIVED FROM CITY CLERK IN ACCORDANCE WITH CHAPTER 6 OF ORDINANCES OF 1979 RE: ACTION TAKEN BY MAYOR ON PAPERS ACTED UPON BY CITY COUNCIL AT ITS MEETING OF 3/25/2015 (DOCKET NO. 0730)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the City Clerk

April 13, 2015

To the City Council.
Councilors:

In accordance with Chapter 6 of the Ordinances of 1979, I hereby notify you of the following actions taken by the Mayor with regard to the papers acted upon by the City Council at its meeting of March 25, 2015 viz.

0340 Order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend a capital contribution in amount not to exceed One Million Two Hundred Eighty Thousand Dollars ($1,280,000.00) from the Boston Redevelopment Authority (BRA) in support of Connect Historic Boston Initiative. This capital grant contribution is being awarded to the City of Boston through the Public Works Department in the capacity of development mitigation funds which will be used to assist with the reconstruction of Causeway Street in Boston as a part of the Connect Historic Boston Initiative.
Approved by the Mayor April 1, 2015

0555 Order authorizing the Office of Neighborhood Services to accept and expend a grant of Thirty Thousand Dollars ($30,000.00) from the Cities of Service Coalition to support the AmeriCorps Vista "Love Your Block" grant program.
Approved by the Mayor April 1, 2015

Respectfully,
Maureen Feeney,
City Clerk.

Placed on file.

NOTICE RECEIVED FROM CITY CLERK IN ACCORDANCE WITH CHAPTER 6 OF ORDINANCES OF 1979 RE: ACTION TAKEN BY MAYOR ON PAPERS ACTED UPON BY CITY COUNCIL AT ITS MEETING OF 4/1/2015 (DOCKET NO. 0731)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the City Clerk

April 13, 2015

To the City Council.
Councilors:

In accordance with Chapter 6 of the Ordinances of 1979, I hereby notify you of the following actions taken by the Mayor with regard to the papers acted upon by the City Council at its meeting of April 1, 2015 viz.

0495 Order authorizing the City of Boston Transportation Department to accept and expend a grant from the Massachusetts Department of Transportation ("MassDOT") in an amount not to exceed Three Million One Hundred Fifty Nine Thousand Four Hundred and Three Dollars ($3,159,403.00) to fund a majority of the Phase 1 design and engineering services for the Rutherford Avenue Improvement Project.
Approved by the Mayor April 8, 2015

0496 Order authorizing the City of Boston to submit to the Massachusetts School Building Authority the Statement of Interest for the Carter Development Day Care School.
Approved by the Mayor April 8, 2015

0550 Order approving an appropriation of One Million Seven Hundred Thousand Dollars ($1,700,000.00) for the purpose of paying cost of a feasibility study and schematic design work associated with the renovation or new construction of a facility for the Josiah Quincy Upper School. Upon completion of the feasibility study, the City of Boston may be eligible for a grant from the Massachusetts School Building Authority, said amount to be expended under the direction of the Public Facilities Department on behalf of Boston Public Schools.
Approved by the Mayor April 8, 2015

0552 Order amending an appropriation order that would raise the amount from Five Hundred Fifty Thousand ($550,000.00) to Thirteen Million Dollars ($13,000,000.00) from funds previous held by the Boston Redevelopment Authority on behalf of the City and currently held in the City's Capital Fund for the purpose of major rehabilitation, renovation or new construction of the Josiah Quincy Upper School.
Approved by the Mayor April 8, 2015

Respectfully,
Maureen Feeney,
City Clerk.

Placed on file.

NOTICE RECEIVED FROM CITY CLERK IN ACCORDANCE WITH CHAPTER 6 OF ORDINANCES OF 1979 RE: ACTION TAKEN BY MAYOR ON PAPERS ACTED UPON BY CITY COUNCIL AT ITS MEETING OF 4/8/2015 (DOCKET NO. 0732)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the City Clerk

April 13, 2015

To the City Council.
Councilors:

In accordance with Chapter 6 of the Ordinances of 1979, I hereby notify you of the following actions taken by the Mayor with regard to the papers acted upon by the City Council at its meeting of April 8, 2015 viz.

0267 Ordinance amending CBC Section 6-6.3, schedule of parking fines.
Approved by the Mayor April 9, 2015

Respectfully,
Maureen Feeney,
City Clerk.

Placed on file.

NOTICE FROM COUNCILOR LAMATTINA, IN ACCORDANCE WITH PUBLIC MEETING LAWS, ADVISING HE WILL BE HOSTING BRIEFING FOR CITY COUNCILORS REGARDING STATUS OF URBAN RENEWAL GOALS AND RELATED COMMUNITY MEETINGS (DOCKET NO. 0733)

Notice was received from Councilor LaMattina, in accordance with the public meeting laws, advising he will be hosting a briefing for City Councilors regarding the status of Urban Renewal goals and related community meetings.
Placed on file.

REPORT ON ORDER AUTHORIZING POLICE COMMISSIONER TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND FY2015 SUSTAINED TRAFFIC ENFORCEMENT PROGRAMS (STEP) GRANT FUNDS OF $295,741.36 AWARDED BY EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF PUBLIC SAFETY AND SECURITY'S HIGHWAYS SAFETY DIVISION FOR PURPOSE OF SUPPORTING DATA-DRIVEN APPROACHES TO CRIME AND TRAFFIC SAFETY IN BOSTON (DOCKET NO. 0553)

Councilor MURPHY, on behalf of the Committee on Public Safety, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 0553, message of the Mayor and order authorizing the Police Commissioner to accept and expend the FY2015 Sustained Traffic Enforcement Programs (STEP) grant funds of Two Hundred Ninety Five Thousand Seven Hundred Forty One Dollars and Thirty Six Cents ($295,741.36) awarded by the Executive Office of Public Safety and Security's Highways Safety Division for the purpose of supporting the Data-Driven Approaches to Crime and Traffic Safety in Boston (referred March 25) - recommending passage of the order.

The report was accepted; the order was passed.

ORDER FOR HEARING REGARDING FAA CHANGES USING RUNWAYS 27, 33L AND 4L AT LOGAN AIRPORT (DOCKET NO. 0266)

This matter which was recently heard for possible action was remanded back to the **Special Committee on Transportation, Public Infrastructure, Planning and Investment.**

Councilor CIOMMO in the Chair.

ORDERS FOR FY16 OPERATING BUDGET IN-

CLUDING ANNUAL APPROPRIATION AND TAX ORDER, ANNUAL APPROPRIATION FOR SCHOOL DEPARTMENT AND APPROPRIATION FOR OTHER POST EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS (OPEB) (DOCKET NOS. 0662 THROUGH 0664)

These matters which was recently heard for possible action was remanded back to the **Committee on Ways and Means.**

ORDERS FOR FY16 CAPITAL BUDGET INCLUDING LOAN ORDERS AND LEASE AND PURCHASE AGREEMENTS (DOCKET NOS. 0665 THROUGH 0680)

These matters which was recently heard for possible action was remanded back to the **Committee on Ways and Means.**

Councilor CIOMMO in the Chair.

ORDER AUTHORIZING MAYOR'S OFFICE OF TOURISM TO RE-ESTABLISH IN ACCORDANCE WITH GENERAL LAW CHAPTER 44, SECTION 53E 1/2 REVOLVING FUND TO ACCEPT FROM FUND UP TO MAXIMUM OF $300,000 TO FUND FISCAL YEAR 2016 FOR PURPOSES OF PURCHASING GOODS AND SERVICES TO ADVANCE TOURISM AND PROMOTE PARTICIPATION IN PUBLIC CELEBRA TIONS (DOCKET NO. 0682)

This matter which was recently heard for possible action was remanded back to the **Committee on Ways and Means.**

President LINEHAN in the Chair.

ORDER AUTHORIZING MAYOR'S OFFICE OF ARTS AND CULTURE TO RE-ESTABLISH IN ACCORDANCE WITH GENERAL LAW CHAPTER 44, SECTION 53E 1/2 REVOLVING FUND TO ACCEPT FROM FUND UP TO MAXIMUM OF $300,000 TO FUND FISCAL YEAR 2016 FOR PURPOSES OF PURCHASING GOODS AND SERVICES TO SUPPORT PUBLIC ART THROUGHOUT CITY OF BOSTON (DOCKET NO. 0683)

This matter which was recently heard for possible action was remanded back to the **Committee on Ways and Means.**

ORDER AUTHORIZING OFFICE OF ENVIRONMENTAL AND ENERGY SERVICES 6 TO ESTABLISH IN ACCORDANCE WITH GENERAL LAW CHAPTER 44, SECTION 53E 1/2 REVOLVING FUND TO ACCEPT FROM FUND UP TO MAXIMUM OF $100,000 TO FUND FISCAL YEAR 2016 TO PURCHASE OFFSETS OF GREENHOUSE GAS EMISSIONS WHICH SHALL BE ASSOCIATED WITH PORTION OF ELECTRICITY CONSUMED BY CITY ANNUALLY, THEREBY "GREENING" GREATER PERCENTAGE OF CITY'S AGGREGATE ELECTRICITY LOAD (DOCKET NO. 0686)

This matter which was recently heard for possible action was remanded back to the **Committee on Ways and Means.**

ORDINANCE AMENDING CITY OF BOSTON CODE, ORDINANCES, CHAPTER 6-6.6, IMPOUNDMENT OF VEHICLES (DOCKET NO. 0271)

This matter which was recently heard for possible action was remanded back to the **Committee on Government Operations.**

ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 17 OF THE CITY OF BOSTON CODE¬ORDINANCES, BODY WORK, AND MASSAGE INDUSTRY REGISTRATION AND INSPECTION REQUIREMENTS (DOCKET NO. 0272)

This matter which was recently heard for possible action was remanded back to the **Committee on Ways and Means.**

LATE-FILED MATTERS

The Chair stated that in absence of objection, one late-filed matter would be added to the Agenda.

No objection being heard, the following matter was added:

COMMUNICATION FROM COUNCILOR MICHELLE WU REGARDING HER ABSENCE FROM CITY COUNCIL ON WEDNESDAY, APRIL 15, 2015 (DOCKET NO. 0739)

Communication was received from Councilor Michelle Wu regarding her absence from City Council on Wednesday, April 15, 2015.

Placed on file.

ORDER APPROVING APPROPRIATION OF $1,700,000 FOR PURPOSE OF PAYING COST OF FEASIBILITY STUDY AND SCHEMATIC DESIGN WORK ASSOCIATED WITH RENOVATION OR NEW CONSTRUCTION OF FACILITY FOR BOSTON ARTS ACADEMY. UPON COMPLETION OF FEASIBILITY STUDY, CITY OF BOSTON MAYBE ELIGIBLE FOR GRANT FROM MASSACHUSETTS SCHOOL BUILDING AUTHORITY, SAID AMOUNT TO BE EXPENDED UNDER DIRECTION OF PUBLIC FACILITIES DEPARTMENT ON BEHALF OF BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS (DOCKET NO. 0551)

Councilor CIOMMO called Docket No. 0551 from the Assignment Sheet.

No objection being heard, the matter was before the body.

On motion of Councilor CIOMMO, the order received its second reading and final passage; yeas 12:

Yeas - Councilors Baker, Ciommo, Flaherty, Jackson, LaMattina, Linehan, McCarthy, Murphy, O'Malley, Pressley, Yancey, Zakim -12.
Nays - 0.
Absent -1. Councilor WU

STATEMENT OF PRESIDENT LINEHAN

President LINEHAN wanted to remind the Councilors and the viewing public that today at 2:49 outside of City Hall, the Mayor would like to invite everyone outside to join him in a moment of silence in recognition of the Boston Marathon victims.

CONSENT AGENDA

The Chair moved adoption of a Consent Agenda in which the following-named Councilors offered resolutions of a condolence or congratulatory nature as set forth after each Councilor's name:

Councilor McCarthy: Recognizing Laura Gang (Docket No. 0734)
Councilor Ciommo: In memory of Evelyn Ware (Docket No. 0735)
Councilor Pressley: Recognizing 15 exceptional young women for their completion of the Women's Pipline for Change program (Docket No. 0736)
Councilor Yancey: In memory of Robert K. "Brian" Mullen (Docket No. 0737)
Councilor Linehan: Recognizing the City Side Neighborhood Association (Docket No. 0738)

The matters contained within the Consent Agenda were severally adopted.

Adjourned at 1:00 p.m. on motion of President Linehan and in memory of Evelyn Ware, Joe LaMatina, Anthony Giovaniello, Josephine Marotta, Rev. William F. Joyce, Eleanor K. Koschen and Jessie Harris to meet again on Wednesday, April 29, 2015 at 12:00 p.m.

Note: All debate of City Council eliminated from proceedings in accordance with Chapter 447, Acts of 1947.

CITY OF BOSTON

Proceedings of the Boston City Council

Wednesday, April 29, 2015

Regular meeting of the City Council held in the Christopher A. Iannella Chamber, City Hall, at 12:06 p.m. President Linehan in the Chair.

INVOCATION

Reverend David M. Wenrich, Boston Harbor Community Church, delivered the invocation, and the meeting was opened with the pledge of allegiance to the flag.

President LINEHAN moved to invoke Rule 37.

Motion prevailed and three presentations were allowed.

PRESENTATION BY COUNCILOR BAKER

Councilor BAKER presented resolutions to students and landlords who were participants in the Fair Housing Art Awards along with Dion Irish declaring April 2015 as Fair Housing Month in the City of Boston.

PRESENTATION BY COUNCILOR MCCARTHY

Councilor MCCARTHY presented resolutions to Coach Tobin and his Catholic Memorial basketball championship team and also presented Councilor FLAHERTY with a CM tee shirt.

PRESENTATION BY COUNCILORS WU, JACKSON and YANCEY

Councilors WU, JACKSON and YANCEY presented resolutions to JazzBoston and the also blessed us with a jazz rendition of Just A Closer Walk With Thee.

VISITORS TO CITY COUNCIL

Councilor JACKSON welcomed the Andre Ward, a jazz musician and artist in his own right who was with the students from the Fair Housing Art Awards.

STATEMENT OF PRESIDENT LINEHAN

President LINEHAN moved to adopt the minutes from the April 15, 2015 meeting. **Motion prevailed.**

ORDER AUTHORIZING POLICE COMMISSIONER TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND FUNDS FROM HUB TICKET BROKERS FOR BOSTON POLICE DISTRICT B2 COMMUNITY SERVICE OFFICER FOR GOODS, SERVICES, AND PREPARATION FACILITY SPACE FOR B2 FOOD TRUCK (DOCKET NO. 0740)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

April 13, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I hereby transmit for your approval an Order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend funds from Hub Ticket Brokers for the Boston Police Department. Funds will be utilized by the BPD's District B2 Community Service Office for goods, services, and preparation facility space for the B2 Food Truck.

I urge your Honorable Body tp adopt this Order as soon as possible so that the City of Boston may accept the funds expeditiously and expend them for the purposes for which these funds were granted.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND FUNDS FROM HUB TICKET BROKERS FOR DISTRICT B2 COMMUNITY SERVICE OFFICE FOOD TRUCK.

ORDERED: That the Police Commissioner, acting on behalf of the City of Boston be, and hereby is authorized, pursuant to section 53A of chapter 44 of the Massachusetts General Laws, to accept and expend the award from Hub Ticket Brokers for District B2 Community Service Office Food Truck not to exceed the amount of Ten Thousand Dollars ($10,000.00).

The rules were suspended; the order was passed.

ORDER AUTHORIZING POLICE COMMISSIONER ACCEPT AND EXPEND DONATION OF TWO (2) APPLE IPADS AIR TABLETS, TWO (2) VUPOINT MAGIC WAND PORTABLE SCANNERS, ONE (1) TARGUS VUSTYLE IPAD CASE, AND ONE (1) LOGITECH IPAD CASE FROM DORCHESTER BAY ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION. DEVICES WILL BE DEPLOYED TO BOSTON POLICE DEPARTMENT'S DISTRICT B.2 COMMUNITY SERVICE OFFICERS FOR USE IN COMMUNITY MEETINGS (DOCKET NO. 0741)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

April 23, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I herewith submit for your approval, an Order to accept and expend for the benefit of the City of Boston, a donation of two (2) Apple iPad Air tablets, two (2) Vupoint Magic Wand Portable Scanners, one (1) Targus Vustyle iPad case, and one (1) Logitech iPad case from the Dorchester Bay Economic Development Corporation. The devices will be deployed to the Boston Police Department's District B-2 Community Service officers for use in community meetings. This capability will benefit the citizens of Boston.

I urge your Honorable Body to adopt this Order as soon as possible so that the City of Boston may accept the two (2) Apple iPad Air tablets, two (2) Vupoint Magic Wand Portable Scanners, one (1) Targus Vustyle iPad case, and one (1) Logitech iPad case expeditiously and use them for the purpose for which they are granted.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

ORDER ACCEPTING DONATION FROM THE DORCHESTER BAY ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION.

ORDERED: That the Boston Police Department, acting by and through its Police Commissioner, be and hereby is authorized, in accordance with Section 53A1/2 of Chapter 44 of the Massachusetts General Laws to accept as a gift from the Dorchester Bay Economic Development Corporation, a donation of two (2) Apple iPad Air tablets, two (2) Vupoint Magic Wand Portable Scanners, one (1) Targus Vustyle iPad case, and one (1) Logitech iPad case for use by officers in the field.

The rules were suspended; the order was passed.

APPOINTMENT BY THE MAYOR
(DOCKET NO. 0742)

Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of Giselle Sterling, as Commissioner of Veterans' Services, effective April 14, 2015.
Placed on file.

APPOINTMENT BY THE MAYOR
(DOCKET NO. 0743)

Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of Patrick Brophy, as Chief of Operations, effective April 13, 2015.
Placed on file.

COMMUNICATION RECEIVED FROM CITY CLERK REGARDING SPRING 2015 UNIVERSITY ACCOUNTABILITY-STATISTICAL REPORT (DOCKET NO. 0744)

Communication was received from the City Clerk regarding the Spring 2015 University Accountability-Statistical Report.
Placed on file.

REPORT ON ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING PAID PARENTAL LEAVE FOR CITY OF BOSTON EMPLOYEES (DOCKET NO. 0567)

Councilor FLAHERTY, on behalf of the Committee on Government Operations, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 0567, an ordinance establishing paid parental leave for City of Boston employees, (referred March 25) - recommending passage of the ordinance.
The report was accepted; the ordinance was passed: yeas 13.

REPORT ON ORDER AUTHORIZING DEPARTMENT OF NEIGHBORHOOD DEVELOPMENT TO APPLY FOR AND EXPEND FEDERAL FISCAL YEAR 2015, COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT, HOME INVESTMENT PARTNERSIDP PROGRAM, HOUSING OPPORTUNITIES FOR PERSONS WITH AIDS, EMERGENCY SOLUTIONS GRANT AND CONTINUUM OF CARE (DOCKET NO. 0644)

Councilor BAKER, on behalf of the Committee on Housing, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 0644, message from the Mayor and order authorizing the Department of Neighborhood Development to apply for and expend Federal Fiscal Year 2015, Community Development Block Grant, Home Investment Partnership Program, Housing Opportunities for Persons with Aids, Emergency Solutions Grant and Continuum of Care (referred April 1) - recommending passage of the order.

The report was accepted; the order was passed.

ORDER AUTHORIZING BOSTON FIRE DEPARTMENT ACADEMY TO RE-ESTABLISH IN ACCORDANCE WITH GENERAL LAW CHAPTER 44, SECTION 53E 1/2 REVOLVING FUND TO ACCEPT FROM FUND UP TO MAXIMUM OF $100,000 TO FUND FISCAL YEAR 2016 TO SUPPORT BOSTON FIRE DEPARTMENT'S PARTICIPATION IN DETECTION, CLEANUP AND CONTAINMENT OF HAZARDOUS MATERIAL RELEASE (DOCKET NO. 0691)

This matter which was recently heard for possible action was remanded back to the **Committee on Ways and Means.**

ORDER AUTHORIZING BOSTON FIRE ACADEMY TO RE-ESTABLISH IN ACCORDANCE WITH GENERAL LAW CHAPTER 44, SECTION 53E 1/2 REVOLVING FUND TO ACCEPT FROM FUND UP TO MAXIMUM OF $100,000 TO FUND FISCAL YEAR 2016 TO SUPPORT TRAINING PROGRAMS FOR FIREFIGHTERS FROM NON-CITY OF BOSTON FIRE AGENCIES. ACADEMY WILL CHARGE PARTICIPATING OUTSIDE AGENCIES TUITION FOR EACH FIREFIGHTER RECRUIT THEY SEND TO ACADEMY (DOCKET NO. 0692)

This matter which was recently heard for possible action was remanded back to the **Committee on Ways and Means.**

ORDER AUTHORIZING BOSTON FIRE DEPARTMENT ACADEMY TO RE-ESTABLISH IN ACCORDANCE WITH GENERAL LA W CHAPTER 44, SECTION 53E 1/2 REVOLVING FUND TO ACCEPT FROM FUND UP TO MAXIMUM OF $25,000 TO FUND FISCAL YEAR 2016 TO SUPPORT BOSTON FIRE DEPARTMENT PERSONNEL PARTICIPATING IN DETECTION, CLEANUP AND CONTAINMENT COSTS ASSOCIATED WITH MASSACHUSETTS GENERAL LAW, CHAPTER 21E, MASSACHUSETTS OIL AND HAZARDOUS MATERIAL RELEASE AND PREVENTION AND RESPONSE ACT (DOCKET NO. 0693)

This matter which was recently heard for possible action was remanded back to the **Committee on Ways and Means.**

ORDERS FOR FY16 OPERATING BUDGET INCLUDING ANNUAL APPROPRIATION AND TAX ORDER, ANNUAL APPROPRIATION FOR SCHOOL DEPARTMENT AND APPROPRIATION FOR OTHER POST EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS (OPEB) (DOCKET NOS. 0662 THROUGH 0680)

This matter which was recently heard for possible action was remanded back to the **Committee on Ways and Means.**

ORDER FOR HEARING TO PROTECT AIR QUALITY THROUGHOUT CITY OF BOSTON BY REDUCING FUEL EMISSIONS (DOCKET NO. 0700)

This matter which was recently heard for possible action was remanded back to the **Committee on Government Operations.**

ORDER FOR HEARING TO EXPLORE INSTALLATION OF SUNSCREEN DISPENSER STATIONS IN BOSTON'S PARKS (DOCKET NO. 0745)

Councilrs O'MALLEY, LAMATTINA, MCCARTHY, PRESSLEY, WU, YANCEY, ZAKIM, FLAHERTY, CIOMMO, BAKER, LINEHAN, MURPHY and JACKSON offered the following:

WHEREAS: Almost five million people are treated for skin cancer every year in the US. Non-melanoma skin cancers (basal and squamous cell carcinomas) are the most common, while malignant melanoma is the most aggressive; and

WHEREAS: Approximately 90 percent of non-melanoma skin cancers and 86 percent of melanomas are associated with ultraviolet (UV) exposure; and

WHEREAS: Daily application of SPF 15 or greater decreases the risk of squamous cell carcinoma and melanoma by 40 percent and 50 percent, respectively; and

WHEREAS: The US Food and Drug Administration has released new guidelines recommending daily SPF of 15 or greater, reapplied every two hours; and

WHEREAS: Healthy People 2020 has outlined the following goals for skin cancer reduction: reduce the melanoma death rate and increase the proportion of persons who participate in behaviors that reduce exposure to harmful UV irradiation and avoid sunburn; and

WHEREAS: The Surgeon General's Call to Action to Prevent Skin Cancer delegates responsibility to local governments, among others, to increase opportunities for sun protection in outdoor settings; and

WHEREAS: The Melanoma Research Foundation, which supports medical research, patient education, and disease advocacy, has written a letter of support for sunscreen dispensers in the Boston public parks system; and

WHEREAS: The City of Boston is world famous for our walkable streets and neighborhoods and beautiful parks; and

WHEREAS: The City of Boston currently lacks free and accessible sunscreen for use by visitors and residents; THEREFORE BE IT:

ORDERED: That the appropriate committee of the Boston City Council hold a public hearing to discuss the installation of sunscreen dispenser stations in the Boston Common and throughout the Boston public parks system to enable residents and visitors to protect themselves from damaging UV rays by allowing easy and free access for application and reapplication of sunscreen.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Parks.

RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF A STUDY EXAMINING CURRENT CONDITIONS OF WEST ROXBURY NEIGHBORHOOD IMPACTED BY ALGONQUIN INCREMENTAL MARKET PIPELINE PROJECT (AIM) (DOCKET NO. 0746)

Councilors O'MALLEY, MURPHY, FLAHERTY, BAKER, CIOMMO, JACKSON, LAMATTINA, MCCARTHY, PRESSLEY, YANCEY, ZAKIM, WU and LINEHAN offered the following:

WHEREAS The Natural Gas Act of 1938 grants the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission ("FERC") with the authority to approve the construction of interstate natural gas pipelines. FERC regulates many aspects of interstate gas transmission pipeline operations, including approval, permitting, and siting for new pipeline facilities. In approving the construction of new pipelines or facilities, FERC is required under the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 to prepare an environmental impact statement. When granting approval for construction of a natural gas pipeline FERC will balance the public benefits against potential adverse consequences; and,

WHEREAS, FERC approved the Spectra Algonquin Incremental Market Pipeline Project (AIM) which includes the West Roxbury Lateral. The West Roxbury Lateral is located in a densely populated residential area and located across the street from an active quarry; and,

WHEREAS, Elected officials of the City of Boston as well as state and federal officials have been granted intervenor status to submit a request for rehearing before the FERC; and,

WHEREAS, Many landowners, businesses, schools and communities are affected by the route of the pipeline and could experience harmful effects due to methane emissions and changes to air quality. The City of Boston has an interest in maintaining a healthy and safe quality of life in its neighborhoods. The Boston Public Health Commission plays a significant role in establishing public health policies and practices that benefit the residents of the City of Boston; and,

WHEREAS, It will benefit the City of Boston for the Boston Public Health Commission in collaboration with other city departments including the Environment and Energy Department to conduct a study on current conditions in the West Roxbury neighborhood surrounding the West Roxbury Lateral during the construction phase and operation of the pipeline. The study should look at air quality, noise pollution, radiation levels, traffic, and safety and quality of life issues in the surrounding neighborhood. In conducting the study, the Boston Public Health Commission shall reach out to the residents of the neighborhood to address concerns. Commissioning a study to determine the current conditions in the neighborhood will allow the City of Boston to realize the health impacts ofthe pipeline and its effects on residents. Therefore be it

RESOLVED, That the Boston City Council urges the Boston Public Health Commission in collaboration with other city departments to conduct a study to examine the current air quality, traffic, and safety conditions in the West Roxbury neighborhood that surrounds the West Roxbury Lateral. The study will allow the City of Boston to assess the impacts of the Spectra Algonquin Incremental Market Pipeline Project (AIM) including the West Roxbury Lateral portion on the health and safety of the surrounding neighborhoods.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the City of Boston, while upholding all federal laws, urges refrain on granting any relevant permits regarding the construction of the West Roxbury Lateral Pipeline (WR Lateral) until and unless these myriad concerns are addressed are met.

On motion of Councilor O'MALLEY, the rules were suspended; the resolution was adopted; yeas 13.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES (DOCKET NO. 0747)

President LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, April 18, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, April 24, 2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Lynnette M. Frazier, Administrative Asst. $6,230.77, full time
Nichelle Nicole Purvis, Secretary, $4,615.39, full time
Kenneth W. Yarbrough, Secretary, $4,865.39, full time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES (DOCKET NO. 0748)

President LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, April 25, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, June 12, 2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Lynnette M. Frazier, Administrative Asst. $2,461.54, full time
Nichelle Nicole Purvis, Secretary, $1,346,16, full time
Kenneth W. Yarbrough, Secretary, $1,730.78, full time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES
(DOCKET NO. 0749

President LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, April 25, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, June 26, 2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Latoya Evans-Bush, Secretary, $800.00, part time
Donna Young, Secretary, $980.00, part time
Ralph I. Ortiz, Secretary, $735.00, part time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

LATE-FILED MATTERS

The Chair stated that in absence of objection, one late-filed matter would be added to the Agenda.

No objection being heard, the following matter was added:

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES
(DOCKET NO. 0819)

President LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, May 2, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, June 12, 2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Patrick S. Harrington, Administrative Asst., $673.08, part time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

CONSENT AGENDA

The Chair moved adoption of a Consent Agenda in which the following-named Councilors offered resolutions of a condolence or congratulatory nature as set forth after each Councilor's name:

Councilor Ciommo: Recognizing Emile Saint-Hilaire (Docket No. 0750) Recognizing Emma J. Achille Placide (Docket No. 0751)

Councilor McCarthy: Recognizing Parkway Youth Soccer for being voted the 2014 Nina Schaefer youth award (Docket No. 0752) Recognizing Aleppo Shriners for being voted the recipient of the 2014 parade committee award (Docket No. 0753) Recognizing New Liberty Jazz Band for being awarded the best band in the 2014 Roslindale Day Parade (Docket No. 0754) Recognizing Boston Latin School for being awarded best new entry in the 2014 Roslindale Day Parade (Docket No. 0755) Recognizing Dance Academy for being awarded best performing group in the 2014 Roslindale Parade (Docket No. 0756) Recognizing Lawn Care Plus, Inc. for being awarded the best float in the 2014 Roslindale Day Parade (Docket No. 0757) Recognizing Marna Persechini (Docket No. 0758) Congratulating Anthony Pasquale (Docket No. 0759)

Councilor LaMattina: Recognizing Philip Giffee (Docket No. 0760)

Councilors Zakim, Jackson and McCarthy: Recognizing the IDF Officers participating in The Hatikvah Officers Mission (Docket No. 0761)

Councilor LaMattina: Recognizing Strip by Strega (Docket No. 0762) In memory of Anthony Giovanniello (Docket No. 0763) In memory of William Wallace Killoran (Docket No. 0764)

Councilor Murphy: In memory of Honorable Joseph Manning (Docket No. 0765)

Councilor Wu: Congratulating the Gin's Family Association of Boston on its New Year's banquet (Docket No. 0766)

Councilors Ciommo, Murphy and O'Malley: In memory of James J. Rourke Jr (Docket No. 0767)

Councilor O'Malley: In memory of Meghan Mary Sullivan (Docket No. 0768)

Councilor Pressley: Recognizing the Black Family (Docket No. 0769)

Councilor Linehan: Congratulating Ed Hoell (Docket No. 0770)

Councilors Murphy and McCarthy: In memory of Richard P. Jeanetti (Docket No. 0771)

Councilor Murphy: Congratulating 37 members of the Boston Fire Department for their years of service (Docket No. 0772)

Councilor LaMattina: In memory of Joseph A. LaMattina (Docket No. 0773) In memory of Josephine Marotta (Docket No. 0774)

Councilor Flaherty: Congratulating Helen Allix (Docket No. 0775)

Councilors Flaherty and Jackson: Recognizing Comcast Cares Day (Docket No. 0776)

Councilor Flaherty: Congratulating Kim Nguyen on her leadership of the 2015 Black April Celebration (Docket No. 0777)

Councilors Flaherty and Baker: Recognizing the Vietnamese-American Community on the 40th anniversary of the end of the Vietnam War (Docket No. 0778)

Councilor Flaherty: Congratulating 7 people on completing the 119th Boston Marathon (Docket No. 0779)

Councilors Linehan and Wu: Congratulating Grandmaster Pui Chan (Docket No. 0780)

Councilor Wu: Recognizing Antonio "Tony" Molina (Docket No. 0781)

Councilor LaMattina: Recognizing Gail Lentini (Docket No. 0782) Recognizing East Boston Open Studios (Docket No. 0783)

Councilor Baker: Congratulating 16 finalists on winning the Fair Housing Art Contest (Docket No. 0784)

Councilor Wu: Congratulating Gee Poy Kuo Association on its New Year celebration banquet (Docket No. 0785)

Councilor Yancey: Recognizing Haitian Heritage Month 20th Annual Flag Raising Ceremony (Docket No. 0786) Recognizing Haitian Heritage Month 15th Annual Haitian American Unity Parade (Docket No. 0787) Recognizing Marie A. Benoit, MSN, RN (Docket No. 0788) Recognizing Trooper LeRoy Keys (Docket No. 0789) Recognizing Yolanda Adams (Docket No. 0790) Recognizing Erica Campbell (Docket No. 0791) In memory of Dr. Ann Marie Eubanks (Docket No. 0792)

Councilor Jackson: Congratulating The Center for Teen Empowerment (Docket No. 0793) Congratulating Greek Boston (Docket No. 0794) Congratulating Albertha Herbert (Docket No. 0795) Recognizing Urban Edge (Docket No. 0796) Congratulating Beulah Providence (Docket No. 0797)

Councilor Yancey: Recognizing New Mission High School's Day of Silence (Docket No. 0798) In memory of Mary E. Harris (Docket No. 0799) Recognizing 5 people for their dedication to the Faith Christian Church (Docket No. 0800) Recognizing 7 people on their achievements of the Boston & Vicinity Club of the National Association of Negro Business and Professional Women's Clubs (Docket No. 0801)

Councilor Jackson: Congratulating Dr. James Jennings (Docket No. 0802) Recognizing AdMeTech (Docket No. 0803) Declaring April 22, 2015 as Louie Bello Day

(Docket No. 0804) Recognizing 4 people for their commitment to helping others in need of substance abuse on behalf of Metro Boston Alive (Docket No. 0805)

Councilor Linehan: In memory of Ruth Ann Marlborough (Docket No. 0806) In memory of Martin J. "Bob" Conway (Docket No. 0807)

Councilor Baker: Declaring April 2015 as Fair Housing Month in the City of Boston (Docket No. 0808)

Councilor O'Malley: Recognizing Thomas Regan for his service to the city's youth (Docket No. 0809)

Councilor Pressley: Recognizing The Silver Linings Gospel Singers for their 35th Anniversary (Docket No. 0810) Recognizing 12 individuals on receiving the Monserrat Progressive Society's President Award (Docket No. 0811) Recognizing Pastor Yvonne Thompson for her life-long commitment to the Jubilee Church community (Docket No. 0812) Recognizing 5 people for the Nation Youth Peacemaker Award (Docket No. 0813)

Councilor McCarthy: Recognizing Elizabeth C. Moore on her hard work for her family and loved ones on her 90th birthday (Docket No. 0814) In memory of Eleanor K. (Gallishaw) Koschen with the deepest sympathy (Docket No. 0815) In memory of Rev. William F. Joyce with the deepest sympathy (Docket No. 0816) Congratulating Vincent Marino on being voted the recipient of the 2014 Thomas M. Menino Roslindale pride award (Docket No. 0817)

Councilor Murphy: Congratulating Carolyn Twomey for 15 years of dedicated service to the Licensing Board for the City of Boston (Docket No. 0818)

The Chair stated that in the absence of objection, four late-filed matters would be added to the Consent Agenda.

No objection being heard, the following matters were added:

Councilor Linehan: In memory of Jason Curtis (Docket No. 0820)

Councilors Murphy and Ciommo: Declaring April 29, 2015 James T. Loveridge Day (Docket No. 0821)

Councilor LaMattina: In memory of Henry Smith (Docket No. 0822)

Councilor O'Malley: In memory of Father Michael McLellan (Docket No. 0823)

NEXT MEETING

Adjourned at 2:00 p.m. on motion of President Linehan and in memory of James P. Lydon, Martin J. "Bob" Conway, Jason Curtis, Ruth Marlborough, Henry Smith, Honorable Joseph Manning, Richard P. Jeanetti, James J. Rourke, Jr., Meghan Mary Sullivan, Father Michael McLellan, Dr. Ann Marie EuBanks, Mary E. Harris, Percy Sledge and the People of Nepal, to meet again on Wednesday, May 6, 2015 at 12:00 p.m.

Note: All debate of City Council eliminated from proceedings in accordance with Chapter 447, Acts of 1947.

CITY OF BOSTON

Proceedings of the Boston City Council

Wednesday, May 6, 2015

Regular meeting of the City Council held in the Christopher A. Iannella Chamber, City Hall, at 12:05 p.m. President Linehan in the Chair.

INVOCATION

Pastor Dan Nanstad, Our Savior's Lutheran Church, delivered the invocation, and the meeting was opened with the pledge of allegiance to the flag.

STATEMENT OF PRESIDENT LINEHAN

President LINEHAN moved to adopt the minutes from the April 29, 2015 meeting. **Motion prevailed.**

PRESENTATION BY COUNCILORS PRESSLEY AND LAMATTINA

Councilors PRESSLEY and LAMATTINA presented a resolution to Police Officer Shana Cottone who rescued a family and dog from a burning building in the North End. Both Councilors commended all police for their dedicated work to the City and especially today to Officer Cottone for her heroism.

APPOINTMENT BY THE MAYOR (DOCKET NO. 0824)

Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of Liam Curran, as a member of the City of Boston Licensing Board, for a term expiring June 1, 2016.
Placed on file.

ABSENCE OF THE MAYOR (DOCKET NO. 0825)

Notice was received from the Mayor of his absence from the city on Tuesday, April 28 until 11:30 p.m. on Tuesday, May 5, 2015.
Placed on file.

COMMUNICATION FROM CITY CLERK OF FILING BY BRA OF SEVENTH AMENDMENT AGREEMENT BETWEEN CITY OF BOSTON AND LANDMARK CENTER PURSUANT TO CHAPTER 121A, SECTION 6A OF MASSACHUSETTS GENERAL LAW (DOCKET NO. 0826)

Communication was received from the City Clerk of the filing by the Boston Redevelopment Authority of the Seventh Amendment Agreement between the City of Boston and the Landmark Center pursuant to Chapter 121A, Section 6A of The Massachusetts General Law.
Placed on file.

COMMUNICATION FROM BOSTON RETIREMENT BOARD RE: CONSIDERATION OF FY16 RETIREE COST OF LIVING ADJUSTMENT ("COLA") VOTE (DOCKET NO. 0827)

Communication was received from the Boston Retirement Board re: FY16 Retiree Cost of Living Adjustment ("COLA") Vote.
Placed on file.

COMMUNICATION FROM CITY CLERK OF FILING BY BRA OF SMITH HOUSE APARTMENTS CHAPTER 121A PROJECT, "CERTIFICATE OF PROJECT TERMINATION" (DOCKET NO. 0828)

Communication was received from the City Clerk of the filing by the Boston Redevelopment Authority of the Smith House Apartments Chapter 121A Project, "Certificate of Project Termination."
Placed on file.

COMMUNICATION FROM CITY CLERK OF FILING BY BRA OF 1000 WASHINGTON, INC. (TERADYNE) CHAPTER 121A PROJECT, "CERTIFICATE OF PROJECT TERMINATION" (DOCKET NO. 0829)

Communication was received from the City Clerk of the filing by the Boston Redevelopment Authority of the 1000 Washington, Inc. (Teradyne) Chapter 121A Project, "Certificate of Project Termination."
Placed on file.

ORDERS FOR FY16 REVOLVING FUNDS FOR BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS TO RE-ESTABLISH IN ACCORDANCE WITH GENERAL LAW CHAPTER 44, SECTION 53E 1/2 (DOCKET NOS. 0687 THROUGH 0690)

This matter which was recently heard for possible action was remanded back to the **Committee on Ways and Means.**

ORDERS FOR FY16 OPERATING BUDGET INCLUDING ANNUAL APPROPRIATION AND TAX ORDER, ANNUAL APPROPRIATION FOR SCHOOL DEPARTMENT AND APPROPRIATION FOR OTHER POST EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS (OPEB), ORDERS FOR FY16 CAPITAL BUDGET INCLUDING LOAN ORDERS AND LEASE AND PURCHASE AGREEMENTS (DOCKET NOS. 0662 THROUGH 0680)

This matter which was recently heard for possible action was remanded back to the **Committee on Ways and Means.**

ORDER FOR HEARING TO DISCUSS IMPLEMENTATION OF RECYCLING PROGRAM FOR ALL NUMBER SIX PLASTICS (DOCKET NO. 0564)

This matter which was recently heard for possible action was remanded back to the **Committee on Environment and Parks.**

ORDER APPROVING PETITION FOR SPECIAL LAW RE: ACT CONCERNING RETIREMENT CLASSIFICATION FOR BOSTON (DOCKET NO. 0830)

Councilors BAKER, MURPHY, LINEHAN, FLAHERTY, MCCARTHY, LAMATTINA, O'MALLEY, YANCEY, JACKSON and PRESSLEY offered the following:

WHEREAS, Group classification for retirement purposes is determined by the position, occupation, and duties of an employee. Retirement Boards assign employees to one of four specific groups based upon the classifications set out in section three of Chapter 32 of the General Laws; and,

WHEREAS, Under current classification, Boston

School Police Officers are classified in retirement Group 1. Employees in Group 1 consist of officials and general employees including clerical and administrative workers. Because of the duties that Boston School Police Officers perform and the situations that the officers encounter, it would be more appropriate for Boston School Police Officers to be included in retirement Group 2. THEREFORE BE IT

ORDERED, That a petition to the General Court, accompanied by a bill for a special law relating to the City of Boston to be filed with an attested copy of this order be, and hereby is, approved under Clause 1 of Section 8 of Article II, as amended, of the Articles of Amendment to the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, to the end that legislation be adopted precisely as follows, except for clerical or editorial changes of form only:

PETITION FOR A SPECIAL LAW RE:

AN ACT CONCERNING THE RETIREMENT CLASSIFICATION FOR BOSTON SCHOOL POLICE OFFICERS

Section 1. Section 1 Paragraph (2) (g) of section 3 of chapter 32 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2012 Official Edition, is amended in line 254 by inserting after the word "powers" the following words: - Boston school police officers.

Section 2. The provisions of this act shall take effect upon its passage.

Referred to the Committee on Government Operations.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES (DOCKET NO. 0831)

Councilor LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective. Saturday, May 9,2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, May 15, 2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Jacqueline Franks, Secretary, $638.40, part time
Joseph Walsh, Secretary, $3,211.55, full time
Deb O'Leary, Secretary, $3,375.01, full time
Alex Chase, Secretary, $3,317.31, full time
Mark Handley, Secretary, $3,855.78, full time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES (DOCKET NO. 0832)

Councilor LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, May 16, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, June 12, 2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Jacqueline Franks, Secretary, $576.80, part time
Joseph Walsh, Secretary, $1,423.10, full time
Deb O'Leary, Secretary, $1,750.02, full time
Alex Chase, Secretary, $1,634.62, full time
Mark Handley, Secretary, $2,711.56, full time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

CONSENT AGENDA

The Chair moved adoption of a Consent Agenda in which the following-named Councilors offered s of a condolence or Congratulatory nature as set forth after each Councilor's name:

Councilor McCarthy: Congratulating 25 people on winning the 2015 MIAA Basketball State Championship (Docket No.0833) Recognizing Gail Lentini (Docket No. 0834)

Councilor Wu: Recognizing International Jazz Day and JazzBoston's continual work in promoting jazz to the diverse communities in Boston (Docket No. 0835)

Councilor Ciommo: Recognizing Shriners International an organization that provides specialized medical care to children throughout the U.S. and Canada (Docket No. 0836)

Councilor Baker: Recognizing George Kincaid (Docket No. 0837)

Councilor Ciommo: Recognizing Kevin Carragee (Docket No. 0838) Recognizing four students for receiving awards at Law Day 2015 at Brighton Court House (Docket No. 0839)

Councilor Wu: Congratulating the Taipei Economic and Cultural Office on Taiwan Day and the lasting friendship between the sister cities of Boston and Taipei (Docket No. 0840)

Councilor O'Malley: Congratulating Alberto Vasallo, Sf. (Docket No. 0841)

Councilors O'Malley and Flaherty: Recognizing Allessandro Solimine (Docket No. 0842)

Councilor LaMattina: In memory of Polizzi (Docket No. 0843) In memory of Henry Festa (Docket No. 0844) In memory of Henry Smith (Docket No. 0845)

Councilor O'Malley: Recognizing County Cork Mayor Alan Coleman (Docket No. 0846)

Councilor Wu: Recognizing Ann Hershfang Day in the City of Boston (Docket No. 0847)

Councilors Pressley and LaMattina: Recognizing Shana Cottone (Docket No. 0848)

Councilor Yancey: Recognizing Karen Eutemy (Docket No. 0849) Recognizing Fern Cunningham (Docket No. 0850) Recognizing Edward Fitzpatrick (Docket No. 0851)

Councilor O'Malley and Pressley: Congratulating Eugenia Handler (Docket No. 0852)

Councilor McCarthy: Congratulating Lieutenant Dan McCarthy (Docket No. 0853)

Councilor Yancey: Declaring May 1, 2015 as International Workers Day (Docket No. 0854)

Councilor McCarthy: Recognizing The Catholic Memorial Knights Basketball Team on winning the 2015 State Championship (Docket No. 0855)

The matters contained within the Consent Agenda were severally adopted.

NEXT MEETING

Adjourned at 12:31 p.m. on motion of President Linehan and in memory of Henry Festa, Philip Polizzi, Constantino "Sonny" Buttiglieri, Linda Fabiano, Ben E. King, Henry T. Berry and Henry Scagnoli, to meet again on Wednesday, May 13, 2015 at 12:00 p.m.

Note: All debate of City Council eliminated from proceedings in accordance with Chapter 447, Acts of 1947.

CITY OF BOSTON

Proceedings of the Boston City Council

Wednesday, May 13, 2015

Regular meeting of the City Council held in the Christopher A. Iannella Chamber, City Hall, at 12:05 p.m. President Linehan in the Chair.

INVOCATION

Partha Biswas, International Society for Krishna Consciousness, delivered the invocation, and the meeting was opened with the pledge of allegiance to the flag.

PRESENTATION BY COUNCILOR WU

Councilor WU presented a resolution to Ann Hershfang honoring her 80th birthday on May 1st. Mrs. Hershfang is a huge advocate for the South End and has been involved in many efforts including WalkBoston.

STATEMENT OF PRESIDENT LINEHAN

President LINEHAN moved to adopt the minutes from the May 6, 2015 meeting. **Motion prevailed.**

ORDER APPROVING APPROPRIATION OF $1,100,000 FROM INCOME OF GEORGE FRANCIS PARKMAN FUND FOR MAINTENANCE AND IMPROVEMENT OF BOSTON COMMON AND PARKS (DOCKET NO. 0856)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

May 5, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith for your approval an Order appropriating One Million One Hundred Thousand Dollars ($1,100,000.00) from the income of the George Francis Parkman Fund. The funds are to be expended under the direction of the Commissioner of Parks and Recreation for the maintenance and improvement of Boston Common and Parks in existence as of January 12, 1887.

I urge your Honorable Body to pass this Order as expeditiously as possible so that the funds can be spent in accordance with Mr. Parkman's Bequest.

Respectfully,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE BOSTON PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT TO UTILIZE FUNDS FROM THE GEORGE FRANCIS PARKMAN FUND

ORDERED: That the sum of ONE MILLION ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS ($1,100,000.00) be, and the same hereby is, appropriated from the income of the George Francis Parkman Fund to be expended at the direction of the Commissioner of Parks and Recreation as follows:

For the general care and maintenance of the Boston Common and Parks in existence as of January 12, 1887

$850,000.00

For the specialized maintenance of the horticulture and infrastructure of the Boston Common and Parks in existence as of January 12, 1887

$205,000.00

For equipment, infrastructure improvements and repairs in the Boston Common and Parks in existence as of January 12, 1887

$45,000.00

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

ORDER AUTHORIZING POLICE DEPARTMENT TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND A DONATION OF THREE VEHICLES FROM UNITED STATES MARSHALS SERVICE: TWO 2004 DODGE DURANGOS AND 2015 CHEVROLET EQUINOX. THESE VEHICLES WILL BE USED BY BOSTON POLICE DEPARTMENT FUGITIVE UNIT (DOCKT NO. 0857)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

May 6, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I herewith submit for your approval, an Order to accept and expend for the benefit of the City of Boston a donation of three vehicles from the United States Marshals Service: two 2014 Dodge Durangos (VIN 1C4RDJAG5EC596807 and VIN 1C4RDJAG4EC597799); and a 2015 Chevrolet Equinox (VIN 2GTNFLFE38F6130221). These vehicles will be used by the Boston Police Department Fugitive Unit and will benefit the citizens of Boston.

I urge your Honorable Body to adopt this Order as soon as possible so that the City of Boston may accept the motor vehicles expeditiously and use them for the purpose for which they were granted.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE BOSTON POLICE DEPARTMENT TO ACCEPT THREE VEHICLES FROM THE UNITED STATES MARSHALS SERVICE FOR USE BY THE FUGITIVE UNIT.

ORDERED: That the Boston Police Department, acting on behalf of the City of Boston be, and hereby is, authorized pursuant to section 53A 1/2 of chapter 44 of the Massachusetts General Laws to accept as a gift three vehicles: two 2014 Dodge Durangos (VIN: 1C4RDJAG5EC596807 and VIN: 1C4RDJAG4EC597799) and a 2015 Chevrolet Equinox (VIN: 2GTNFLFE38F6130221) from the United States Marshals Service for use by the Fugitive Unit.

The rules were suspended; the order was passed.

ORDER AUTHORIZING POLICE COMMISSIONER TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND $15,000 FROM U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE, UNITED STATES MARSHALS SERVICE FOR BOSTON POLICE DEPARTMENT. THESE FUNDS WILL BE USED TO RETROFIT EMERGENCY RESPONSE

LIGHTS AND EQUIPMENT FOR THREE VEHICLES DONATED BY U.S. MARSHALLS SERVICE TO BOSTON POLICE DEPARTMENT FUGITIVE UNIT (DOCKET NO. 0858)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

May 6, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I hereby transmit for your approval an order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend $15,000.00 from the U.S. Department of Justice, United States Marshals Service for the Boston Police Department. These funds will be used to retrofit emergency response lights and equipment for 3 vehicles donated by the U.S. Marshals Service to the Boston Police Department Fugitive Unit.

I urge your Honorable Body to adopt this order as soon as possible so that the City of Boston may accept the funds expeditiously and expend them for the purposes for which these funds were granted.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND FUNDS FROM THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE, U.S. MARSHALS SERVICE, FOR USE BY THE BOSTON POLICE DEPARTMENT.

ORDERED: That the Boston Police Department, acting on behalf of the City of Boston be and hereby is authorized, pursuant to section 53A of chapter 44 of the Massachusetts General Laws to accept and expend a donation from the United States Justice Department, U.S. Marshals Services, not to exceed fifteen thousand dollars ($15,000.00) for the purposes of supporting crime prevention and law enforcement.

The rules were suspended; the order was passed.

ORDER AUTHORIZING POLICE DEPARTMENT TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND DONATION OF ART COLLECTION DEPICTING LARGER THAN LIFE IMAGES OF BOSTON POLICE OFFICERS THROUGHOUT CITY FOR DISPLAY (DOCKET NO. 0859)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

May 5, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I herewith submit for your approval an Order to accept for the benefit of the City of Boston, a donation of an art collection depicting larger than life images of Boston Police Officers
throughout the City for display.

I urge your Honorable Body to adopt this Order as soon as possible so that the City of Boston may accept the collection expeditiously and use it for the purpose for which it was granted.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

AN ORDER ACCEPTING A GIFT OF ART TO THE BOSTON POLICE DEPARTMENT

ORDERED: That the Boston Police Department, be and hereby is authorized, in accordance with Section 53A 1/2 of Chaptter 44 of the Massachusetts General Laws to accept as a gift a donation from Professor Mira Cantor of Northeastern University of an art collection depicting larger than life images of Boston Police Officers throughout the City for display.

The rules were suspended; the order was passed.

ORDER FOR CITY COUNCIL ORDER APPROVING MODIFICATION TO PARK PLAZA URBAN RENEWAL PLAN (THE "PLAN") ADOPTED BY BOSTON REDEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY BY RESOLUTION DATED APRIL 16, 2015 (DOCKET NO. 0860)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

May 6, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I hereby transmit for your approval a City Council Order approving the modification to the Park Plaza Urban Renewal Plan (the "Plan") adopted by the Boston Redevelopment Authority by a Resolution dated April 16, 2015. A copy of the resolution is attached. Section M.1 of the Plan entitled "Plan Modification or Amendment" states that any change which increases "any prescribed floor area ratio ... or which alters the uses prescribed for any parcel shall be deemed to be substantial." The resolution adopted by the Boston Redevelopment Authority contains a modification to Section F.4. of the Plan entitled "Land Use and Building Requirements" which changes the uses for the Little Building numbered 80 Boylston Street within Parcel B to "include, in addition to those uses set forth [therein], educational and institutional use, including dormitory use, by a college or university" and changes the floor area ratio (F.A.R.) for the Little Building numbered 80 Boylston Street within Parcel B to not to exceed an F.A.R. of 12.1. Therefore, the modification requires City Council approval .

The Little Building RenovationProject located at 80 Boylston Street consists'ofreplacing the facade through a combination of repair, replacement, and restoration. Interior renovations will occur on floors 2-12 and a newly constructed 13th floor will be located entirelfbehind a 14'4" parapet. New common rooms, student social space, and an updated/renovated'dining facility accommodating approximately 450 students will also be provided.

I therefore urge the approval of the attached Council Order that will approve the modification to the Park Plaza Urban Renewal Plan thereby allowing the Little Building Renovation Project to proceed.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE BOSTON REDEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY TO ADOPT THE MODIFICATION TO THE PARK PLAZA URBAN RENEWAL PLAN APPROVED BY A RESOLUTION OF THAT BODY DATED APRIL 16, 2015.

WHEREAS, the Park Plaza Urban Renewal Plan was adopted by the Boston Redevelopment Authority (the "Authority") on July 1 S, 1971 and approved by the City Council on December 6, 1971; and

WHEREAS, the Authority by vote of December 16, 1971, accepted and effected certain changes voted by the City Council in approving the Park Plaza Urban Renewal Plan; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor approved the Park Plaza Urban Renewal Plan, as previously approved by the City Council and the Authority, on December 22. 1971; and

WHEREAS, the Department of Community Affairs of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, after extensive citizen and governmental review, gave its approval of said urban renewal plan and also approved certain further controls on development; and

WHEREAS, several modifications to the Park Plaza Urban Renewal Plan have been adopted (together, the originally approved Park Plaza Urban Renewal Plan as modified shall hereinafter be referred to as the "Park Plaza Urban Renewal Plan"); and

WHEREAS, a modification to the Park Plaza Urban Renewal Plan modifying Section F.4 was adopted by the Authority on April 16, 2015; and

WHEREAS, said modification is set forth in a resolution of the Authority dated April 16, 2015, which resolution has been submitted to the Council by his Honor, the Mayor, for approval, together with a certificate from the Secretary of the Authority evidencing the adoption of said modification; therefore be it

ORDERED: that the modification to the Park Plaza Urban Renewal Plan duly adopted by the Boston Redevelopment Authority by a resolution dated April 16, 2015, be and the same is hereby, approved; and

ORDERED: that the city clerk is hereby directed to file a copy of said resolution with the minutes of this meeting, and that the modification set forth therein shall be conclusively deemed to be an official amendment to the Park Plaza Urban Renewal Plan.

Referred to the Committee on Economic Development and Planning and Labor.

APPOINTMENT BY THE MAYOR
(DOCKET NO. 0861)

Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of Patrick I. Brophy, the Chief of Operations, as a member of the Board of Directors for the Dudley Square Realty Corporation.

Placed on file.

APPOINTMENT BY THE MAYOR
(DOCKET NO. 0862)

Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of Patrick I. Brophy, the Chief of Operations, as a member of the Board of Directors for the Ferdinand Building Development Corporation.

Placed on file.

REPORT ON ORDER FOR HEARING TO PROTECT AIR QUALITY THROUGHOUT CITY OF BOSTON BY REDUCING FUEL EMISSIONS (DOCKET NO. 0770)

Councilor FLAHERTY, on behalf of the Committee on Government Operations, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 0700, message of the Mayor and message and order for a hearing to protect air quality throughout the City of Boston by reducing fuel emissions (referred April 8) - recommending passage of the order in a new draft.

The rules were suspended; the order was passed.

ORDERS FOR FY16 OPERATING BUDGET INCLUDING ANNUAL APPROPRIATION AND TAX ORDER, ANNUAL APPROPRIATION FOR SCHOOL DEPARTMENT AND APPROPRIATION FOR OTHER POST EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS (OPEB) (DOCKET NOS. 0662 THROUGH 0664)

This matter which was recently heard for possible action was remanded back to the **Committee on Ways and Means.**

ORDERS FOR FY16 CAPITAL BUDGET INCLUDING LOAN ORDERS AND LEASE AND PURCHASE AGREEMENTS (DOCKET NOS. 0665 THROUGH 0680)

This matter which was recently heard for possible action was remanded back to the **Committee on Ways and Means.**

ORDER AUTHORIZING BOSTON CENTER FOR YOUTH AND FAMILIES TO RE-ESTABLISH IN ACCORDANCE WITH GENERAL LAW CHAPTER 44, SECTION 53E 1/2 REVOLVING FUND TO ACCEPT FROM FUND UP TO MAXIMUM OF $750,000 TO FUND FISCAL YEAR 2016 TO PAY SALARIES AND BENEFITS OF EMPLOYEES AND TO PURCHASE SUPPLIES AND EQUIPMENT NECESSARY TO OPERATE CITY HALL CHILD CARE (DOCKET NO. 0685)

This matter which was recently heard for possible action was remanded back to the **Committee on Ways and Means.**

ORDER APPROVING HOME RULE PETITION FOR SPECIAL LAW RE: ACT AUTHORIZING EARLY VOTING IN CITY OF BOSTON (DOCKET NO. 0863)

Councilors PRESSLEY, ZAKIM, JACKSON, O'MALLEY, LAMATTINA, MURPHY, WU, YANCEY and LINEHAN offered the following:

WHEREAS, Elections serve as the primary mechanisms for maintaining the accessibility, accountability, and responsiveness of elected officials and politicians; and

WHEREAS, A 2014 Massachusetts law allows for no-excuse early voting up to 11 days before a state general election; and

WHEREAS, Early voting not only increases the number of options voters have to cast a ballot, it also reduces congestion on Election Day, and makes the act of voting more manageable for poll workers and voters alike, THEREFORE BE IT

ORDERED, That a petition to the General Court, accompanied by a bill for a special

law relating to the City of Boston, to be filed with an attested copy of this Order be, and hereby is, approved under Clause One (1) of Section Eight (8) of Article Two (2), as amended, of the Amendments to the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, to the end that legislation be adopted precisely as follows, except for clerical or editorial changes of form only:

**PETITION FOR A SPECIAL LAW RE:
AN ACT AUTHORIZING EARLY VOTING
IN THE CITY OF BOSTON**

Notwithstanding any general or special law to the contrary, the board of election commissioners of the city of Boston shall be authorized to implement early voting procedures for municipal elections. The board of election commissioners of the city of Boston shall allow any qualified voter, as defined in Section 1 of Chapter 51 of the General Laws, to cast a ballot in municipal elections

during the early voting period as set forth in this act. Any qualified voter under this act would not have to provide a reason for wanting to vote early. Early voting shall take place by personal appearance at City Hall during the business hours of the election department or at other locations throughout the city as determined by the election department. Notwithstanding the foregoing provision, the election department shall remain open after normal business hours at least one night until 8:00PM during the early voting period under this act. The early voting period shall run from the eleventh business day preceding the general election until the close of business the day before the election; provided, however, that if the eleventh business day before the election falls on a legal holiday the early voting period shall begin on the first business day prior to the legal holiday. The board of election commissioners of the city of Boston shall take all necessary steps to ensure compliance with this act.

Referred to the Committee on Government Operations.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES
(DOCKET NO. 0865)

President LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, May 9, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, August 28, 2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Christine Scialoia, Secretary, $672.00, part time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES
(DOCKET NO. 0866)

President LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, May 16, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, June 12, 2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Walter Apperwhite, Secretary, $2,038.48, full time
Elizabeth Blasi, Secretary, $2,653.86, full time
Stephen M. Maguire, Secretary, $1,653.86, full time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES
(DOCKET NO. 0867)

President LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, May 30, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, June 12, 2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Herby Lindor, Secretary, $840.00, part time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

LATE-FILED MATTERS

The Chair stated that in absence of objection, five late-filed matters would be added to the Agenda.

No objection being heard, the following matters were added:

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES
(DOCKET NO. 0898)

President LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, May 16, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, June 12, 2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Rachel Lake ,Administrative & Technical Asst., $1,538.48, full time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES
(DOCKET NO. 0899)

President LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, May 16, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, May 22, 2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Ivon Alvarez, Secretary, $1,338.89, part time
Henry Cohen, Secretary, $3,461.54, full time
David Vittorini, Secretary, $4,061.54, full time
Sophia Wang, Secretary, $2,769.23, full time
Gary Webster, Secretary, $2,961.54, full time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES
(DOCKET NO. 0900)

President LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, May 23, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, June 12, 2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Ivon Alvarez, Secretary, $677.78, part time
Henry Cohen, Secretary, $1,923.08, full time
David Vittorini, Secretary, $1,923.08, full time
Sophia Wang, Secretary, $1,538.46, full time
Gary Webster, Secretary, $1,923.08, full time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

RESOLUTION THAT BOSTON CITY COUNCIL SUPPORT UNITED POSTAL WORKERS UNION
(DOCKET NO. 0901)

Councilors MCCARTHY, MURPHY, YANCEY, LINEHAN, BAKER, FLAHERTY, O'MALLEY, LAMATTINA, PRESSLEY, WU, ZAKIM and JACKSON offered the following:

An Act concerning workers' rights and job security

WHEREAS, American Postal Workers Union is fighting an agreement between the U.S. Postal Service and Staples that jeopardizes mail services and local post offices along with thousands of living-wage jobs.

WHEREAS, The Postal Service and Staples launched a no-bid, trial program in 2013 that established postal counters in 82 Staples stores, with a plan to expand to

locations across the country. These counters were staffed with low-wage, poorly trained Staples employees rather than USPS employees.

WHEREAS, The APWU objected to the program asserting that the American people deserve to have post offices that are staffed by Postal Service employees who are trained and

sworn to protect the mail. The union offered to participate in the program if counters were staffed with USPS employees but the offer was rejected.

WHEREAS, The Staples program is bad for postal customers, who receive less than top notch service, and whose letters and packages are unprotected while they sit in Staples stores awaiting pick up by USPS employees.

WHEREAS, This program threatens the Postal Service as we know it, as postal management closes neighborhood post offices and shortens operating hours. This change would expand to all 1,500 U.S. stores and replace living-wage jobs that our communities depend on with low-wage jobs that hurt the economy.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT ORDERED, That the Boston City Council support the United Postal Workers Union and the call by 51 Senators and 178 House members for a one-year moratorium on the reduction in service and the closing of mail processing centers to allow Congress time to enact postal legislation that would improve not degrade postal service.

On motion of Councilors MCCARTHY, MURPHY and LAMATTINA, the rules were suspended; the resolution was adopted: yeas 12; nays 0:

Yeas - Councilors BAKER, FLAHERTY, JACKSON, LAMATTINA, LINEHAN, MCCARTHY, MURPHY, O'MALLEY, PRESSLEY, WU, YANCEY, ZAKIM -12.

Nays-0.

ORDER FOR HEARING TO DISCUSS BUSKERS OPERATING IN CITY OF BOSTON (DOCKET NO. 0902)

Councilors JACKSON, MURPHY, LAMATTINA, MCCARTHY, O'MALLEY, YANCEY, LINEHAN, PRESSLEY, WU and FLAHERTY offered the following:

WHEREAS: Street performers (Buskers) are vital to the culture and local economy of Boston.

WHEREAS: Buskers range from established artists, to individuals trying to make ends meet.

WHEREAS: Busking allows those trying to make ends meet an honest way to earn income, and contribute to the city of Boston in a positive way.

WHEREAS: The operators of Faneuil Hall have requested Buskers pay between $500 to $2,500 to perform on their grounds, which economically segregates and disproportionately effects performers who are unable to meet this high financial demand.

THEREFORE BE IT ORDERED, That the appropriate committee of the Boston City Council hold a hearing to discuss the city of Boston's policy on charging Buskers to perform in the City of Boston, and invite any interested parties to attend the hearing.

Referred to the Committee on Economic Development and the Committee on City, Neighborhood Services and Veterans Affairs.

STATEMENT OF COUNCILOR PRESSLEY

Councilor PRESSLEY wanted to challenge the Councilors to join her with the goal to alleviate poverty and illnesses around the world with the ONE Campaign with her focus being Poverty is Sexist and asked that they take a picture with her posing like Rosie the Riveter for a Boston Strengthie campaign.

CONSENT AGENDA

The Chair moved adoption of a Consent Agenda in which the following-named Councilors offered resolutions of a condolence or Congratulatory nature as set forth after each Councilor's name:

Councilor O'Malley: Congratulating Audrey Jackson (Docket No. 0868)

Councilor Baker: Declaring May 17, 2015 Peter Francis Coleman Jr. day in the city of Boston (Docket No. 0869),

Councilor O'Malley: Congratulating six individuals on becoming small business owners in Egleston Square (Docket No. 0870)

Councilor McCarthy: In memory of Maria Mazzotta (Docket No. 0871) Congratulating Richard Chisholm (Docket No. 0872)

Councilor O'Malley: Congratulating Violeta Gonzalez (Docket No. 0873)

Councilor Murphy: In memory of Henry Scagnoli (Docket No. 0874) In memory of Henry T. Berry (Docket No. 0875) Congratulating John Gillis (Docket No. 0876)

Councilor Ciommo: Recognizing Sgt. Paul Sullivan (Docket No. 0877) In memory of Daniel G. Tice (Docket No. 0878)

Councilor LaMattina: Recognizing Adrian Cadavid (Docket No. 0879) In memory of Palma Bova (Docket No. 0880) Recognizing SSG Travis Mills (Docket No. 0881) Recognizing SSG Mike Downing (Docket No. 0882) Recognizing SSG. Nick Lavery (Docket No. 0883) Recognizing Sgt Brendan Ferreira (Docket No. 0884)

Councilor Jackson: Recognizing The Franklin Park Golf Course Caretakers for the dedication and preservation of the Franklin Park Golf Course (Docket No. 0885)

Councilors Pressley and LaMattina: recognizing the participation of nine individuals with the East Boston Adult Education Coalition (Docket No. 0886)

Councilor O'Malley: Congratulating James Sweeney and 77 others on their completion of 119th Boston Marathon on April 20th, 2015 (Docket No. 0887)

Councilor Jackson: Recognizing Delta Sigma Theta Sorority for hosting the Youth Voice Social Panel at the My Life Matters Youth Summit (Docket No. 0888)

Councilor O'Malley: Recognizing Owen Kendall (Docket No. 0889) Recognizing Alice Hennessey (Docket No. 0890)

Councilors Wu and Jackson: Resolution In memory of Evelyn Mendes (Docket No. 0891)

Councilor LaMattina: In memory of Linda Fabiano (Docket No. 0892) In memory of Dennis Boseman (Docket No. 0893)

In memory of Constantino "Sonny" Buttiglieri (Docket No. 0894)

Councilor Yancey:

Declaring May 6,2015 as Elizabeth VC Moore Day in the City of Boston (Docket No. 0895)

Councilors O'Malley and Flaherty: Declaring May 8, 2015 as "Sister Maureen Day" in the City of Boston (Docket No. 0896)

Councilor Yancey: Declaring May 10, 2015 as Torli Harlan Krua day in the City of Boston (Docket No. 0897)

The Chair stated that in the absence of objection, six late-filed matters would be added to the Consent Agenda.

No objection being heard, the following matters were added:

Councilor Ciommo: In memory of Claire M. Dunne (Docket No. 0903)

Councilor O'Malley: In memory of Henry W. Crede (Docket No. 0904) In memory of John G. Davoren (Docket No. 0905)

Councilors Murphy and McCarthy: In memory of Irene Lowney (Docket No. 0906)

Councilor Linehan: Congratulating The Doolin Harley

Fest (Docket No. 0907)

Councilor Murphy: In memory of William T. Covalucci (Docket No. 0908)

The matters contained within the Consent Agenda were severally adopted.

Adjourned at 1:30 p.m. on motion of President Linehan, in memory of Michael J. Pembroke, Claire M. Dunne, Daniel G. Tice, Blanche DeRuosi, William J. Covalucci, Irene Lowney, Henry Crede, John G. Davoren, Kelly Allen, Evelyn Mendes, Delores Anderson, Officer Benjamin Deen, Officer Liquori Tate and Officer Brian Moore, to meet again on Wednesday, May 20, 2015 at 12:00 p.m.

Note: All debate of City Council eliminated from proceedings in accordance with Chapter 447, Acts of 1947.

CITY OF BOSTON

Proceedings of the Boston City Council

Wednesday, May 20, 2015

Regular meeting of the City Council held in the Christopher A. Iannella Chamber, City Hall, at 12:08 p.m. President Linehan in the Chair.

INVOCATION

Reverend Steven Chin, Boston Chinese Evangelical Church, delivered the invocation, and the meeting was opened with the pledge of allegiance to the flag.

PRESENTATION BY COUNCILORS MURPHY AND PRESSLEY

Councilors MURPHY and PRESSLEY presented resolution to Boston's EMS in honor of National EMS Week.

STATEMENT OF PRESIDENT LINEHAN

President LINEHAN moved to adopt the minutes from the May13, 2015 meeting. **Motion prevailed.**

ORDER AUTHORIZING CITY OF BOSTON'S OFFICE OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND GRANT OF $1,500,000 FROM ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND INDUSTRIAL CORPORATION FOR PURPOSE OF SUPPORTING OPERATIONAL NEEDS OF CITY OF BOSTON'S OFFICE OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT (DOCKET NO. 0909)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

May 14, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I hereby transmit for your approval an Order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend grants, in an amount not to exceed One Million Five Hundred Thousand dollars ($1,500,000.00), for the purpose of supporting the operational needs of the City of Boston's Office of Economic Development.

The Economic Development and Industrial Corporation (EDIC) was established to lead local economic development activities at industrial and manufacturing properties in Boston, with the aim of increasing employment, eliminating blighted areas, attracting new industry, expanding existing industry, and creating jobs and business opportunity in Boston. In line with the mission of the EDIC, the City of Boston's Office of Economic Development is responsible for streamlining and supporting areas of focus that contribute to Boston's economy, including tourism, jobs and employment, business development, and real estate development. The EDIC will provide this grant money to the Office of Economic Development, which will use it to support its operational needs in furtherance of its, important mission.

I urge your Honorable Body to adopt this Order as soon as possible so that the City of Boston may accept funds from the EDIC, and expend them for the purposes for which these funds are given.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND MONEY GIVEN TO THE CITY OF BOSTON'S OFFICE OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

ORDERED: That the Mayor, acting on behalf of the City of Boston be, and hereby is authorized, pursuant to section 53A of chapter 44 of the Massachusetts General Laws, to accept, upon award, and expend gifts from the Economic Development and Industrial Corporation in an amount not to exceed One Million Five Hundred Thousand Dollars ($1,500,000.00).

Referred to the Committee on Economic Development and Planning and Labor.

ORDER AUTHORIZING MAYOR'S OFFICE OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND ADDITIONAL GRANT OF $31,817.90 FROM U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY'S (DHS), REGIONAL CATASTROPHIC PREPAREDNESS GRANT PROGRAM (RCPGP) GRANT FFY2011 FOR PURPOSE OF CATASTROPHIC PLANNING WITHIN DESIGNATED REGION INCLUDING BOSTON URBAN AREA, PROVIDENCE URBAN AREA, COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS, STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE AND STATE OF RHODE ISLAND. DOCKET NO. 0335 WAS PREVIOUSLY APPROVED BY CITY OF BOSTON ALLOWING THEM TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND $1,148,877.20. THIS NEW AWARD WILL BRING GRANT TOTAL TO $1,180,695.10 (DOCKET NO. 0910)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

May 15, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I hereby transmit for your approval an Order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend an additional award in the amount of $31,817.90 in the form of United States Department of Homeland Security (DHS), Regional Catastrophic Preparedness Grant Program (RCPGP) Grant FFY2011 Award, passed through the Commonwealth of Massachusetts' Executive Office of Public Safety and Security (EOPSS) to the City of Boston and to be administered by the Mayor's Office of Emergency Management (OEM). The program is focused on catastrophic" planning within the designated region, including the Boston Urban Area, Providence Urban Area, Commonwealth of Massachusetts, State of New Hampshire, and State of Rhode Island. Docket #0335 was previously approved by City Council allowing OEM to accept and expend $1,148,877.20 this new award will bring the grant total to $1,180,695.10.

I urge your Honorable Body to adopt this Order as soon as possible so that the City of Boston may accept the funds expeditiously and expend them for the purposes for which these funds were granted.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND AN ADDITIONAL FFY2011 REGIONAL CATASTROPHIC PREPARED-

NESS GRANT PROGRAM AWARD FROM THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY AND THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF PUBLIC SAFETY AND SECURITY.

WHEREAS: The funds in the amount of Thirty-One Thousand, Eight Hundred Seventeen Dollars and Ninety Cents ($31,817.90) will be utilized by the City of Boston and the identified Region including the Boston Urban Area, Providence Urban Area, Commonwealth of Massachusetts, State of New Hampshire, and State of Rhode Island for the purpose of planning for catastrophic incidents; now, therefore be it

ORDERED: That the Mayor, acting on behalf of the City of Boston be, and hereby is authorized, pursuant to section 53A of chapter 44 of the Massachusetts General Laws, to accept and expend a the United States Department of Homeland Security and Commonwealth of Massachusetts' FFY2011 Regional Catastrophic Preparedness Grant Program award not to exceed $31,817.90.

The rules were suspended; the order was passed.

ORDER FOR CONFIRMATION OF RENEWAL APPOINTMENTS OF CONSTABLES AUTHORIZED TO SERVE CIVIL PROCESS UPON FILING OF THEIR BONDS FOR PERIOD COMMENCING MAY 1, 2015 AND ENDING APRIL 30, 2018 (DOCKET NO. 0911)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

May 15, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

Subject to confirmation by your Honorable Body, I hereby appoint the following named people on the attached Order as Constables of the City of Boston, authorized to serve civil process upon filing of bond, for the period commencing May 1, 2015 and ending April 30, 2018.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

ORDERED: That the appointment of the following named people as Constables of the City of Boston authorized to serve civil process upon filing of bond for the period commencing May 1, 2015 and ending April 30, 2018 be and the same hereby is approved.

2015-2018
Renewal Constable Applications List
Recommended Approval

The following recommendations for approval are renewal applicants.

Azubuike, Gabriel 11/19/1957
17 Hillis Road, Hyde Park

Castagna, Linda 7/18/1958
48 N Street, South Boston

Colon, Geovanne 5/30/1983
441 Walnut Avenue, Boston

Flippin, William 8/9/1947
29 Grayson Street, Dorchester

Loftus, Kevin 8/16/1964
702 East Fifth Street, South Boston

Reed, Shane 12/10/1965
16 Hopkins Street, Dorchester

Tilford, Wallace 6/29/1954
14 John Eliot Square, Roxbury

Turco, Joseph 2/7/1968
148 Webster Street, East Boston

The rules were suspended; the appointments were confirmed.

ORDER FOR CONFIRMATION OF APPOINTMENT OF NEW CONSTABLES AUTHORIZED TO SERVE CIVIL PROCESS UPON FILING OF THEIR BONDS FOR THE PERIOD COMMENCING MAY 1, 2015 AND ENDING APRIL 30, 2018 (DOCKET NO. 0912)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

May 15, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

Subject to confirmation by your Honorable Body, I hereby appoint the following named people on the attached Order as Constables of the City of Boston, authorized to serve civil process upon filing of bond, for the period commencing May 1, 2015 and ending April 30, 2018.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

ORDERED: That the appointment of the following named people as Constables of the City of Boston authorized to serve civil process upon filing of bond for the period commencing May 1, 2015 and ending April 30, 2018 be and the same hereby is approved.

2015-2018
Renewal Constable Applications List
Recommended Approval

The following recommendations for approval are new applicants.

Alexander, Sean 11/14/1969
1608 River Street, # 116, Hyde Park

Borgella, Holsen 1/18/1965
12 Sayward, #2, Street, Dorchester

Bromfield, Cavkil 10/26/1975
219 River Street,# 107, Mattapan

Desrosiers, Samuel 8/13/1990
325 Fanueil Street, Brighton, #2

Johnson, Aisha 1/26/1975
41 Loma Road, Mattapan

Long, Krista 9/26/1987
33 Bateman Street, Roslindale

Luccio, Ronald 7/20/1961
85 East India Row 4F, Boston

Richardson, Martin 12/13/1965
5 Bilodeau Road, # 1 ,Dorchester

Tritta, Nicola 9/12/1944
9 Sedwick Street, #2, Jamaica Plain

The rules were suspended; the appointments were confirmed.

ORDER FOR CONFIRMATION OF RENEWAL APPOINTMENTS OF INSPECTIONAL SERVICES CONSTABLES AUTHORIZED TO SERVE CIVIL PROCESS UPON FILING OF THEIR BONDS FOR PERIOD COMMENCING MAY 1, 2015 AND ENDING APRIL 30, 2018 (DOCKET NO. 0913)

The following was received:
City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

May 15, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

Subject to confirmation by your Honorable Body, I hereby appoint the following named people on the attached Order as Constables of the City of Boston, authorized to serve civil process upon filing of bond, for the period commencing May 1,2015 and ending April 30, 2018.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

ORDERED: That the appointment of the following named people as Constables of the City of Boston authorized to serve civil process upon filing of bond for the period commencing May 1, 2015 and ending April 30, 2018 be and the same hereby is approved.

Renewal Constable Inspectional Services Applications
List Recommended Approval
2015-2018

The following recommendations for approval are renewal applicants from the Inspectional Service Department.

Alvarez, Indira C. 2/8/1973
89 Elm Hill Avenue, Dorchester

Cillo, Anthony 6/10/1972
75 Vogel Street, West Roxbury

Jacques, Raoul 6/20/1957
63 Tyler Street, Hyde Park

Jones, Toney 6/17/1962
6 Haley Street, Boston

Mba, Charles 12/25/1959
743 Beechmont Street, Hyde Park

Mohamed, Baraa 5/14/1976
1220 Adams Street, Apt #219, Dorchester

Morris-William, Tawonya 6/24/1976
582 Blue Hill Avenue, #1 Dorchester

Stephens-Weston, Taschetta 2/10/1971
49 May Avenue, Brockton

Tofuri, Yvonne L. 1/23/1973
58 Granite Avenue #2, Dorchester

The rules were suspended; the appointments were confirmed.

ORDER FOR CONFIRMATION OF RENEWAL APPOINTMENTS OF INSPECTIONAL SERVICES CONSTABLES AUTHORIZED TO SERVE CIVIL PROCESS UPON FILING OF THEIR BONDS FOR PERIOD COMMENCING MAY 1, 2015 AND ENDING APRIL 30, 2018 (DOCKET NO. 0914)

The following was received:
City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

May 15, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

Subject to confirmation by your Honorable Body, I hereby appoint the following named people on the attached Order as Constables of the City of Boston, authorized to serve civil process upon filing of bond, for the period commencing May 1, 2015 and ending April 30, 2018.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

ORDERED: That the appointment of the following named people as Constables of the City of Boston authorized to serve civil process upon filing of bond for the period commencing May 1, 2015 and ending April 30, 2018 be and the same hereby is approved.

2015-2018
Inspectional Services New Constable Application List
Recommended Approval

The following recommendation for approval are new applicants from the Inspectional Service Department.

Campbell, Michael 4/30/1971
4 Duxbury Road, Mattapan

Rini, David 9/10/1983
5 Royce Road #51, Allston

StinsonTubbs, Yolanda 11/28/1967
34 Angell Street, # 1, Dorchester

The rules were suspended; the appointments were confirmed.

NOTICE RECEIVED FROM CITY CLERK IN ACCORDANCE WITH CHAPTER 6 OF ORDINANCES OF 1979 RE: ACTIONS TAKEN BY MAYOR ON PAPERS ACTED UPON BY CITY COUNCIL AT ITS 4-15-2015 MEETING (DOCKET NO. 0915)

The following was received:
City of Boston
Office of the City Clerk

MAy 15, 2015

To the City Council.
Councilors:

In accordance with Chapter 6 of the Ordinances of 1979, I hereby notify you of the following actions taken by the Mayor with regard to the papers acted upon by the City Council at its meeting of April 15, 2015 viz.

0553 Order authorizing the Police Commissioner to accept and expend the FY2015 Sustained Traffic Enforcement Programs (STEP) grant funds of Two Hundred Ninety Five Thousand Seven Hundred Forty One Dollars and Thirty Six Cents ($295,741.36) awarded by the Executive Office

of Public Safety and Security's Highways Safety Division for the purpose of supporting the Data-Driven Approaches to Crime and Traffic Safety in Boston.
Approved by the Mayor April 15, 2015

0551 Order approving an appropriation of One Million Seven Hundred Thousand Dollars ($1,700,000.00) for the purpose of paying cost of a feasibility study and schematic design work associated with the renovation or new constru. ction of a facility for the Boston Arts Academy. Upon completion of the feasibility study, the City of Boston may be eligible for a grant from the Massachusetts School Building Authority, said amount to be expended under the direction of the Public Facilities Department on behalf of Boston Public Schools.
Approved by the Mayor April 15, 2015

0728 Order fixing the date of the 2015 Preliminary Municipal Election Pursuant to G.L.c 54 § 103 P.
Approved by the Mayor April 15, 2015

Respectfully,
Maureen Feeney,
City Clerk.

Placed on file.

NOTICE WAS RECEIVED FROM AUDITING DEPARTMENT PROVIDING LIST OF FISCAL 2015 REALLOCATIONS MADE BY MAYOR PRIOR TO APRIL 15, 2015, FOR PURPOSE OF CONTINUING OPERATIONS (DOCKET NO. 0916)

Notice was received from the Auditing Department providing a list of Fiscal 2015 reallocations made by the Mayor prior to April 15, 2015, for the purpose of continuing operations.

Referred to the Committee on Post Audit and Oversight.

REPORT ON ORDINANCE TO AMEND CITY OF BOSTON CODE ORDINANCES, CHAPTER VI, SECTION 6.3, SCHEDULE OF PARKING FINES RELATIVE TO STREET CLEANING (DOCKET NO. 0698)

Councilor FLAHERTY, on behalf of the Committee on Government Operations, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 0698, message of the Mayor and ordinance to amend the City of Boston Code, ordinances, Chapter VI, Section 6.3, schedule of parking fines relative to street cleaning (referred April 8) recommending the passage of the ordinance in a new draft.

The report was accepted; the ordinance, in its new draft, was passed.

Yeas 12, Nays 1

Yeas- Councilors Baker, Ciommo, Flaherty. Jackson, LaMattina, Linehan, McCarthy, O'Malley, Pressley, Wu, Yancey and Zakim - 12

Nays - Councilor Murphy -1

ORDER FOR HEARING REGARDING 2024 SUMMER OLYMPICS (DOCKET NO. 0464)

This matter which was recently heard for possible action was remanded back to the **Special Committee on Olympics 2024.**

ORDER FOR HEARING REGARDING BOSTON CITY CHARTER AND PROPOSED REVISIONS (DOCKET NO. 0270)

This matter which was recently heard for possible action was remanded back to the **Special Committee on Charter Reform.**

ORDER FOR HEARING TO DISCUSS IMPLEMENTATION OF RECYCLING PROGRAM FOR ALL NUMBER SIX PLASTICS (DOCKET NO. 0564)

This matter which was recently heard for possible action was remanded back to the **Committee on Environment and Parks.**

ORDERS FOR FY 16 REVOLVING FUNDS FOR BOSTON POLICE DEPARTMENT TO REESTABLISH IN ACCORDANCE WITH GENERAL LAW CHAPTER 44, SECTION 53E 1/2 (DOCKET NOS. 0694 THROUGH 0697)

This matter which was recently heard for possible action was remanded back to the **Committee on Ways and Means.**

ORDERS FOR FY16 OPERATING BUDGET INCLUDING ANNUAL APPROPRIATION AND TAX ORDER, ANNUAL APPROPRIATION FOR SCHOOL DEPARTMENT AND APPROPRIATION FOR OTHER POST EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS (OPEB) (DOCKET NOS. 0662 THROUGH 0664)

This matter which was recently heard for possible action was remanded back to the **Committee on Ways and Means.**

ORDERS FOR FY16 CAPITAL BUDGET INCLUDING LOAN ORDERS AND LEASE AND PURCHASE AGREEMENTS (DOCKET NOS. 0665 THROUGH 0680)

This matter which was recently heard for possible action was remanded back to the **Committee on Ways and Means.**

REPORT ON ORDER FOR CITY COUNCIL ORDER APPROVING MODIFICATION TO PARK PLAZA URBAN RENEWAL PLAN (THE "PLAN") ADOPTED BY BOSTON REDEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY BY RESOLUTION DATED APRIL 16, 2015 (DOCKET NO. 0860)

Councilor LAMATTINA, on behalf of the Committee on Economic Development, Planning and Labor, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 0860, message of the Mayor and order for the City Council Order approving modification to the Park Plaza Urban Renewal Plan (the "Plan") adopted by the Boston Redevelopment Authority by a resolution dated April 16, 2015 (referred May 13) recommending passage of the order.

The report was accepted; the order was passed.

Yeas 12, Nays 1

Yeas- Councilors Baker, Ciommo, Flaherty. Jackson, LaMattina, Linehan, McCarthy, O'Malley, Pressley, Wu, Yancey and Zakim - 12

Nays - Councilor Murphy -1

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES
(DOCKET NO. 0917)

President LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, May 16, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, May 22, 2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:
James Sutherland, Secretary, $2,950.00, part time
Eric White, Administrative Asst., $3,770.00, full time
Jessica A. Taubner, Secretary, $6,243.00, full time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES
(DOCKET NO. 0918)

President LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, May 23, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, June 12, 2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:
James Sutherland, Secretary, $900.00, part time
Eric White, Administrative Asst., $1,1540.00, full time
Jessica A. Taubner, Secretary, $2,318.00, full time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

LATE-FILED MATTERS

The Chair stated that in absence of objection, seven late-filed matters would be added to the Agenda.

No objection being heard, the following matters were added:

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES
(DOCKET NO. 0944)

President LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, May 23, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, May 29, 2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Katherine Carangelo, Secretary, $4,350.00, full time
Camilo Hernandez, Secretary, $1,200.00, part time
Janet L. Knott, Administrative Asst., $2,057.70 full time
Michael A. Sinatra, Secretary ,$6,950.00, full time
Lori Toscano, Secretary, $2,840.00, part time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES
(DOCKET NO. 0945)

President LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, May 30, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, June 12, 2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Katherine Carangelo, Secretary, $1,500.00, full time
Camilo Hernandez, Secretary, $1,200.00, part time
Janet L. Knott, Administrative Asst., $2,115,40 full time
Michael A. Sinatra, Secretary ,$1,700.00, full time
Lori Toscano, Secretary, $480.00, part time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES
(DOCKET NO. 0946)

President LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, May 23, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, May 29, 2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Jill Baker, Administrative Asst., $3,384.62, part time
Amanda Curley, Secretary, $6,865.39, full time
Amy Frigulietti, Administrative Asst., $7,538.47, full time
Joseph M. McEachern, Secretary, $3,384.62, part time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES
(DOCKET NO. 0947)

President LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, May 30, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, June 12, 2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Jill Baker, Administrative Asst., $769.24, part time
Amanda Curley, Secretary, $1,730.78, full time
Amy Frigulietti, Administrative Asst., $3,076.94, full time
Joseph M. McEachern, Secretary, $769.24, part time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES
(DOCKET NO. 0948)

President LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, May 23, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, May 29, 2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Walter Apperwhite, Secretary, $3,019.24, full time
Lee Blasi, Secretary, $8,326.93, full time
Maria Farrell, Secretary, $2,300.00, part time
Stephen Maguire, Secretary, $2,826.93, full time
Herby Lindor, Secretary, $720.00, part time
Christina Scialoia, Secretary, $836.00, part time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES
(DOCKET NO. 0949)

President LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, May 30, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, June 12,

2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Walter Apperwhite, Secretary, $2,038.48, full time
Lee Blasi, Secretary, $2,653.86, full time
Maria Farrell, Secretary, $600.00, part time
Stephen Maguire, Secretary, $1,653.86, full time
Herby Lindor, Secretary, $840.00, part time
Christina Scialoia, Secretary, $672.00 part time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

ORDER FOR HEARING RE: BOSTON PUBLIC LIBRARY AND SECURITY PROCEDURES (DOCKET NO. 0950)

Councilors MURPHY, LINEHAN, MCCARTHY, WU, BAKER, CIOMMO, FLAHERTY, JACKSON and LAMATTINA offered the following:

WHEREAS, The Boston Public Library plays a significant role as an informational and educational resource for residents of the City of Boston; and,

WHEREAS, The Boston Public Library's flagship branch at Copley Square reported that two works of art valued at over $600,000.00 are missing from the library's print collection; and,

WHEREAS, The Boston Public Library fosters an appreciation of arts and culture through its collections; and

WHEREAS, The City of Boston has an interest in ensuring that the Boston Public Library has policies and procedures in place that protect the City of Boston while also maintaining accessibility of information.

THEREFORE BE IT ORDERED, That the appropriate committee of the Boston City Council holds a hearing to discuss the implications of the stolen prints on the City of Boston and to examine whether the Boston Public Library has insurance on documents, works, and collections. Representatives from the City of Boston and other interested parties shall be invited to attend.

Referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

CONSENT AGENDA

The Chair moved adoption of a Consent Agenda in which the following-named Councilors offered s of a condolence or Congratulatory nature as set forth after each Councilor's name:

Councilors Flaherty and LaMattina: Recognizing Gabriele Spedicato of Rome, Italy on his work with the Boston chapter of the National Youth Development Council (Docket No. 0919)

Councilor McCarthy on behalf of all councilors: In memory of Kelly Young (Docket No. 0920)

Councilors Linehan and Zakim on behalf of all councilors: Recognizing Mimi LaCamera (Docket No. 0921)

Councilor Pressley: Recognizing Friday June 12,2015 as The Kraft Center for Community Health Leadership Appreciation Day (Docket No. 0922)

Councilor LaMattina: Recognizing Don Gillis (Docket No. 0923) Recognizing A.E. Lola Skin Care & Electrolysis (Docket No. 0924) In memory of Blanche DeRuosi (Docket No. 0925)

Councilor Wu: Recognizing nineteen people on their dedicated efforts to promote and share the rich Latino art and musical heritage (Docket No. 0926)

Councilor O'Malley: Congratulating Eileen Nash (Docket No. 0927)

Councilor Jackson: Recognizing Clarence "Jeep" Jones (Docket No. 0928) Recognizing James C. Toatley (Docket No. 0929) Recognizing The Dudley Neighborhood Design and Planning Workshop MIT -Department of Urban Design and Planning Spring 2015 for their contributions toward the urban planning of Roxbury (Docket No. 0930) Recognizing twelve people for their talent and passion for the Roxbury Neighborhood 2015 MIT Urban Design and Planning Class (Docket No. 0931)

Councilor Yancey: Recognizing Irish International Immigrant Center (Docket No. 0932) Recognizing Montserrat Aspires, Inc (Docket No. 0933) Recognizing Nicole Flynt (Docket No. 0934)

Councilor Linehan and Flaherty: Recognizing Sister Jean Sullivan (Docket No. 0935) Recognizing Sister Louise Keans (Docket No. 0936)

Councilor Flaherty: Recognizing Mike Joyce (Docket No. 0937) Recognizing Dr. Lois Peters (Docket No. 0938) Recognizing Donald Becker (Docket No. 0939) Recognizing Ayeisha Dennise Mathis (Docket No. 0940) Recognizing Gordon F. Duckel (Docket No. 0941) Recognizing Sam Stockwell (Docket No. 0942)

Councilor Jackson: Recognizing the dedication of five individuals for their support of the Ronald E. McNair Baccalaureate Achievement Program (Docket No. 0943)

The Chair stated that in the absence of objection, two late-filed matter would be added to the Consent Agenda.

No objection being heard, the following matter was added:

Councilor Linehan: Declaring May 17-23, 2015 as National EMS Week (Docket No. 0951) In memory of Clement "Rocky" Kearns (Docket No. 0952)

The matters contained within the Consent Agenda were severally adopted.

NEXT MEETING

Adjourned at 1:59 p.m. on motion of President Linehan and in memory of Clement" Rocky" Kearns, Christina "KiKi" Poupart, BB King and Kelly Mae Young, , to meet again on Wednesday, June 3, 2015 at 12:00 p.m.

Note: All debate of City Council eliminated from proceedings in accordance with Chapter 447, Acts of 1947.

CITY OF BOSTON

Proceedings of the Boston City Council

Wednesday, June 3, 2015

Regular meeting of the City Council held in the Christopher A. Iannella Chamber, City Hall, at 12:05 p.m. President Linchan in the Chair.

INVOCATION

Reverend Kevin D. Coakley, Columbus Avenue AME Zion Church, delivered the invocation, and the meeting was opened with the pledge of allegiance to the flag.

STATEMENT OF PRESIDENT LINEHAN

President LINEHAN moved to adopt the minutes from the May 20, 2015 meeting. **Motion prevailed.**

ORDER AUTHORIZING CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND REIMBURSEMENTS UP TO AMOUNT OF $5,500,000 FROM VARIOUS GOVERNMENT AGENCIES INCLUDING FEDERAL EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY FOR EXPENSE CITY INCURRED RELATED TO JANUARY 26-28, 2015 BLIZZARD (DOCKET NO. 0953)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

May 27, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith an Order to accept and expend reimbursements up to the amount of Five Million Five Hundred Thousand Dollars ($5,500,000), from various government agencies including the Federal Emergency Management Agency, for expenses the City incurred related to the January 26 - 28, 2015 Blizzard.

I urge your Honorable Body to pass this Order so that the City of Boston may accept the funds for the purpose for which they are being awarded.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE CITY TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND FUNDS FROM VARIOUS GOVERNMENT AGENCIES INCLUDING THE FEDERAL EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY AS REIMBURSEMENT FOR EXPENSES RELATED TO THE JANUARY 26 - 28, 2015 BLIZZARD.

ORDERED: That the mayor of Boston, acting on behalf of the City of Boston, be and hereby is authorized, pursuant to G. L. c. 44, § 53A, to accept and expend an amount not to exceed FIVE MILLION FIVE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS ($5,500,000) from various government agencies including the Federal Emergency Management Agency, as reimbursement for January 26 - 28, 2015 Blizzard related expenses.

Referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

ORDER AUTHORIZING DEPARTMENT OF NEIGHBORHOOD DEVELOPMENT TO APPLY FOR, ACCEPT, AND EXPEND FEDERAL FISCAL YEAR 2015 LEAD-BASED PAINT HAZARD CONTROL GRANT PROGRAM AND LEAD HAZARD REDUCTION DEMONSTRATION GRANT FUND OF $3,825,000 FROM UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT (HUD TO BE USED TO SUPPORT LEAD HAZARD AND LEAD-BASED PAINT HAZARD REDUCTION IN CITY OF BOSTON (DOCKET NO. 0954)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

May 20, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith for your approval an Order authorizing the City of Boston, acting through its Department of Neighborhood Development, to apply for, accept and expend a Federal Fiscal Year 2015 grant from the Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD), Office of Lead Hazard Control and Healthy Homes.

This Order includes up to $3,825,000 from either of two program components: the Lead Based Paint Hazard Control Grant Program or the Lead Hazard Reduction Demonstration Grant Program.

I urge you to adopt this Order expeditiously so that the City may submit its application to HUD by the June 23, 2015 deadline.

Sincerely yours,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF BOSTON TO APPLY FOR, ACCEPT, AND EXPEND LEAD-BASED PAINT HAZARD CONTROL GRANT PROGRAM FUNDS AND LEAD HAZARD REDUCTION DEMONSTRATION GRANT PROGRAM FUNDS FROM U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT (HUD), OFFICE OF LEAD HAZARD CONTROL AND HEALTHY HOMES.

ORDERED: that the City of Boston, acting by and through· its Department of Neighborhood Development, be and hereby is, authorized to apply for and accept from the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development Federal Fiscal Year 2015 Lead Based Paint Hazard Control Grant Program and Lead Hazard Reduction Demonstration Grant funds in an amount not to exceed Three Million Eight Hundred Twenty Five Thousand Dollars ($3,825,000.00); and to expend said funds in accordance with G. L. c. 44, s. 53A for the purposes for which granted, and in connection therewith, to execute and deliver such documents as may be required by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development.

Referred to the Committee on Housing.

ORDER AUTHORIZING CITY OF BOSTON FIRE DEPARTMENT TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND FUNDS DONATED BY LAST CALL FOUNDATION IN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED $152,000 TO PURCHASE AND INSTALL INDUSTRIAL WASHING MACHINE FOR CLEANING OF BUNKER GEAR AT ELEVEN (11) DESIGNATED FIRE HOUSES (DOCKET NO. 0955)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

May 26, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith for your approval an Order authorizing the City of Boston Fire Department to accept and expend funds donated by the Last Call Foundation in an amount not to exceed One Hundred Fifty Two Thousand Dollars ($152,000) to purchase and install industrial washing machines for the cleaning of bunker gear at eleven (11) designated fire houses. The Last Call Foundation seeks to improve firefighter health and safety by providing machines to limit exposure to contaminated protective gear. Decontaminating protective gear enhances firefighter protection by limiting exposure to hazards such as carcinogens, chemicals, biological agents and particulate matter.

Any funds not expended during the purchase and installation of the eleven (11) industrial washing machines shall remain with the gift/grant account and be used for future purchases of industrial washing machines by the City of Boston Fire Department. .

I urge your Honorable Body to pass this Order as expeditiously as possible so that the City of Boston may accept the funds and equipment expeditiously and expend them for the purposes for which they are given.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

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AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND FUNDS DONATED BY THE LAST CALL FOUNDATION TO ENHANCE FIREFIGHTER HEALTH AND SAFETY THROUGH THE PURCHASE OF INDUSTRIAL WASHING MACHINES FOR CLEANING BUNKER GEAR.

WHEREAS, the Last Call Foundation has indicated that it desires to donate funds in the amount of One Hundred and Fifty Two Thousand Dollars ($152~000) to the City of Boston to purchase and install industrial wa~hing machines for the cleaning of bunker gear; and

WHEREAS, the funds in the amount listed above will be used by the City of Boston through its Boston Fire Department to purchase and install industrial washing machines for the cleaning of bunker gear for eleven (11) fire houses; and

WHEREAS, the funds shall be deposited into a gift/grant fund and monies not expended on the purchase and installation of the eleven (11) industrial washing machines shall remain in the fund and be used for future purchases and installations of washing machines by the City of Boston Fire Department; therefore be it

ORDERED: that the Mayor, acting on behalf of the City of Boston be, and hereby is authorized, pursuant to section 53A of chapter 44 of the Massachusetts General Laws, to accept and expend a donation from the Last Call Foundation in an amount not to exceed One Hundred and Fifty Two Thousand Dollars ($152,000).

The rules were suspended; the order was passed.

ORDER AUTHORIZING POLICE COMMISSIONER TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND $77,407.50 IN AWARD FUNDING UNDER CRASH DATA REPORTING SYSTEM PROGRAM A WARDED BY US DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION AND PASSED THROUGH MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION FOR PURPOSE OF PARTICIPATING IN DEVELOPMENT OF NEW STATEWIDE CRASH DATA REPORTING SYSTEM (DOCKET NO. 0956)

The following was received:
City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

May 26, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I hereby transmit for your approval an Order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend $77,407.50 in award funding under the Crash Data Reporting System program awarded by the US Department of Transportation and passed thru the Massachusetts Department of Transportation for the purpose of participating in the development of a new statewide crash data reporting system.

I urge your Honorable Body to adopt this Order as soon as possible so that the City of Boston may accept the funds expeditiously and expend them for the purposes for which these funds were granted.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

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AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND FUNDING UNDER THE FY15 CRASH DATA REPORTING SYSTEM PROGRAM AWARDED BY THE US DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION AND PASSED THRU THE MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION FOR THE PURPOSE OF PARTICIPATING IN THE DEVELOPMENT OF A NEW STATEWIDE CRASH DATA REPORTING SYSTEM.

ORDERED: That the Police Commissioner, acting on behalf ofthe City of Boston be, and hereby is authorized, pursuant to section 53A of chapter 44 of the Massachusetts General Laws, to accept and expend the FY15 Crash Data Reporting System program awarded by the U.S. Department of Transportation and passed thru the Massachusetts Department of Transportation not to exceed the amount of Seventy Seven Thousand Four Hundred Seven Dollars and Fifty Cents ($77,407.50).

The rules were suspended; the order was passed.

NOTICE RECEIVED FROM CITY CLERK IN ACCORDANCE WITH CHAPTER 6 OF ORDINANCES OF 1979 RE: ACTIONS TAKEN BY MAYOR ON PAPERS ACTED UPON BY CITY COUNCIL AT ITS 4·29·2015 MEETING (DOCKET NO. 0957)

The following was received:
City of Boston
Office of the City Clerk

May 26, 2015

To the City Council.
Councilors:

In accordance with Chapter 6 of the Ordinances of 1979, I hereby notify you of the following actions taken by the Mayor with regard to the papers acted upon by the City Council at its meeting of April 29, 2015 viz.

0567 Ordinance Establishing Paid Parental Leave for City of Boston Employees.
Approved by the Mayor May 18, 2015

0644 Message and Order authorizing the department of Neighborhood Development to apply for and expend Federal Fiscal Year 2015, Community Development Block Grant, Home Investment Partnership Program, Housing Opportunities for Persons with Aids, Emergency Solutions Grant and Continuum of care.
Approved by the Mayor May 12, 2015

0740 Message and order authorizing the Police Commissioner to accept and expend funds from Hub Ticket Brokers for the Boston Police Disirict B2 Community Service Officer for goods, services, and preparation facility space for the B2 Food Truck.
Approved by the Mayor May 12, 2015

0741 Message and order authorizing the Police Department to accept and expend a donation of two (2) Apple iPads Air Tablets, two (2) Vupoint Magic Wand Portable Scanners, one (1) Targus Vastyle iPad case, and one (1) Logitech iPad case from the Dorchester Bay Economic Development Corporation. The devices will be deployed to the Boston Police Department's District B- 2 Community Service officers for use in community meetings.
Approved by the Mayor May 12, 2015

Respectfully,
Maureen Feeney,
City Clerk.

Placed on file.

NOTICE RECEIVED FROM CITY CLERK IN ACCORDANCE WITH CHAPTER 6 OF ORDINANCES OF 1979 RE: ACTIONS TAKEN BY MAYOR ON PAPERS ACTED UPON BY CITY COUNCIL AT ITS 5-13-2015 MEETING (DOCKET NO. 0958)

The following was received:
City of Boston
Office of the City Clerk

May 26, 2015

To the City Council.
Councilors:

In accordance with Chapter 6 of the Ordinances of 1979, I hereby notify you Of the following actions taken by the Mayor with regard to the papers acted upon by the City Council at its meeting of May 13,2015 viz.

0700 Ordinance reducing fuel emissions.
Approved by the Mayor May 18, 2015

0857 Order authorizing the Police Department to accept and expend a donation of three vehicles from the United States Marshals Service: two 2004 Dodge Durangos and a 2015 Chevrolet Equinox. These vehicles will be used by the Boston Police Department Fugitive Unit.
Approved by the Mayor May 18, 2015

0858 Order authorizing the Police Commissioner to accept and expend Fifteen Thousand Dollars ($15,000.00) from the U.S. Department of Justice, United States Marshals Service for the Boston Police Department. These funds will be used to retrofit emergency response lights and equipment for three vehicles donated by the U.S. Marshalls Service to the Boston Police Department Fugitive Unit.
Approved by the Mayor May 18, 2015

0859 Order authorizing the Police Department to accept and expend a donation of an art collection depicting larger than life images of Boston Police officers throughout the City for display.
Approved by the Mayor May 18, 2015

Respectfully,
Maureen Feeney,
City Clerk.

Placed on file.

APPROVAL OF CONSTABLE'S BONDS (DOCKET NO. 0959)

The Constable Bonds of Nicola, Tritta, Holsen Borgella, Martin Richardson, Sean Alexander, Krista Long and Gabriel Azubuike having been duly approved by the Collector-Treasurer, were received and approved under the usual terms and conditions.

COMMUNICATION RECEIVED FROM KEEGAN WERLIN LLP, RE: NSTAR ELECTRIC COMPANY, D.P.U. 14-153/14-154 (DOCKET NO. 0960)

Communication was received from Keegan Werlin LLP, re: NSTAR Electric Company, D.P.U. 14-153/14-154.
Placed on file.

REPORT ON ORDER AUTHORIZING CITY OF BOSTON TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND GRANT OF $51,760 FOR PURPOSE OF SUPPORTING CITY'S BIKE PROGRAMS (DOCKET NO. 0645)

Councilor McCARTHY, on behalf of the Committee on City, Neighborhood Services and Veterans Affairs, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 0645, message of the Mayor and order authorizing the City of Boston Transportation Department to accept and expend a grant of Fifty One Thousand, Seven Hundred and Sixty Dollars ($51,760.00) for the purpose of supporting the city's bike programs (referred April 1) - recommending passage of the order.

The rules were suspended; the order was passed.

REPORT ON ORDER APPROVING APPROPRIATION OF $1,100,000 FROM INCOME OF GEORGE FRANCIS PARKMAN FUND FOR MAINTENANCE AND IMPROVEMENT OF BOSTON COMMON AND PARKS (DOCKET NO. 0856)

Councilor CIOMMO, on behalf of the Committee on Ways and Means, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 0856, message of the Mayor and order approving an appropriation of One Million One Hundred Thousand Dollars ($1,100,000.00) from the income of the George Francis Parkman Fund for the maintenance and improvement of the Boston Common and Parks (referred May 13) - recommending passage of the order.

The rules were suspended; the order was passed.

ORDERS FOR FY16 OPERATING BUDGET INCLUDING ANNUAL APPROPRIATION AND TAX ORDER, ANNUAL APPROPRIATION FOR SCHOOL DEPARTMENT AND APPROPRIATION FOR OTHER POST EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS (OPEB), ORDERS FOR FY16 CAPITAL BUDGET INCLUDING LOAN ORDERS AND LEASE AND PURCHASE AGREEMENTS (DOCKET NO. 0662 THROUGH 0664)

This matter which was recently heard for possible action was remanded back to the **Committee on Ways and Means.**

REPORT ON ORDER AUTHORIZING CITY TO ENTER INTO ONE OR MORE LEASE, LEASE-PURCHASE OR INSTALLMENT SALES

AGREEMENTS IN FY2016 IN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED $26,900,000 FOR VARIOUS CITY DEPARTMENTS FOR ACQUISITION OF EQUIPMENT IN FURTHERANCE OF THEIR RESPECTIVE GOVERNMENTAL FUNCTIONS (DOCKET NO. 0665)

Councilor CIOMMO, on behalf of the Committee on Ways and Means, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 0665, message of the Mayor and order authorizing the City to enter into one or more lease, lease-purchase or installment sales agreements in FY2016 in an amount not to exceed Twenty Six Nine Hundred Thousand Dollars ($26,900,000.00) for various City departments for the acquisition of equipment in furtherance of their respective governmental functions (referred April 8) -recommending the order ought to receive its first reading and passage and be assigned for further action.

The order received its first reading and passage and was assigned for further action; yeas 13.

REPORT ON ORDER AMENDING APPROPRIATION ORDER THAT WOULD RAISE AMOUNT FROM $2,020,000 TO $3,030,000 FOR PURPOSE OF FINANCING COST OF VARIOUS CAPITAL PROJECTS PER" YOUTH BUDGET" PROJECT ADMINISTERED BY BOSTON CENTER FOR YOUTH AND FAMILIES (DOCKET NO. 0666)

Councilor CIOMMO, on behalf of the Committee on Ways and Means, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 0666, message of the Mayor and order amending an appropriation order that would raise the amount from Two Million Twenty Thousand Dollars ($2,020,000.00) to Three Million Thirty Thousand Dollars ($3,030,000.00) for the purpose of financing the cost of various capital projects per the" Youth Budget" project administered by the Boston Center for Youth and Families (referred April 8) - recommending the order ought to receive its first reading and passage and be assigned for further action.

The order received its first reading and passage and was assigned for further action; yeas 13.

REPORT ON ORDER FOR LOAN OF $40,525,000 FOR REMODELING, RECONSTRUCTING, OR MAKING EXTRAORDINARY REPAIRS TO PUBLIC BUILDINGS OWNED BY CITY, INCLUDING ORIGINAL EQUIPMENT, FURNISHINGS AND LANDSCAPING, PAVING AND OTHER SITE IMPROVEMENTS INCIDENTAL OR DIRECTLY RELATED TO SUCH REMODELING, RECONSTRUCTION OF REPAIR; AND/OR FOR ENERGY CONSERVATION, ALTERNATIVE ENERGY OR RENEWABLE ENERGY IMPROVEMENTS TO PUBLIC BUILDINGS OR FACILITIES, AND/OR FOR COST OF DEPARTMENTAL EQUIPMENT; AND/OR FOR COST OF ENGINEERING OR ARCHITECTURAL SERVICES FOR PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS, FOR PURPOSE OF VARIOUS CITY DEPARTMENT INCLUDING BOSTON CENTER FOR YOUTH AND FAMILY, BOSTON REDEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY, ENVIRONMENT, FIRE, LIBRARY, NEIGHBORHOOD DEVELOPMENT, POLICE, PROPERTY AND CONSTRUCTION MANAGEMENT, PUBLIC HEALTH COMMISSION AND TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT (DOCKET NO. 0667)

Councilor CIOMMO, on behalf of the Committee on Ways and Means, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 0667, message of the Mayor and order for a loan of Forty Million Five Hundred Twenty-Five Thousand Dollars ($40,525,000.00) for remodeling, reconstructing, or making extraordinary repairs to public buildings owned by the City, including original equipment, furnishings and landscaping , paving and other site improvements incidental or directly related to such remodeling, reconstruction of repair; and/or for energy conservation, alternative energy or renewable energy improvements to public buildings or facilities, and/or for the cost of departmental equipment; and/or for the cost of engineering or architectural services for plans and specifications, for the purpose of various city department including the Boston Center for Youth and Family, Boston Redevelopment Authority, Environment, Fire, Library, Neighborhood Development, Police, Property and Construction Management, Public Health Commission and Transportation Department (referred April 8) - recommending the order ought to receive its first reading and passage and be assigned for further action.

The order received its first reading and passage and was assigned for further action; yeas 13.

REPORT ON ORDER FOR LOAN FOR $5,825,000 IN AID OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND INDUSTRIAL CORPORATION AND BOSTON REDEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY (DOCKET NO. 0668)

Councilor CIOMMO, on behalf of the Committee on Ways and Means, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 0668, message of the Mayor and order for a loan for Five Million Eight Hundred Twenty Five Thousand Dollars ($5,825,000.00) in aid of the Economic Development and Industrial Corporation and the Boston Redevelopment Authority (referred April 8) - recommending the order ought to receive its first reading and passage and be assigned for further action.

The order received its first reading and passage and was assigned for further action; yeas 12, nays 1:

Yeas - Councilors Baker, Ciommo, Flaherty, Jackson, LaMattina, Linehan, Murphy, O'Malley, Pressley, Wu, Zakim - 12.

Nays - Councilor Yancey - 1.

REPORT ON ORDER FOR LOAN OF $460,000 IN AID OF BOSTON REDEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY FOR DEFRAYING SUCH PART OF COST OF DEVELOPMENT, RENOVATION, MODERNIZATION, ACQUISITION, PURCHASE AND CERTAIN OPERATIONS RELATIVE TO URBAN RENEWAL CHARLESTOWN NAVY YARD PROJECT (DOCKET NO. 0669)

Councilor CIOMMO, on behalf of the Committee on Ways and Means, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 0669, message of the Mayor and order for a loan of Four Hundred Sixty Thousand Dollars ($460,000.00) in aid of the Boston Redevelopment Authority for defraying such part of the cost of development, renovation, modernization, acquisition, purchase and certain operations relative to the Urban Renewal Charlestown Navy Yard Project (referred April 8) - recommending the order ought to receive its first reading and passage and be assigned for further action.

The order received its first reading and passage and was assigned for further action; yeas 12, nays 1:

Yeas - Councilors Baker, Ciommo, Flaherty, Jackson, LaMattina, Linehan, Murphy, O'Malley, Pressley,

Wu, Zakim - 12.

Nays - Councilor Yancey - 1.

REPORT ON ORDER FOR LOAN IN AMOUNT OF $21,555,000 FOR DEVELOPMENT, DESIGN, PURCHASE AND INSTALLATION OF COMPUTERS HARDWARE, OTHER DATA PROCESSING EQUIPMENT AND COMPUTER ASSISTED INTEGRATED FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT AND ACCOUNTING SYSTEMS; AND/OR FOR DEVELOPMENT, DESIGN AND PURCHASE OF COMPUTER SOFTWARE INCIDENT TO PURCHASE, INSTALLATION OR OPERATION OF COMPUTER HARDWARE, OTHER DATA PROCESSING EQUIPMENT AND COMPUTER ASSISTED INTEGRATED FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT AND ACCOUNTING SYSTEMS; ANDIOR FOR COST OF DEPARTMENTAL EQUIPMENT, FOR PURPOSE OF VARIOUS CITY DEPARTMENTS INCLUDING DEPARTMENT OF INNOVATION AND TECHNOLOGY AND SCHOOL DEPARTMENT (DOCKET NO. 0670)

Councilor CIOMMO, on behalf of the Committee on Ways and Means, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 0670, message of the Mayor and order for a loan in the amount of Twenty One Million Five Hundred Fifty-Five Thousand Dollars ($21,555,000.00) for the development, design, purchase and installation of computers hardware, other data processing equipment and computer assisted integrated financial management and accounting systems; and lor for the development, design and purchase of computer software incident to the purchase, installation or operation of computer hardware, other data processing equipment and computer assisted integrated financial management and accounting systems; and/or for the cost of departmental equipment, for the purpose of various city departments including the Department of Innovation and Technology and the School Department (referred April 8) - recommending the order ought to receive its first reading and passage and be assigned for further action.

The order received its first reading and passage and was assigned for further action; yeas 12, nays 1:

Yeas - Councilors Baker, Ciommo, Flaherty, Jackson, LaMattina, Linehan, Murphy, O'Malley, Pressley, Wu, Zakim - 12.

Nays - Councilor Yancey - 1.

REPORT ON ORDER FOR LOAN OF $4,800,000 FOR ACQUIRING LAND, OR INTERESTS THEREIN, FOR ANY PURPOSE FOR WHICH CITY IS OR MAY HEREAFTER BE AUTHORIZED TO ACQUIRE LAND OR INTERESTS THEREIN; NOT OTHERWISE SPECIFICALLY PROVIDED FOR; AND FOR CONSTRUCTION OF BUILDINGS, OR FOR ADDITIONS TO SUCH BUILDINGS WHERE SUCH ADDITIONS INCREASE FLOOR SPACE OF SAID BUILDINGS, INCLUDING COST OF ORIGINAL EQUIPMENT AND FURNISHINGS OF SAID BUILDINGS OR ADDITIONS; AND/OR FOR REMODELING, RECONSTRUCTING, OR MAKING EXTRAORDINARY REPAIRS TO PUBLIC BUILDINGS OWNED BY CITY, INCLUDING ORIGINAL EQUIPMENT, FURNISHINGS AND LANDSCAPING, PAVING AND OTHER SITE IMPROVEMENTS INCIDENTAL OR DIRECTLY RELATED TO SUCH REMODELING, RECONSTRUCTION OR REPAIR; AND/OR FOR COST OF ENGINEERING OR ARCHITECTURAL SERVICES FOR PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS, FOR PURPOSES OF VARIOUS CITY DEPARTMENTS INCLUDING FIRE AND POLICE DEPARTMENTS AND PUBLIC HEALTH COMMISSION (DOCKET NO. 0671)

Councilor CIOMMO, on behalf of the Committee on Ways and Means, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 0671, message of the Mayor and order for a loan of Four Million Eight Hundred Thousand Dollars ($4,800,000.00) for acquiring land, or interests therein, for any purpose for which the City is or may hereafter be authorized to acquire land or interests therein; not otherwise specifically provided for; and for the construction of buildings, or for additions to such buildings where such additions increase the floor space of said buildings, including the cost of original equipment and furnishings of said buildings or additions; and/or for remodeling, reconstructing, or making extraordinary repairs to public buildings owned by the City, including original equipment, furnishings and landscaping, paving and other site improvements incidental or directly related to such remodeling, reconstruction or repair; and/or for the cost of engineering or architectural services for plans and specifications, for the purposes of various city departments including the Fire and Police Departments and the Public Health Commission (referred April 8) - recommending the order ought to receive its first reading and passage and be assigned for further action.

The order received its first reading and passage and was assigned for further action; yeas 13.

REPORT ON ORDER FOR LOAN OF $1,210,000 FOR COST OF DEPARTMENTAL EQUIPMENT FOR PURPOSE OF VARIOUS CITY DEPARTMENTS INCLUDING FIRE DEPARTMENT (DOCKET NO. 0672)

Councilor CIOMMO, on behalf of the Committee on Ways and Means, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 0672, message of the Mayor and order for a loan of One Million Two Hundred Ten Thousand Dollars ($1,210,000.00) for the cost of departmental equipment, for the purpose of various city departments including the Fire Department (referred April 8) - recommending the order ought to receive its first reading and passage and be assigned for further action.

The order received its first reading and passage and was assigned for further action; yeas 13.

REPORT ON ORDER FOR LOAN OF $13,500,000 FOR CONSTRUCTION OF MUNICIPAL OUTDOOR AND RECREATIONAL ATHLETIC FACILITIES, INCLUDING ACQUISITION AND DEVELOPMENT OF LAND AND CONSTRUCTION AND RECONSTRUCTION FOR FACILITIES; AND/OR FOR DEVELOPING LAND FOR BURIAL PURPOSES AND FOR CONSTRUCTING PATHS AND A VENUES EMBELLISHING GROUNDS IN CITY -OWNED CEMETERIES; AND/OR FOR COST OF ENGINEERING OR ARCHITECTURAL SERVICES FOR PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS; AND/OR FOR REMODELING, RECONSTRUCTING, OR MAKING EXTRAORDINARY REPAIRS TO PUBLIC BUILDINGS OWNED BY CITY, INCLUDING ORIGINAL EQUIPMENT, FURNISHINGS AND LANDSCAPING, PAVING AND OTHER SITE IMPROVEMENTS INCIDENTAL OR DIRECTLY RELATED TO SUCH REMODELING, RECONSTRUCTION OR REPAIRS; AND/OR FOR ACQUIRING LAND, OR INTERESTS THEREIN, FOR ANY PURPOSE FOR WHICH CITY IS OR MAY HEREAFTER BE AUTHORIZED TO

ACQUIRE LAND OR INTERESTS THEREIN, NOT OTHERWISE SPECIFICALLY PROVIDED FOR; AND FOR CONSTRUCTION OF BUILDINGS, OR FOR ADDITIONS TO SUCH BUILDINGS WHERE SUCH ADDITIONS INCREASE FLOOR SPACE OF SAID BUILDINGS, INCLUDING COST OF ORIGINAL EQUIPMENT AND FURNISHINGS OF SAID BUILDING OR ADDITIONS, FOR PURPOSES OF VARIOUS CITY DEPARTMENTS INCLUDING PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT AND SCHOOL DEPARTMENTS (DOCKET NO. 0673)

Councilor CIOMMO, on behalf of the Committee on Ways and Means, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 0673, message of the Mayor and order for a loan of Thirteen Million Five Hundred Thousand Dollars ($13,500,000.00) for the construction of municipal outdoor and recreational athletic facilities, including the acquisition and development of land and the construction and reconstruction for facilities; and/or for developing land for burial purposes and for constructing paths and avenues embellishing the grounds in city-owned cemeteries; and/or for cost of engineering or architectural services for plans and specifications; and/or for remodeling, reconstructing, or making extraordinary repairs to public buildings owned by the City, including original equipment, furnishings and landscaping, paving and other site improvements incidental or directly related to such remodeling, reconstruction or repairs; and/or for acquiring land, or interests therein, for any purpose for which the City is or may hereafter be authorized to acquire land or interests therein, not otherwise specifically provided for; and for the construction of buildings, or for additions to such buildings where such additions increase the floor space of said buildings, including the cost of original equipment and furnishings of said building or additions, for the purposes of various city departments including the Parks and Recreation Department and School Departments (referred April 8) - recommending the order ought to receive its first reading and passage and be assigned for further action.

The order received its first reading and passage and was assigned for further action; yeas 13.

REPORT ON ORDER AMENDING APPROPRIATION ORDER THAT WOULD RAISE AMOUNT FROM $1,415,000 TO $2,125,000 FOR PURPOSE OF PLANTING SHADE TREES, PLANNING, DESIGNING, ACQUIRING LAND FOR, CONSTRUCTING AND ORIGINALLY EQUIPPING STRUCTURES AND FACILITIES AUTHORIZED TO CONSTRUCT, AND FOR REMODELING, RECONSTRUCTING OR MAKING MAJOR ALTERATIONS, ADDITIONS AND REPAIRS TO EXISTING FACILITIES INCLUDING ORIGINAL EQUIPMENT AND LANDSCAPING, PAVING AND OTHER SITE IMPROVEMENTS INCIDENTALS OR DIRECTLY RELATED TO SUCH REMODELING, RECONSTRUCTION OR REPAIR FOR PURPOSE OF VARIOUS CITY DEPARTMENTS INCLUDING PARKS AND RECREATIONS DEPARTMENT (DOCKET NO. 0674)

Councilor CIOMMO, on behalf of the Committee on Ways and Means, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 0674, message of the Mayor and order amending an appropriation order that would raise the amount from One Million Four Hundred Fifteen Thousand Dollars ($1,415,000.00) to ($2,125,000.00) Two Million One Hundred Twenty-Five Thousand Dollars for the purpose of planting shade trees, planning, designing, acquiring land for, constructing and originally equipping structures and facilities it is authorized to construct, and for remodeling, reconstructing or making major alterations, additions and repairs to existing facilities including original equipment and landscaping, paving and other site improvements incidentals or directly related to such remodeling, reconstruction or repair, for the purpose of various city departments including the Parks and Recreations Department (referred April 8) - recommending the order ought to receive its first reading and passage and be assigned for further action.

The order received its first reading and passage and was assigned for further action; yeas 13.

REPORT ON ORDER FOR LOAN IN AMOUNT OF $10,100,000 FOR POLICE COMMUNICATION INSTALLATIONS, AND FOR PURPOSE OF EXTENDING AND IMPROVING SUCH INSTALLATIONS; AND/OR FOR COST OF DEPARTMENTAL EQUIPMENT; AND/OR FOR COST OF ENGINEERING OR ARCIDTECTURAL SERVICES FOR PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS; AND/OR FOR REMODELING, RECONSTRUCTING, OR MAKING EXTRAORDINARY REPAIRS TO PUBLIC BUILDINGS OWNED BY CITY, INCLUDING ORIGINAL EQUIPMENT, FURNISHINGS AND LANDSCAPING, PAVING AND OTHER SITE IMPROVEMENTS INCIDENTAL OR DIRECTLY RELATED TO SUCH REMODELING, RECONSTRUCTION OR REPAIR, FOR PURPOSES OF VARIOUS CITY DEPARTMENTS INCLUDING POLICE DEPARTMENT (DOCKET NO. 0675)

Councilor CIOMMO, on behalf of the Committee on Ways and Means, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 0675, message of the Mayor and order for a loan in the amount of Ten Million One Hundred Thousand Dollars($10,100,000.00) for police communication installations, and for the purpose of extending and improving such installations; and/or for the cost of departmental equipment; and/or for the cost of engineering or architectural services for plans and specifications; and/or for remodeling, reconstructing, or making extraordinary repairs to public buildings owned by the City, including original equipment, furnishings and landscaping, paving and other site improvements incidental or directly related to such remodeling, reconstruction or repair, for the purposes of various city departments including the Police Department (referred April 8) - recommending the order ought to receive its first reading and passage and be assigned for further action.

The order received its first reading and passage and was assigned for further action; yeas 13.

REPORT ON ORDER FOR LOAN IN AMOUNT OF $20,995,000 FOR ORIGINAL CONSTRUCTION OF PUBLIC WAYS OR EXTENSION OR WIDENING THEREOF, INCLUDING LAND DAMAGES AND COST OF PAVEMENT AND SIDEWALKS LAID AT TIME OF SAID CONSTRUCTION, OR FOR CONSTRUCTION OF STONE, BLOCK, BRICK, CEMENT CONCRETE, BITUMINOUS CONCRETE, BITUMINOUS MACADAM OR OTHER PERMANENT PAVEMENT OF SIMILAR LASTING CHARACTER, OR FOR ORIGINAL CONSTRUCTION, SURFACING OR RESURFACING OF MUNICIPALLY OWNED AND OPERATED OFF-STREET PARKING AREAS; AND/OR FOR CONSTRUCTION OF SIDEWALKS OF BRICK, BITUMINOUS CONCRETE, STONE OR CONCRETE, INSTALLING MACADAM PAVEMENT OR OTHER ROAD MATERIAL, FOR RESURFACING MUNICIPALLY OWNED AND OPERATED OFF-STREET PARKING AREAS WITH PAVEMENT OR OTHER ROAD MATERIAL; AND/OR FOR COST OF ENGINEERING

OR ARCHITECTURAL SERVICES FOR PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS; AND/OR FOR TRAFFIC SIGNAL OR PUBLIC LIGHTING INSTALLATIONS, FOR PURPOSES OF VARIOUS CITY DEPARTMENTS INCLUDING PUBLIC WORKS AND TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENTS (DOCKET NO. 0676)

Councilor CIOMMO, on behalf of the Committee on Ways and Means, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 0676, message of the Mayor and order for a loan in the amount of Twenty Million Nine Hundred Ninety-Five Thousand Dollars ($20,995,000.00) for the original construction of public ways or the extension or widening thereof, including land damages and the cost of pavement and sidewalks laid at the time of said construction, or for the construction of stone, block, brick, cement concrete, bituminous concrete, bituminous macadam or other permanent pavement of similar lasting character, or for the original construction, surfacing or resurfacing of municipally owned and operated off-street parking areas; and/or for the construction of sidewalks of brick, bituminous concrete, stone or concrete, installing macadam pavement or other road material, for resurfacing municipally owned and operated off-street parking areas with pavement or other road material; and/or for the cost of engineering or architectural services for plans and specifications; and/or for traffic signal or public lighting installations, for the purposes of various city departments including the Public Works and Transportation Departments (referred April 8) - recommending the order ought to receive its first reading and passage and be assigned for further action.

The order received its first reading and passage and was assigned for further action; yeas 13.

REPORT ON ORDER FOR LOAN IN AMOUNT OF $6,510,000 FOR ACQUIRING LAND OR INTERESTS THEREIN, FOR ANY PURPOSE FOR WHICH CITY IS OR MAY HEREAFTER BE AUTHORIZED TO ACQUIRE LAND OR INTERESTS THEREIN, NOT OTHERWISE SPECIFICALLY PROVIDED FOR; AND FOR CONSTRUCTION OF BUILDINGS, OR FOR ADDITIONS TO SUCH BUILDINGS WHERE SUCH ADDITIONS INCREASE FLOOR SPACE OF SAID BUILDINGS, INCLUDING COST OF ORIGINAL EQUIPMENT AND FURNISHINGS OF SAID BUILDINGS OR ADDITIONS; AND/OR FOR REMODELING, RECONSTRUCTING, OR MAKING EXTRAORDINARY REPAIRS TO PUBLIC BUILDINGS OWNED BY CITY, INCLUDING ORIGINAL EQUIPMENT, FURNISHINGS AND LANDSCAPING, PAVING AND OTHER SITE IMPROVEMENTS INCIDENTAL OR DIRECTLY RELATED TO SUCH REMODELING, RECONSTRUCTION OR REPAIR; AND/OR FOR COST OF ENGINEERING OR ARCHITECTURAL SERVICES FOR PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS; AND/OR FOR FIRE ALARM OR POLICE COMMUNICATION INSTALLATIONS, FOR PURPOSES OF VARIOUS CITY DEPARTMENTS INCLUDING SCHOOL DEPARTMENT (DOCKET NO. 0677)

Councilor CIOMMO, on behalf of the Committee on Ways and Means, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 0677, message of the Mayor and order for loan in the amount of Six Million Five Hundred Ten Thousand Dollars($6,510,000.00) for acquiring land, or interests therein, for any purpose for which the City is or may hereafter be authorized to acquire land or interests therein, not otherwise specifically provided for; and for the construction of buildings, or for additions to such buildings where such additions increase the floor space of said buildings, including the cost of original equipment and furnishings of said buildings or additions; and/or for remodeling, reconstructing, or making extraordinary repairs to public buildings owned by the City, including original equipment, furnishings and landscaping, paving and other site improvements incidental or directly related to such remodeling, reconstruction or repair; and/or for the cost of engineering or architectural services for plans and specifications; and/or for fire alarm or police communication installations, for the purposes of various city departments including the School Department (referred April 8) - recommending the order ought to receive its first reading and passage and be assigned for further action.

The order received its first reading and passage and was assigned for further action; yeas 13.

REPORT ON ORDER FOR LOAN IN AMOUNT OF $1,600,000 FOR PURPOSE OF PAYING COSTS OF FEASIBILITY STUDY AND SCHEMATIC DESIGN WORK ASSOCIATED WITH RENOVATION OF AND ADDITION TO CARTER DEVELOPMENT CENTER, LOCATED AT 396 NORTHAMPTON STREET, BOSTON, MA (THE "PROJECT"), INCLUDING PAYMENT OF ALL COSTS INCIDENTAL OR RELATED THERETO, AND FOR WHICH CITY OF BOSTON MAYBE ELIGIBLE FOR GRANT FROM MASSACHUSETTS SCHOOL BUILDING AUTHORITY ("MSBA"), SAID AMOUNT TO BE EXPENDED UNDER DIRECTION OF PUBLIC FACILITIES DEPARTMENT ON BEHALF OF BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS; AND IF CITY IS NOT ELIGIBLE FOR GRANT FROM MSBA FOR THIS PROJECT, SAID AMOUNT MAY BE EXPENDED FOR SUCH FEASIBILITY STUDY, SCHEMATIC DESIGN, INCLUDING RENOVATION OF AND ADDITION TO CARTER DEVELOPMENT CENTER AND PAYMENT OF ALL COSTS INCIDENTAL OR RELATED THERETO (DOCKET NO. 0678)

Councilor CIOMMO, on behalf of the Committee on Ways and Means, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 0678, message of the Mayor and order for loan in the amount of One Million Six Hundred Thousand Dollars ($1,600,000.00) for the purpose of paying costs of a feasibility study and schematic design work associated with the renovation of and addition to the Carter Development Center, located at 396 Northampton Street, Boston, MA (the "Project"), including the payment of all costs incidental or related thereto, and for which the City of Boston may be eligible for a grant from the Massachusetts School Building Authority ("MSBA"), said amount to be expended under the direction of the Public Facilities Department on behalf of Boston Public Schools; and if the City is not eligible for a grant from the MSBA for this project, said amount may be expended for such feasibility study, schematic design, including the renovation of and addition to the Carter Development Center and payment of all costs incidental or related thereto (referred April 8) - recommending the order ought to receive its first reading and passage and be assigned for further action.

The order received its first reading and passage and was assigned for further action; yeas 13.

REPORT ON ORDER FOR LOAN IN AMOUNT OF $23,430,000 FOR CONSTRUCTING OR RECONSTRUCTING BRIDGES OF STONE OR OF IRON SUPERSTRUCTURE; AND/OR FOR COST OF ENGINEERING OR ARCHITECTURAL SERVICES FOR PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS, FOR PURPOSES OF VARIOUS CITY DEPARTMENTS INCLUDING PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (DOCKET NO. 0679)

Councilor CIOMMO, on behalf of the Committee on Ways and Means, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 0679, message of the Mayor and order for loan in the amount of Twenty-Three Million Four Hundred Thirty Thousand ($23,430,000.00) for constructing or reconstructing bridges of stone or of iron superstructure; and/or for the cost of engineering or architectural services for plans and specifications, for the purposes of various city departments including the Public Works Department (referred April 8) - recommending the order ought to receive its first reading and passage and be assigned for further action.

The order received its first reading and passage and was assigned for further action; yeas 13.

REPORT ON ORDER FOR LOAN AUTHORIZING CITY OF BOSTON TO APPROPRIATE AMOUNT OF $6,500,000 FROM CITY'S CAPITAL GRANT FUND IN ORDER TO PROVIDE FUNDING FOR STREET RULE BOOK PROJECT AND NEW PARKING METER AND MANAGEMENT SYSTEM TO BE MANAGED BY BOSTON TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT ("BTD"). FUNDS SHALL BE CREDITED TO CAPITAL GRANT FUND FROM PARKING METER FUND (DOCKET NO. 0680)

Councilor CIOMMO, on behalf of the Committee on Ways and Means, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 0680, message of the Mayor and order for loan authorizing the City of Boston to appropriate the amount of Six Million Five Hundred Thousand Dollars ($6,500,000.00) from the City's Capital Grant Fund in order to provide funding for a Street Rule Book Project and a new Parking Meter and Management System to be managed by the Boston Transportation Department ("BTD"). The funds shall be credited to the Capital Grant Fund from the Parking Meter Fund (referred April 8) - recommending the order ought to receive its first reading and passage and be assigned for further action.

The order received its first reading and passage and was assigned for further action; yeas 13.

ORDER AUTHORIZING INSPECTIONAL SERVICES TO RE-ESTABLISH IN ACCORDANCE WITH GENERAL LAW CHAPTER 44, SECTION 53E 1/2 REVOLVING FUND TO ACCEPT FROM THE FUND UP TO MAXIMUM OF $200,000 TO FUND FISCAL YEAR 2016 TO REIMBURSE FOR ADMINISTRATIVE COST TO THOSE CITY AGENCIES WHICH ENFORCE CBC CHAPTER 16 SECTION 1.9 AND 1.9B, AND FOR COST ASSOCIATED WITH LICENSING AND REGISTRATION (DOCKET NO. 0684)

This matter which was recently heard for possible action was remanded back to the **Committee on Ways and Means.**

REPORT ON ORDER AUTHORIZING CITY OF BOSTON'S OFFICE OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND GRANT OF $1,500,000 FROM ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND INDUSTRIAL CORPORATION FOR PURPOSE OF SUPPORTING OPERATIONAL NEEDS OF CITY OF BOSTON'S OFFICE OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT (DOCKET NO. 0909)

Councilor LAMATTINA, on behalf of the Committee on Economic Development and Planning and Labor, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 0909, message of the Mayor and order authorizing the City of Boston's Office of Economic Development to accept and expend a grant of One Million Five Hundred Dollars, ($1,500,000.00) from the Economic Development and Industrial Corporation, for the purpose of supporting the operational needs of the City of Boston's Office of Economic Development (referred May 20) - recommending passage of the order.

The report was accepted; the order was passed.

ORDER FOR HEARING REGARDING HEALTH AND SAFETY HAZARDS FACING BOSTON HOTEL WORKERS (DOCKET NO. 0961)

Rule 12 was suspended to include Councilor McCARTHY as original co-sponsor of Docket No. 0961.

Councilors ZAKIM, PRESSLEY, MCCARTHY, YANCEY, BAKER, CIOMMO, JACKSON, LAMATTINA, MURPHY, O'MALLEY, WU, LINEHAN and ZAKIM offered the following:

WHEREAS, Protecting the health and safety of Boston's working people, as well as visitors to Boston, is of paramount concern to the Boston City Council; and

WHEREAS, The Wyndham Boston Beacon Hill (the "Wyndham") is located in convenient proximity to Massachusetts General Hospital ("MGH"), allowing many MGH patients to stay at the Wyndham before and after surgical procedures or while receiving outpatient treatment; and

WHEREAS, An April 2015 survey conducted by UNITE HERE Local 26 found that "almost all Wyndham housekeeping staff reported cleaning hotel rooms with bodily fluids or signs of illness" and encountering an assortment of medical waste in their workplace; and

WHEREAS, Wyndham management has repeatedly failed to provide its housekeeping staff with adequate safety equipment, such as biohazard suits and leak-proof bags, to perfonn this important yet dangerous work; and

WHEREAS, Such failures expose workers to grave and unnecessary workplace health hazards; and

WHEREAS, Due to repeated complaints, the Occupational Safety and Health Administration ("OSHA") has begun an investigation into the Wyndham; THEREFORE BE IT

ORDERED, That the appropriate committee of the Boston City Council hold a hearing to examine working conditions at the Wyndham, discuss how best to protect Boston's hotel workers from potential health hazards, and determine whether sufficient safety protocols are in place to protect hospital patients who stay at Boston's hotels; and that representatives of the Boston Public Health Commission, OSHA, UNITE HERE Local 26, the Wyndham, and the Massachusetts Lodging Association, along with other interested parties, be invited to testify.

Referred to the Committee on Healthy Women, Families and Communities.

RESOLUTION THAT THE CITY COUNCIL SUPPORTS THE PASSAGE OF S.64/H.1429, THE JUSTICE REINVESTMENT ACT FILED BY STATE SENATOR SONIA CHANG-DiAZ AND STATE REPRESENTATIVE MARY KEEFE AND URGES THE LEGISLATURE TO ENACT THE REFORMS THEREIN (DOCKET NO. 0962)

Councilor Jackson offered the following:

WHEREAS: Over 20,700 inmates are incarcerated in Massachusetts Department of Corrections ("DOC") facilities and County Houses of Corrections throughout the Commonwealth of Massachusetts ("Commonwealth"); and

WHEREAS: Over the last three decades, the Commonwealth's prison population has more than tripled and current cost evaluations suggest that the state pays, on average, $53,041 per year to house each inmate in custody; and

WHEREAS: Blacks and Latinos make up less than one fifth of the total state population (8% and 10.5% respectively) but make up more than half of the inmate population in DOC custody (28.3% and 26% respectively); and

WHEREAS: Over 90% of inmates are eventually coming back to our communities and 75% of the current DOC population will be released within the next five years; and

WHEREAS: A broken criminal justice system exacts inexcusable fiscal, moral, and social costs on our neighborhoods and in the Commonwealth as a whole; and

WHEREAS: Criminal justice reform requires a holistic look at the shortfalls and failings in our current system including but not limited to arrests, pretrial detention, sentencing, incarceration, and the reentry process; and

WHEREAS: In 2012, Massachusetts began spending more money to incarcerate its citizens than to ensure that they have access to early learning and school readiness opportunities; and

WHEREAS: Funding for jobs and workforce training in FY15 totaled just under $137 million in state budget expenditures, which is a mere quarter of the total funding spent on DOC operations, demonstrating a clear mismatch in spending priorities; and

WHEREAS: Legislation to reinvest the economic costs and address the moral imperatives associated with the criminal justice system has been filed by Senator Sonia Chang-Diaz and Representative Mary Keefe as S.64/H.1429: An Act to Increase Neighborhood Safety and Opportunity, also known as the Justice Reinvestment Act; and

WHEREAS: The Justice Reinvestment Act includes four primary reforms in criminal sanctions: a repeal of mandatory minimum sentences for drug crimes; a step down of certain non-violent felonies to misdemeanors with shorter terms of incarceration; a creation of medical parole regulations for inmates who are permanently incapacitated; and, an elimination of automatic collateral sanctions at the RMV for drug related offences that are unrelated to operating a vehicle; and

WHEREAS: The Act requires the savings accrued from these sentencing and reentry reforms to be calculated, tracked, and reinvested into broad based community education and workforce development programs for youth, those living below the poverty line, those with long term unemployment needs, victims of violence, and other vulnerable populations; and

WHEREAS: Boston residents, as taxpayers, employers, law enforcement officials, teachers, neighbors, relatives, and other stakeholders in the future of the Commonwealth deserve to have a criminal justice system that operates fairly and cost effectively, while ensuring that those who are currently or formerly incarcerated have the tools to contribute positively to their communities; and, NOW,

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, That the Boston City Council supports the passage of S.64/H.1429 The Justice Reinvestment Act filed by State Senator Sonia Chang-Diaz and State Representative Mary Keefe and urges the legislature to enact the reforms therein.

Referred to the Special Committee on the Status of Black and Latino Men and Boys.

ORDER FOR HEARING TO REVIEW INITIATIVES TO REDUCING CRIME RELATED TO GUN VIOLENCE (DOCKET NO. 0963)

Councilors JACKSON, YANCEY, O'MALLEY, PRESSLEY, WU and ZAKIM offered the following

WHEREAS: Gun violence is a problem that affects many Bostonians; and

WHEREAS: In Boston, despite the drop in homicides with guns, the Boston Police Department reported a spike in shootings in 2015 compared to 2014 in its most recent reports; and

WHEREAS: From January 1st to May 24th of 2015, there were a total 76 shootings, 14 more compared to 2014; and

WHEREAS: Gun violence disproportionately impacts certain neighborhoods, communities and populations; and

WHEREAS: Furthermore, gun violence and the resulting injuries and deaths typically increase substantially in the summer months; and

WHEREAS: Gun violence is a serious problem and, thus, it is critical that the City of Boston addresses this issue; and

WHEREAS: It is important that the Boston City Council reviews the current initiatives and also the "Richmond [California] model" of approaching gun violence and homicide reduction; and, NOW

THEREFORE BE IT ORDERED, That the appropriate committee of the Boston City Council holds a hearing to review and discuss gun violence reduction programs and that the representatives from the Boston Police Department and other stakeholders are invited to testify.

Referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES (DOCKET NO. 0964)

Councilor LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, June 6, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, June 12, 2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Addison Koelle, Secretary, $3,307.70, full time
Bernadette Lally, Administrative Asst., $3,500.00, part time
Robert E. Powers, Secretary, $3,942.31, full time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES (DOCKET NO. 0965)

Councilor LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, June 13, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, September 11, 2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Addison Koelle, Secretary, $1,615.40, full time
Bernadette Lally, Administrative Asst., $2,000.00, part time
Robert E. Powers, Secretary, $2,884.62, full time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES (DOCKET NO. 0966)

Councilor LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, June 6, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, June 12, 2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Nicholas G. Carter, Secretary, $3,230.77, full time
Kyndal Henicke, Secretary, $8,846.16, full time

Daniel Sibor, Administrative Asst., $6,633.60, full time
Mohona Siddique, Secretary, $8,846.16, full time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES
(DOCKET NO. 0967)

Councilor LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, June 13, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, September 11, 2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Kyndal Henicke, Secretary, $1,692.32, full time
Daniel Sibor, Administrative Asst., $2,615.40, full time
Mohona Siddique, Secretary, $1,692.31, full time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES
(DOCKET NO. 0968)

Councilor LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, June 13, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Tuesday, June 30, 2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Nicholas G. Carter, Secretary, $1,461.54, full time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES
(DOCKET NO. 0969)

Councilor LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Wednesday, July 1, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, September 11, 2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Nicholas G. Carter, Secretary, $1,538.48, full time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES
(DOCKET NO. 0970)

Councilor LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, June 13, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, June 19, 2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Louis Areniello, Secretary, $1,500.00, full time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

LATE-FILED MATTERS

The Chair stated that in absence of objection, four late-filed matters would be added to the Agenda.

No objection being heard, the following matters were added:

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES
(DOCKET NO. 1014)

Councilor LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, June 6, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, June 12, 2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Justin Brown, Secretary, $2,214.47, full time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES
(DOCKET NO. 1015)

Councilor LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, June 13, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, September 11, 2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Justin Brown, Secretary, $1,576.94, full time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES
(DOCKET NO. 1016)

Councilor LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, June 6, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, June 26, 2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Crystal Jackson, Secretary, $2,000.00, full time
Tiffanny James, Secretary, $2,000.00, full time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

COMMUNICATION RECEIVED FROM COUNCILOR STEPHEN MURPHY RE: EDWARD J. BYRNE MEMORIAL JUSTICE ASSISTANCE GRANT PROGRAM (JAG) (DOCKET NO. 1017)

Communication was received from Councilor Stephen Murphy re: Edward J. Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant Program (JAG) .

Placed on file.

CONSENT AGENDA

The Chair moved adoption of a Consent Agenda in which the following-named Councilors offered resolutions of a condolence or congratulatory nature as set forth after each Councilor's name:

Councilor Pressley: Recognizing fourteen individuals for their commitment to serving mothers, youth and community members alike (Docket No. 0971)

Councilor McCarthy: Recognizing Eileen Curly (Docket No. 0972) In memory of Priscilla A. Noonan (Docket No. 0973)

Councilor Baker: Recognizing Eileen Nash(Docket No. 0974)

Councilor LaMattina: Recognizing Jennifer Travaglini(Docket No. 0975) Recognizing Dennis Lom-

bardo (Docket No. 0976) Recognizing Judge Joseph Ferrino (Docket No. 0977) Recognizing John Nucci (Docket No. 0978) In memory of Linda Fabiano (Docket No. 0979) Recognizing Dennis Boseman (Docket No. 0980) In memory of Constantino "Sony" Buttiglieri (Docket No. 0981)

Councilor Baker: Declaring May 26, 2015 Florence Cronin Day (Docket No. 0982)

Councilor Ciommo: Recognizing Carol O'Shaughnessy (Docket No. 0983)

Councilor O'Malley: In memory of Josephine F. Arcanti (Docket No. 0984) In memory of Eleanor Sableski (Docket No. 0985)

Councilor Pressley: Recognizing Estrella Hernandez (Docket No. 0986)

Councilor O'Malley: Congratulating Peter Impellizeri (Docket No. 0987)

Councilors Linehan and Flaherty: In memory of Stephen M. Douglas (Docket No. 0988) Congratulating Mary Lou Rosher (Docket No. 0989)

Councilor Zakim: Recognizing the Mission Hill Crime Committee (Docket No. 0990 Congratulating Robert McCarthy (Docket No. 0991)

Councilor Ciommo: Recognizing Reverend Lorraine Cleaves Anderson (Docket No. 0992)

Councilor O'Malley: In memory of Mildred R. Skaza (Docket No. 0993)

Councilor LaMattina: Recognizing Ezequiel Hernandez (Docket No. 0994) In memory of Oscar Forlani (Docket No. 0995)

Councilor O'Malley: Recognizing Lynette Dion (Docket No. 0996)

Councilor Ciommo: In memory of Anthony F. Salvucci (Docket No. 0997)

Councilor Flaherty: Recognizing May 31,2015 as Centro Cultural Cubano Day (Docket No. 0998)

Councilor Yancey: Recognizing Telucia T. Accime (11) (Docket No. 0999) In memory of Sasha "Trisha" Gibson (Docket No. 1000) Recognizing Queen & Company New England City Chic Modeling Agency (Docket No. 1001) Declaring May 23, 2015 Tegloma Day (Docket No. 1002) In memory of Dolores Anderson (Docket No. 1003) In memory of Christina Poupart (Docket No. 1004)

Councilor Pressley: Recognizing Jack and Debora Kowalski (Docket No. 1005)

Councilor Yancey: In memory of Jason Miles (Docket No. 1006)

Councilor Pressley: Recognizing Cameron Charbonnier (Docket No. 1007) Recognizing Georgia Hedderman (Docket No. 1008) Recognizing Kristina Vo (Docket No. 1009) Recognizing Mary-dith Tuitt (Docket No. 1010) Recognizing Harnaljia Maya Fenelon (Docket No. 1011) Recognizing Richard Tran (Docket No. 1012)

Councilor O'Malley: In memory of James F. Cummings (Docket No. 1013)

The Chair stated that in absence of objection, seven late-filed matters will be added to the Consent Agenda.

No objection being heard, the following matters were heard.

Councilor LaMattina: Recognizing Diane Modica (Docket No. 1018) Recognizing Sherri Raftery (Docket No. 1019) In memory of Joseph Peppe. (Docket No. 1020 Recognizing Rita Sorrento. (Docket No. 1021) Recognizing Lennie Merullo. (Docket No. 1022)

Councilor O'Malley: In memory of Patrick J. Kelly (Docket No. 1023)

Councilor Murphy: In memory of Demetrius "Meechie" Whitney (Docket No. 1024)

NEXT MEETING

Adjourned at 1:36 p.m. on motion of President Linehan and in memory of George McIntyre, Marta Carney, Anthony Salvucci, Oscar Forlani, Lenny Merullo, Joseph Peppe, James Killilea, Stephen M. Douglas, Demetrius "Meechie" Whitney, Josephine F. Arcanti, Patrick Kelly, Eleanor Sableski, Mildred R. Skaza, Forrest "Chip" Ward, Ollie Mae Dickerson and Lorene Middleton, to meet again on Wednesday, June 10, 2015 at 12:00 p.m.

Note: All debate of City Council eliminated from proceedings in accordance with Chapter 447, Acts of 1947.

CITY OF BOSTON

Proceedings of the Boston City Council

Wednesday, June 10, 2015

Regular meeting of the City Council held in the Christopher A. Iannella Chamber, City Hall, at 12:15 p.m. President Linehan in the Chair.

INVOCATION

Father Joseph White, St. Joseph Parish, delivered the invocation, and the meeting was opened with the pledge of allegiance to the flag.

STATEMENT OF PRESIDENT LINEHAN

President LINEHAN moved to adopt the minutes from the June 3, 2015 meeting. **Motion prevailed.**

PRESENTATION BY COUNCILOR LINEHAN

Councilor LINEHAN presented a resolution to Father Joe White extending gratitude for his many years of service and spiritual guidance to the South Boston Community and wishes him well in his new position as Director of Recovery Services for the Archdiocese of Boston.

PRESENTATION BY COUNCILOR MCCARTHY

Councilor MCCARTHY presented a resolution to the athletes and coaches of the West Roxbury High Baseball Team City Champions who endeavored to succeed with all odds against them.

ORDER AUTHORIZING OFFICE OF YOUTH ENGAGEMENT & EMPLOYMENT TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND GRANT OF $764,561 FROM COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS FOR PURPOSE OF SUPPORTING SUMMER JOBS FOR YOUTH WORKS, PROGRAM FOR AT -RISK YOUTH (DOCKET NO. 1025)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

June 5, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I hereby transmit for your approval an Order authorizing the Department of Youth Engagement and Employment, on behalf of the City of Boston, to accept and expend funds in the amount of $764,561.00 from the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, for the purposes of supporting summer jobs for Youth Works, a program for at-risk youth.

I urge your Honorable Body to adopt this Order as soon as possible so that the City of Boston may accept the funds expeditiously and expend them for the purposes for which these funds were granted.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE DEPARTMENT OF YOUTH ENGAGEMENT AND EMPLOYMENT TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND A GRANT FROM THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS TO SUPPORT SUMMER JOBS FOR YOUTHWORKS, A PROGRAM FOR AT-RISK YOUTH.

ORDERED: That pursuant to G.L. c. 44, § 53A, the Department of Youth Engagement and Employment, acting on behalf of the City of Boston be, and hereby is authorized to accept and expend a grant in an amount not to exceed Seven Hundred and Sixty-Four Thousand, Five Hundred and Sixty-One Dollars ($764,561.00) from the Commonwealth of Massachusetts for the 2015 (FY2016) Summer Jobs for At-Risk Youth Program (YouthWorks).

Referred to the Committee on Healthy Women, Families and Communities.

ORDER AUTHORIZING OFFICE OF YOUTH ENGAGEMENT & EMPLOYMENT TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND FUNDS IN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED $500,000 FROM INDIVIDUALS, ORGANIZATIONS AND LOCAL AND PRIVATE BUSINESSES FOR PURPOSE OF SUPPORTING YEAR-ROUND YOUTH EMPLOYMENT (DOCKET NO. 1026)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

June 5, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I hereby transmit for your approval an Order authorizing the Department of Youth Engagement & Employment to accept and expend funds in an amount not to exceed $500,000.00 from individuals, organizations, and local and private businesses for the purpose of supporting year-round youth employment. Administrative support will be provided by Boston Centers for Youth & Familie.s as needed.

I urge your Honorable Body to adopt this Order as soon as possible so that the City of Boston may accept the funds expeditiously and expend them for the purposes for which they were granted.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE OFFICE OF YOUTH ENGAGEMENT & EMPLOYMENT TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND FUNDS FROM CONTRIBUTIONS RECEIVED FROM INDIVIDUALS, ORGANIZATIONS, AND LOCAL AND PRIVATE BUSINESSES FOR THE PURPOSE OF SUPPORTING YOUTH EMPLOYMENT

ORDERED: That pursuant to section 53A of c. 44 of the Massachusetts General Laws, the Department of Youth Engagement & Employment, acting on behalf of the City of Boston, be and hereby is authorized to accept and expend an amount not to exceed Five Hundred Thousand Dollars ($500,000.00) from the contributions received from individuals, organizations, and local and private businesses for distribution to local agencies to support youth employment.

Referred to the Committee on Healthy Women, Families and Communities.

ORDER DECLARING SURPLUS LAND LOCATED AT 115 FEDERAL STREET (WARD 03, PARCEL 04225000) TO TRANSFER CARE, CUSTODY, MANAGEMENT AND CONTROL OF SAID PROPERTY TO PUBLIC FACILITIES COMMISSION (DOCKET NO. 1027)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

June 3, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I submit herewith and recommend that you approve an Order to declare surplus a certain parcel of land located at 115 Federal Street, (Ward 03, Parcel 04225000) and to transfer the care, custody, management and control of said property to the Public Facilities Commission:

The Parcel is located at 115 Federal Street (Ward 03, Parcel 04225000) and is no longer needed by the City for off-street parking.

I recommend the adoption of this Order by your Honorable Body.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

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AN ORDER DECLARING LAND AT 115 FEDERAL STREET ACQUIRED BY THE CITY OF BOSTON FOR OFF-STREET PARKING AS SURPLUS AND TRANSFERRING CARE, CUSTODY, MANAGEMENT AND CONTROL OF SAID PROPERTY TO THE PUBLIC FACILITIES COMMISSION.

WHEREAS, the City of Boston acquired the land at 115 Federal Street (Ward 03, Parcel 04225000) for off-street parking; and

WHEREAS, the Off-Street Parking Facilities Board has determined that the property is not needed for off-street parking purposes, it is hereby

ORDERED: that the Parcel located at 115 Federal Street, (Ward 03, Parcel 04225000) is hereby found to be surplus within the meaning of St. 1909, c. 486, section 3IB (as appearing in St. 1966, c. 642, s. 12) and the care, custody, management and control thereof is hereby transferred to the Public Facilities Commission.

Referred to the Committee on Economic Development and Planning and Labor.

ORDER AUTHORIZING POLICE COMMISSIONER TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND $30,000 IN AWARD FUNDING UNDER FY15 LAW ENFORCEMENT EQUIPMENT GRANT FUNDED BY EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF PUBLIC SAFETY AND SECURITY UNDER EDWARD BYRNE MEMORIAL JUSTICE ASSISTANCE GRANT FOR PURPOSE OF PURCHASING PRINTERS TO BE INSTALLED IN CRUISERS AS PART OF DDACTS CRIME AND TRAFFIC SAFETY PROGRAM PILOT PROJECT (DOCKET NO. 1028)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

June 3, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I hereby transmit for your approval an Order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend $30,000.00 in award funding under the FY15 the Law Enforcement Equipment Grant funded by the Executive Office of Public Safety and Security under the Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant for the purpose of purchasing printers to be installed in cruisers as. part of the DDACTS crime and traffic safety program. pilot project.

I urge your Honorable Body to adopt this Order as soon as possible so that the City of Boston may accept the funds expeditiously and expend them for the purposes for which these funds were granted.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

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AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND FUNDING UNDER THE FY15 LAW ENFORCEMENT EQUIPMENT GRANT FUNDED BY THE EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF PUBLIC SAFETY AND SECURITY UNDER THE EDWARD BYRNE MEMORIAL JUSTICE ASSISTANCE GRANT.

ORDERED: That the Police Commissioner, acting on behalf of the City of Boston be, and hereby is authorized, pursuant to section 53A of chapter 44 of the Massachusetts General Laws, to accept and expend the FY15 Law Enforcement Equipment Grant funded by the Executive Office of Public Safety and Security under the . Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant not to exceed the amount of Thirty Thousand Dollars ($30,000.00), for the purpose of purchasing printers to be installed in cruisers as part of the DDACTS crime and traffic safety program pilot project.

The rules were suspended; the order was passed.

ORDER TO DECLARE SURPLUS GARBAGE TRUCK WHICH IS NO LONGER NEEDED BY BOSTON PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, AND TO TRANSFER OWNERSHIP OF GARBAGE TRUCK TO DORCHESTER HOUSE MULTI SERVICE CENTER, INC., FOR PURPOSE OF TRANSFERRING IT TO CITY OF CAP-HAITIEN, HAITI, TO AID IN THAT COUNTRY'S REBUILDING (DOCKET NO. 1029)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

June 4, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

The country of Haiti has suffered greatly in the aftermath of the earthquake of January 2010. Its impact on housing, medical care, infrastructure, and public safety equipment has been devastating.

To aid the people of Haiti, I ask your Honorable Body to declare surplus a garbage truck that is no longer needed by the Boston Public Works Department, and to transfer ownership of this garbage truck to the Dorchester House Multi Service Center Inc. The purpose of transferring the truck to Dorchester House is to facilitate transporting it to the City of Cap-Haitien, Haiti as a gift.

The garbage truck will be donated as is and ready to be used by the donor, who will also pay for the expense of transporting the Garbage Truck to Cap-Haitien. Under Chapter 30 B, Section 15(g) ofthe Massachusetts General Laws, a city may, by a majority vote of the City Council, dispose of personal property no longer useful to the City but having a resale or salvage value to a tax-exempt charitable organization. Dorchester House Multi Service Center, Inc., is a tax-exempt charitable organization under Section 501 (c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code.

Dorchester House has agreed to be the facilitating agency of the donation of the City of Boston to the City of Cap-Haitien.

I urge your Honorable Body to expeditiously approve the attached Order

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE SURPLUS AND TRANSFER OF A CITY GARBAGE TRUCK TO ASSIST THE CITY OF CAP-HAITIEN, HAITI IN ITS RECOVERY FROM THE 2010 EARTHQUAKE.

ORDERED: That the City Council hereby declares one 2000 Chevrolet Kodiak Refuse Packer (VIN IGBG6HI-C4YJ25979), deemed to be no longer useful to the City of Boston Public Works Department, to be surplus property; and further

ORDERED: That the City Council hereby authorizes the Public Works Department to transfer ownership of said 2000 Chevrolet Kodiak Refuse Packer Garbage Truck to Dorchester House Multi Service Center, Inc., 1353 Dorchester Avenue, Dorchester, Massachusetts, for the sole purpose of transferring it to the City of Cap-Haiti en, Haiti, to aid in the country's rebuilding.

The rules were suspended; the order was passed.

ORDER AUTHORIZING POLICE DEPARTMENT TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND DONATION OF $1,000 FROM PAT ROGERS FUND FOR USE BY BOSTON POLICE PEER SUPPORT UNIT IN ITS WORK TO PREVENT SUICIDE (DOCKET NO. 1030)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

June 3, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I herewith submit for your approval, an Order to accept and expend for the benefit of the City of Boston, a donation of $1,000.00 from the Pat Rogers Fund for use by the Boston Police Peer Support Unit in its work to prevent suicide. These funds would be used in the attempt to eliminate the contributors to suicide, such as obtaining materials to combat alcoholism, which is a major contributor to suicide.

I urge your Honorable Body to adopt this Order as soon as possible so that the City of Boston may accept the funds expeditiously and expend them for the purposes for which these funds were granted.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND FUNDING FROM THE PAT ROGERS FUND FOR USE BY THE BOSTON POLICE PEER SUPPORT UNIT.

ORDERED: That the Boston Police Department, acting on behalf of the City of Boston be, and hereby is authorized, pursuant to section 53A of chapter 44 of the Massachusetts General Laws, to accept and expend a donation from the Pat Rogers Fund not to exceed the amount of One Thousand Dollars ($1,000.00) for use by the Boston Police Peer Support Unit of the Boston Police Patrolmen's Association to assist in its work towards preventing suicide and eliminating contributing factors to suicide.

The rules were suspended; the order was passed.

ORDER AUTHORIZING POLICE DEPARTMENT TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND DONATION OF OFFICE FURNITURE FROM FURNITURE TRUST FOR USE BY CRIMES AGAINST CHILDREN UNIT (CACU) (DOCKET NO. 1031)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

June 3, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I herewith submit for your approval, an Order to accept and expend for the benefit of the City of Boston, a donation of office furniture from The Furniture Trust for use by the Crimes Against Children Unit (CACU). The office furniture, specifically cubicles, will be used to update the office space that the Unit occupies which will further facilitate the Unit's services and benefit the residents of the City of Boston.

I urge your Honorable Body to adopt this Order as soon as possible so that the City of Boston may accept the office furniture expeditiously and use it for the purpose for which it was granted.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE BOSTON POLICE DEPARTMENT TO ACCEPT AND USE OFFICE FURNITURE FROM THE FURNITURE TRUST FOR USE BY THE CRIMES AGAINST CHILDREN UNIT.

ORDERED: That the Boston Police Department, acting on behalf of the City of Boston be, and hereby is authorized, pursuant to section 53A 1/2 of chapter 44 of the Massachusetts General Laws, to accept a donation from The Furniture Trust of office furniture for use by the Crimes Against Children Unit to assist in updating the existing materials in the two rooms the Unit occupies.

The rules were suspended; the order was passed.

ORDER AUTHORIZING POLICE DEPARTMENT TO ACCEPT DONATION OF 2004 HONDA ACCORD FROM NATIONAL INSURANCE CRIME BUREAU, FOR USE BY AUTO THEFT UNIT TO CONDUCT AUTO THEFT AND INSURANCE FRAUD INVESTIGATIONS (DOCKET NO. 1032)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

June 3, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I herewith submit for your approval, an Order to accept and expend for the benefit of the City of Boston, a donation of a 2004 Honda Accord (VIN 1HGCM563 84A098731) from the National Insurance Crime Bureau. This vehicle will be used by the Auto Theft Unit for conducting auto theft and insurance fraud investigations and will benefit the residents of the City of Boston.

I urge your Honorable Body to adopt this Order as soon as possible so that the City of Boston may accept

this motor vehicle expeditiously and use it for the purpose for which it was granted.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

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AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE BOSTON POLICE DEPARTMENT TO ACCEPT AND USE A MOTOR VEIDCLE FROM THE NATIONAL INSURANCE CRIME BUREAU FOR USE BY THE AUTO THEFT UNIT.

ORDERED: That the Boston Police Department, acting on behalf of the City of Boston be, and hereby is authorized, pursuant to section 53A 1/2 of chapter 44 of the Massachusetts General Laws, to accept a donation from the National Insurance Crime Bureau of a 2004 Honda Accord (VIN 1HGCM563 84A098731) for use by the Auto Theft Unit to conduct auto theft and insurance fraud investigations.

The rules were suspended; the order was passed.

ORDER AUTHORIZING ENVIRONMENT DEPARTMENT TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND GRANT OF $28,500 AWARDED BY NATIONAL PARK SERVICES PASSED THROUGH MASSACHUSETTS HISTORICAL COMMISSION FOR FY2015 SURVEY AND PLANNING (DOCKET NO. 1033)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

June 4, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I hereby transmit for your approval an Order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend a grant from the National Park Service passed through the Massachusetts Historical Commission in an amount not to eweed $28,500.00. Grant FY2015 Survey and Planning will be administered by the City of Boston's Environment Department. Survey and Planning grants fund a wide range of preservation-related activities. In this grant cycle, the grant funds will be used to provide professional cultural resource survey expertise to complete the third and fmal phase of a survey of the North End.

I urge your Honorable Body to adopt this Order so that the City of Boston may expend the funds expeditiously upon award for the purposes for which they are granted.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

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AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF BOSTON TO EXPEND THE FY2015 SURVEY AND PLANNING GRANT FUNDS, AWARDED BY THE NATIONAL PARK SERVICE AND THE MASSACHUSETTS HISTORICAL COMMISSION.

WHEREAS, the National Park Service and the Massachusetts Historical Commission, are being petitioned for the issuance of funds to the City of Boston Envirorunent Department; and

WHEREAS, the funds in the amount of Twenty Eight Thousand and Five Hundred Dollars ($28,500.00) will be utilized by the City of Boston to provide professional cultural resource survey expertise to complete the third and final phase of a survey of the North End; therefore be it

ORDERED: that the Mayor,. acting on behalf of the City of Boston be, and hereby is authorized, pursuant to section 53A of chapter 44 of the Massachusetts General Laws, to accept and expend upon award, the National Park Service and the Massachusetts Historical Commission FY2015 Survey and Planning award not to exceed Twenty Eight Thousand and Five Hundred Dollars ($28,500.00).

The rules were suspended; the order was passed.

APPROVAL OF CONSTABLE'S BONDS
(DOCKET NO. 1034)

The Constable Bonds of Shane Reed, Joseph Turco, Cavkil Bromfield and Samuel Desrosiers having been duly approved by the Collector-Treasurer, were received and approved under the usual terms and conditions.

REPORT ON PETITION FOR SPECIAL LAW RE: "ACT CONCERNING RETIREMENT CLASSIFICATION FOR BOSTON SCHOOL POLICE OFFICERS (DOCKET NO. 0830)

Councilor FLAHERTY, on behalf of the Committee on Government Operations, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 0830, petition for a special law re: "An Act Concerning the Retirement Classification for the Boston School Police Officers (referred May 6) - recommending passage of the petition.

The report was accepted; the petition was passed.

REPORT ON ORDER APPROVING PETITION FOR SPECIAL LAW REGARDING ACT RELATIVE TO CERTAIN AFFORDABLE HOUSING (ORIENT HEIGHTS PUBLIC HOUSING PROJECT) IN CITY OF BOSTON" (DOCKET NO. 0111)

Councilor FLAHERTY, on behalf of the Committee on Government Operations, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 0111, message of the Mayor and order approving a Petition for a Special Law regarding an Act Relative to Certain Affordable Housing (Orient Heights public housing project) in the City of Boston" (referred December 17, 2015) - recommending passage of the order.

The report was accepted; the order was passed.

Councilor YANCEY requested to be recorded in the negative.

REPORT ON ORDER APPROVING PETITION FOR SPECIAL LAW REGARDING ACT RELATIVE TO CERTAIN AFFORDABLE HOUSING (WHITTIER PUBLIC HOUSING PROJECT) IN CITY OF BOSTON" (DOCKET NO. 0112)

Councilor FLAHERTY, on behalf of the Committee on Government Operations, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 0112, message of the Mayor and order approving a Petition for a Special Law regarding an Act Relative to Certain Affordable Housing (Whittier public housing project) in the City of Boston" (referred December 17, 2015) - recommending passage of the order.

The report was accepted; the order was passed.

Councilor YANCEY requested to be recorded in the negative.

REPORT ON ORDER FOR ANNUAL APPROPRIA-

TION AND TAX ORDER FOR FY2016 (DOCKET NO. 0662)

Councilor CIOMMO, on behalf of the Committee on Ways and Means, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 0662, message of the Mayor and order for Annual Appropriation and Tax Order for FY2016 (referred April 8) - recommending the order be rejected without prejudice.

The report was accepted; the order was rejected without prejudice; yeas 13.

REPORT ON ORDER FOR ANNUAL APPROPRIATION FOR SCHOOL DEPARTMENT FOR FY2016 (DOCKET NO. 0663)

Councilor CIOMMO, on behalf of the Committee on Ways and Means, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 0663, message of the Mayor and order for Annual Appropriation for the School Department for FY2016 (referred April 8) - recommending the order be rejected without prejudice.

The report was accepted; the order was rejected without prejudice; yeas 13.

REPORT ON ORDER APPROVING APPROPRIATION OF $40,000,000 TO OTHER POST-EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS (OPEB) LIABILITY TRUST FUND ESTABLISHED UNDER SECTION 20 OF MASSACHUSETTS GENERAL LAW CHAPTER 32B (DOCKET NO. 0664)

Councilor CIOMMO, on behalf of the Committee on Ways and Means, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 0664, message of the Mayor and order approving an appropriation of Forty Million Dollars ($40,000,000.00) to the Other Post-Employment Benefits (OPEB) Liability Trust Fund established under Section 20 of Massachusetts General Law Chapter 32B (referred April 8) - recommending the order be rejected without prejudice.

The report was accepted; the order was rejected without prejudice; yeas 13.

ORDER FOR HEARING REGARDING CONCURRENT JURISDICTION OF MASSACHUSETTS PORT AUTHORITY CONTROLLED PROPERTIES LOCATED WITHIN THE CITY (DOCKET NO. 1035)

Councilors MURPHY, O'MALLEY, PRESSLEY, WU, YANCEY, MCCARTHY, FLAHERTY, LAMATTINA, CIOMMO, ZAKIM, LINEHAN, JACKSON and BAKER offered the following:

WHEREAS, The Boston City Council is dedicated to working in partnership with the city and law enforcement agencies to reduce crime, minimize public safety concerns, and improve the overall quality of life for the city's population; and,

WHEREAS, The Boston Police Department's mission is to ensure the safety and well-being of visitors, residents, and businesses located in the City of Boston; and,

WHEREAS, Pursuant to section 110 of chapter 205 of the acts of 1996, the Massachusetts State Police is the sole police authority of the General Edward Lawrence Logan international airport and the Massachusetts Port ("MassPort") Authority properties located within a municipality; and,

WHEREAS, The Boston Police Department does not have jurisdiction on MassPort properties in the city. Prohibiting the Boston Police from responding to incidents on MassPort properties creates· public safety concerns and may place the city at risk of litigation if the Boston Police respond to situations on MassPort properties; and,

WHEREAS, Boston Police officers are highly trained and should be able to share concurrent jurisdiction with the Massachusetts State Police in order to appropriately respond to situations that occur on state-owned property located within the City of Boston; and,

WHEREAS, There is currently a proposal before the Massachusetts Legislature's Joint Committee on Public Safety and Homeland Security, House Bill 2107, that would authorize municipal police departments to have concurrent jurisdiction with the department of the state police in all MassPort properties located within the municipality except those exclusive to aviation and port operations; and,

WHEREAS, Allowing the Boston Police Department to exercise concurrent jurisdiction and thereby sharing enforcement authority with the State Police Department may prove beneficial to ensuring public safety. It is within the public's interest to discuss and understand the impact of establishing concurrent jurisdiction of MassPort controlled properties within the City of Boston.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDERED, That the appropriate committee of the Boston City Council holds a hearing to discuss the issue of shared enforcement jurisdiction between the Boston Police Department and the State Police Department over MassPort and other state-controlled properties within the City of Boston. Representatives from the Boston Police Department and other interested parties shall be invited to attend.

Referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES (DOCKET NO. 1036)

Councilor LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, June 6, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, June 12, 2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Robyn Casper, Secretary, $3,317.31, full time
Shaikh Hasib, Secretary, $3,317.31, full time
Tricia Kalayjian, Administrative Asst., $2,788.47, part time
Maria Lanza, Secretary, $1,767.49, part time
Ryan Spitz ,Administrative Asst., $3,701.93, full time
Paul Sullivan, Secretary, $2,846.16, part time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES (DOCKET NO. 1037)

Councilor LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, June 13,2015 the following named person be, and hereby'is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, September 11, 2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Robyn Casper, Secretary, $1,634.62, full time
Shaikh Hasib, Secretary, $1,634.62, full time
Tricia Kalayjian, Administrative Asst., $576.94, part time
Maria Lanza, Secretary, $576.94, part time
Ryan Spitz ,Administrative Asst., $2,403.86, full time
Paul Sullivan, Secretary, $692.32, part time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES (DOCKET NO. 1038)

Councilor LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, June 6, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, June 12, 2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Andrew Baldizon, Secretary, $3,800.00, part time
William MacGregor, Secretary, $5,211.54, full time
Elizabeth Sullivan, Secretary, $5,403.85, full time
Hannah Smith, Administrative Asst., $3,423.08, full time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES (DOCKET NO. 1039)

Councilor LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, June 13, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, September 11, 2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Andrew Baldizon, Secretary, $600.00, part time
William MacGregor, Secretary, $2,423.08, full time
Elizabeth Sullivan, Secretary, $2,807.70, full time
Hannah Smith, Administrative Asst., $1,846.16, full time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

LATE FILED MATTERS

The Chair stated that in absence of objection, two late-filed matters would be added to the Agenda.
No objection being heard, the following matters were added:

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES (DOCKET NO. 1063

Councilor LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, June 6, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, June 12, 2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:
LaToya Evans-Bush, Secretary, $4,400.00, part time
Donna Young, Secretary, $5,390.00, part time
Ralph I. Ortiz, Secretary, $2,201.50, part time
Fabian Depeiza, Secretary, $4,147.00, full time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES (DOCKET NO. 1064)

Councilor LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, June 13, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, June 26, 2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:
LaToya Evans-Bush, Secretary, $800.00, part time
Donna Young, Secretary, $980.00, part time
Ralph I. Ortiz, Secretary, $735.00, part time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

RESOLUTION THAT THE CITY COUNCIL SUPPORTS THE PASSAGE OF S.641H.1429, THE JUSTICE REINVESTMENT ACT FILED BY STATE SENATOR SONIA CHANG-DIAZ AND STATE REPRESENTATIVE MARY KEEFE AND URGES THE LEGISLATURE TO ENACT THE REFORM~THEREIN (DOCKET NO. 0962)

Councilor JACKSON called Docket No. 0962 from the Special Committee on Black and Latino Men and Boys.

No objection being heard, the matter was before the body.

On motion of Councilor JACKSON, Docket No. 0962 was adopted.

CONSENT AGENDA

The Chair moved adoption of a Consent Agenda in which the following-named Councilors offered resolutions of a condolence or congratulatory nature as set forth after each Councilor's name:

Councilor McCarthy: In memory of Helen Donovan (Docket No. 1040)
Councilor Ciommo: In memory of Romeo "Roy" Manganiello (Docket No. 1041)
Councilors Flaherty and Murphy: Recognizing Robert E. Sullivan (Docket No. 1042)
Councilor Baker: Congratulating Paula Sklanski (Docket No. 1043) Congratulating The Phillips Family Hospitality Group for receiving the 2015 Business of the Year Award (Docket No. 1044)
Councilor McCarthy: Recognizing Dr. Rogert Harris (Docket No. 1045)
Councilor O'Malley: Congratulating the West Roxbury High School Varsity Baseball Team on winning the 2015 Boston City League Championship (Docket No. 1046)
Councilor Yancey: In memory of Fritz Philogene (Docket No. 1047) Recognizing John C. Canty (Docket No. 1048) Congratulating Seekers of Knowledge (Docket No. 1049) Recognizing Prostate Health Educational Network, Inc. Docket No. 1050)
Councilors Linehan and Flaherty: In memory of Scott Mark "Sco" Salman (Docket No. 1051)
Councilors Linehan and Wu: Congratulating Victor Ng (Docket No. 1052)
Councilor Baker: Congratulating Ed Geary, Jr. (Docket No. 1053) Congratulating Gretchen Geary (Docket No. 1054)
Councilors McCarthy, O'Malley and Pressley: Recognizing Principal Richard Chisholm (Docket No. 1055)
Councilor McCarthy: In memory of Joanne Dennehy Hadayia (Docket No. 1056)
Councilor O'Malley: In memory of Dorothy J. Romano (Docket No. 1057)
Councilors Pressley and LaMattina: Recognizing James Hingston (Docket No. 1058)
Councilor Pressley: Recognizing Mrs. Altagrace Saint-Louis (Docket No. 1059) Recognizing Mr. Pierre Saint-Louis (Docket No. 1060)
Councilor Yancey: Recognizing Bishop Harold Branch (Docket No. 1061)
Councilors Murphy and McCarthy: Recognizing Declaring June 3, 2015 Father Ron Coyne Day (Docket No. 1062)

The Chair stated that in the absence of objection, three late-filed matters would be added to the Consent Agenda.
No objection being heard, the following matter were

added:

Councilors Murphy and Baker: In memory of John F. Monahan, Jr. (Docket No. 1065)
Councilors Linehan and Flaherty: In honor of Father Joseph White (Docket No.1066)
Councilors Linehan, Murphy and Flaherty: Congratulating Margaret Collins (Docket No. 1067)

The matters contained within the Consent Agenda were severally adopted.

NEXT MEETING

Adjourned at 1:50 p.m. on motion of President Linehan and in memory of Claire Gibbons, Scott Mark "Sco" Salman, John Monahan, Jr., Helen Donovan, Dorothy Romano and Yadielys Deleon Camacho, to meet again on Wednesday, June 17, 2015 at 12:00 p.m.

Note: All debate of City Council eliminated from proceedings in accordance with Chapter 447, Acts of 1947.

CITY OF BOSTON

Proceedings of the Boston City Council

Wednesday, June 17, 2015

Regular meeting of the City Council held in the Christopher A. Iannella Chamber, City Hall, at 12:15 p.m. President Linehan in the Chair.

INVOCATION

Katherine Cole, Fourth Presbyterian Church, delivered the invocation, and the meeting was opened with the pledge of allegiance to the flag.

PRESENTATION BY COUNCILOR MURPHY

Councilor MURPHY presented a resolution to John Donovan who is retiring from the Election Department wishing him all the best in his future endeavors.

STATEMENT OF PRESIDENT LINEHAN

President LINEHAN moved to adopt the minutes from the June 10, 2015 meeting. **Motion prevailed.**

ORDER FOR ANNUAL APPROPRIATION AND TAX ORDER FOR FY2016 (DOCKET NO. 1068)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

June 15, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I retransmit herewith my Fiscal Year 2016 Recommended Budget for the City of Boston. The Recommended Operating Budget totals $2.86 billion and represents an increase of $121.8 million, or 4.5% over FY15.

I put forth these recommendations for an FY16 budget that will advance progress toward a City that is Thriving, Healthy, and Innovative for all residents.

It invests heavily in core City services and amenities, such as Neighborhood Services, Public Works, and Parks to enhance the quality of life across the City.

It improves public safety by providing for new police and fire classes, while elevating diversity efforts through additional resources in the Fire department and the reintroduction of the Cadet program in the Police department.

It builds off of FY15's elevation of Arts and Culture to the cabinet-level by increasing the office's budget by nearly 33 percent. With this, Boston will be able to expand its major event offerings, support its artists, and enrich the lives of its citizens, while contributing to the local economy.

It fully funds operations of the City's renowned library system, including the newly renovated children's and teen spaces in the Johnson Building in Copley Square.

It advances my goal of producing 4,000 units of affordable elderly housing by 2030 with a brand-new $1.75 million City investment.

It invests heavily in BPS, appropriating $21 million more in weighted student funding, funding 100 additional Pre- K seats, and expanding extended learning time to 16 additional schools.

With growth in fixed costs and salaries and benefits, and the City's increasing reliance on local revenues, I was forced to make tough choices among City priorities. However, the strength of the Boston economy affords me the ability to recommend the investments referenced above and others, while maintaining Boston's path to long-term fiscal stability.

This budget is a manifestation of my vision for a Thriving, Healthy, and Innovative Boston. A thriving Boston allows each resident to prosper economically, receive a world¬class education, and have access to affordable housing. In a healthy Boston, residents feel safe, and care for their environment and the well-being of all of those within it. An innovative Boston improves citizen experiences with government operations and drives optimal service delivery through data and technology driven management.

I respectfully request your favorable action on the FY16 Operating Budget and the Five Year Capital Plan for FY16 to FY20.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

Appropriation and Tax Order for the ftscal year Commencing July 1, 2015 and ending June 30, 2016

ORDERED: 1. That to meet the current expenses of the City of Boston. in the fiscal year commencing July 1, 2015 and ending June 30, 2016, the respective sums of money specified in the schedules hereinafter set out, be. and the same hereby are, appropriated for expenditure under the direction of the respective boards and officers severally specified, for the several specific purposes hereinafter designated and, except for transfers lawfully made, for such purposes only said appropriations, to the extent they are for the maintenance and operation of parking meters, and the regulation of parking and other activities incident thereto (which is hereby detemrined to be $20,500,000), being made out of the income from parking meters and, to the extent they are for other purposes, being made out of the proceeds from the sale of tax title possessions and receipts from tax title redemptions in addition to the total real and personal property taxes of prior years collected from July 1, 2014 up to and including March 31, 2015, as certified by the City Auditor under Section 23 of Chapter 59 of the General Laws, and out of available funds on hand, (which is hereby determined to be $40,000,000) as certified by the Director of Accounts under said Section 23. and the balance of said appropriations to be raised by taxation pursuant to Section 23 of Chapter 59 of the General Laws:

	CITY DEPARTMENTS	Personnel Services	Contractual Services	Supplies & Materials	Current Charges & Obligations	Equipment	Special Appropriation	Structures & Improvements	Land Non-Structural Improvement	Total
	Mayor's Office									
111	Mayor's Office	3,164,257	166,518	42,715	35,181	-	-	-	-	3,408,671
121,128	Election Department	3,184,751	774,650	373,850	118,400	51,974	-	-	-	4,503,625
151	Law Department	3,942,011	1,964,253	19,887	115,068	3,000	-	-	-	6,044,219
	Operations									
150	Intergovernmental Relations	957,673	175,034	5,034	182,156	-	-	-	-	1,319,897
412	Neighborhood Services	2,638,043	85,048	12,680	4,779	1,600	-	-	-	2,742,150
180	Property & Construction Mgmt	13,964,255	8,077,450	471,095	130,450	200,719	-	-	-	22,843,969
	Arts & Culture									
414	Office of Arts & Culture	787,812	579,850	26,586	1,015	5,824	-	-	-	1,401,087
110	Library Department	23,491,095	7,580,721	2,629,675	143,387	222,695	-	-	25,000	34,092,573
	Economic Development									
182	Office of Economic Development	1,721,111	119,964	15,600	17,574	10,791	-	-	-	1,885,040
114	Consumer Affairs & Licensing	429,739	15,316	10,975	801	-	-	-	-	458,831
252	Licensing Board	792,529	19,200	10,900	11,000	-	-	-	-	833,629
416	Office of Tourism	797,147	39,880	29,335	50,074	21,029	218,285	-	-	1,155,750
	Environment, Energy & Open Space									
303	Environment Department	1,741,565	379,729	16,000	2,465	-	-	-	-	2,139,759
260	Inspectional Services Dept	15,862,923	1,305,673	201,158	815,267	152,700	-	-	-	18,337,721
300,400	Parks & Recreation Department	11,704,606	3,579,767	905,656	623,951	438,691	60,000	-	983,083	18,295,754
	Finance, Budget & Administration									
144	Office of Finance & Budget	727,509	199,991	3,800	1,700	-	-	-	-	933,000
136	Assessing Department	6,467,192	422,500	108,714	109,687	-	-	-	-	7,108,093
131	Auditing Department	2,589,791	59,370	10,636	6,065	-	-	-	-	2,665,861
141	Budget Management	2,425,958	506,656	5,600	197,775	-	-	-	-	3,135,987
333	Execution of Courts	-	-	-	-	-	3,500,000	-	-	3,500,000
148	Health Insurance	-	-	-	195,756,613	-	-	-	-	195,756,613
142	Human Resources	3,423,953	143,800	41,650	191,528	5,800	-	-	-	3,806,731
139	Medicare Payments	8,700,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8,700,000
147	Labor Relations	827,087	557,520	4,350	32,552	3,215	-	-	-	1,424,704
374	Pensions & Annuities - City	4,100,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4,100,000
749	Pensions & Annuities - County	100,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	100,000
143	Purchasing Division	1,711,218	52,752	5,800	2,885	84,810	6,000	-	-	1,863,465
163	Registry Division	950,947	37,817	18,900	710	-	-	-	-	1,008,374
137,138	Treasury Department	3,294,944	229,559	772,919	19,319	-	-	-	-	4,316,741
199	Unemployment Compensation	350,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	350,000
341	Workers' Compensation Fund	-	-	-	-	-	2,200,000	-	-	2,200,000
	Health & Human Services									
385	Boston Centers for Youth & Families	20,589,750	3,718,843	241,878	110,049	169,504	-	-	-	24,828,024
404	Commission for Persons with Disabilities	384,458	18,600	8,192	-	-	-	-	-	411,250
387	Elderly Commission	2,694,923	178,735	142,176	56,020	56,397	-	-	-	3,128,251
403	Fair Housing & Equity	201,689	7,500	7,000	1,147		-	-	-	217,336
113	Office of New Bostonians	360,188	12,570	3,500	263	-	-	-	-	378,521
620	Public Health Commission	-	-	-	-	-	73,950,274	-	-	73,950,274
741	Veterans Services Department	835,899	102,932	83,350	4,248,580	-	-	-	-	5,250,761
417	Women's Commission	209,649	2,669	900	-	-	-	-	-	213,218
448	Youth Engagement & Employment	4,881,939	14,080	23,500	1,600	4,500	622,500	-	-	5,548,119

	CITY DEPARTMENTS	Personnel Services	Contractual Services	Supplies & Materials	Charges & Obligations	Equipment	Special Appropriation	& Improvements	Non-Structural Improvement	Total
	Housing & Neighborhood Development									
188	Neighborhood Development	2,989,821	1,338,384	47,267	125,925	8,869	7,250,000	-	-	11,760,266
	Information & Technology									
149	Department of Innovation & Technology	12,630,258	5,228,400	57,100	8,481,435	1,431,112	-	-	-	27,828,305
	Public Safety									
231	Emergency management	257,402	180,475	2,700	265,540	-	-	-	-	706,117
221	Fire Department	195,681,273	6,966,740	4,905,056	2,894,953	3,254,791	-	-	20,000	213,722,813
211	Police Department	291,375,285	12,688,956	8,646,044	4,135,957	6,685,145	-	-	-	323,509,367
	Streets, Transportation & Sanitation									
321	Central Fleet Manangement	1,921,914	208,251	149,380	7,850	272,360	-	-	-	2,557,755
310	Office of Streets, Transportation & Sanitation	1,768,415	9,638	17,725	1,810	25,293	-	-	-	1,822,681
311	Public Works Department	21,769,017	54,680,783	1,695,586	636,950	2,807,408	-	400,000	-	81,989,744
331	Snow Removal	-	22,156,079	-	-	407,885	-	-	-	22,563,964
251,253	Transportation Department	23,054,079	7,600,225	1,550,521	317,432	685,861	-	-	-	33,208,118
	Non-Mayoral Departments									
112	City Council	5,046,819	173,460	30,500	23,100	16,000	-	-	-	5,289,879
161	City Clerk	1,051,135	51,761	15,000	9,600	-	-	-	-	1,127,496
193	Finance Commission	257,975	4,750	575	250	2,125	-	-	-	265,675
	Other									
158	Risk Retention Reserve	-	-	-	-	-	1,500,000	-	-	1,500,000
159	Housing Trust Fund	-	-	-	-	-	330,000	-	-	330,000
999	Reserve for Collective Bargaining	11,141,500	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11,141,500
	TOTAL	**719,951,482**	**142,390,849**	**23,351,464**	**219,888,553**	**17,030,096**	**89,637,056**	**400,000**	**1,028,063**	**1,213,677,598**

FURTHER ORDERED: II. That to meet so much of the expenses of maintaining. improving and embellishing in the fiscal period commencing July 1.2015 and ending June 30, 2016, cemeteries owned by the City of Boston, or in its charge, as is not met by the income of deposits fur perpetual care on hand December 31. 2014. the respective sum of money specified in the subjoined schedule be, and the same hereby is, appropriated out of the fund set up under Chapter 13 of the Acts of 1961 the same to be expended under the direction of the Commissioner of Parks and Recreation:

400100

Cemetery Division
Parks and Recreation Department $950,000

Referred to the Committee of Ways and Means.

ORDER FOR ANNUAL APPROPRIATION FOR SCHOOL DEPARTMENT FOR FY2016 (DOCKET NO. 1069)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

June 15, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I retransmit herewith an appropriation order for the Boston Public Schools for Fiscal Year 2016, in the amount of $1.0135 billion, submitted pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 224 of the Acts of 1936, as amended by Chapter 190 of the Acts of 1982, as further amended by Chapter 701 of the Acts of 1986, Chapter 613 of the Acts of 1987, and Chapter 108 of the Acts of 1991.

Projected cost growth exceeding City revenue growth, and reductions in federal and net state aid presented challenges for BPS in developing the FY16 budget. However, thanks to a City appropriation increase of $38.6 million, this budget provides the financial support for many key investments. These include continuing to expand our early education program by 100 new Kl seats; expanding inclusive opportunities for students with disabilities; maintaining hiring autonomy for schools to attract, hire, retain and develop, talented teams of highly-qualified, diverse educators; offering extended learning time to 16 additional schools; enhancing digital learning opportunities through technology infrastructure and program expansion; continuing to invest in underperforming schools; and supporting the BPS network structure. Most significantly, this budget increases investment in Weighted Student Funding to schools increase by $21 million.

The recently concluded Superintendent search demonstrated the passion that our City has for the future of its children. The unparalleled level of transparency and public dialogue through this process revealed the problems, progress, and opportunities of our school system. As we transition to a new era within BPS, my commitment to our students remains steadfast. We must meet the system's numerous challenges head on and operate more efficiently to achieve better results. This budget moves the City in the direction of better outcomes for all students through further efficiencies and targeted investments. I commend Interim Superintendent McDonough and the School Committee for their work in developing this budget.

I respectfully request your support of the FY16 appropriation for the Boston Public Schools.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

ORDERED: That pursuant to Chapter 224 of the Acts of 1936, as amended by Chapter 190 of the Acts of 1982, and as further amended by Chapter 701 of the Acts of 1986, Chapter 613 of the Acts of 1987, and Chapter 108 of the Acts of 1991, to meet the current operating expenses of the School Department in the fiscal period commencing July 1, 2015 and ending June 30, 2016, the sum of ONE BILLION THIRTEEN MILLION FIVE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS ($1,013.500.00) be, and the same hereby is, appropriated. said sum to be raised by taxation pursuant to Section 23 of Chapter 59 of the General Laws:

Boston School Department $1,013.500,000

Referred to the Committee of Ways and Means.

ORDER APPROVING APPROPRIATION OF $40,000,000 TO OTHER POST-EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS (OPEB) LIABILITY TRUST FUND ESTABLISHED UNDER SECTION 20 OF MASSACHUSETTS GENERAL LAW CHAPTER 32B (DOCKET NO. 1070)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

June 15, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I retransmit herewith for your approval, an order appropriating $40,000,000 to the Other Post Employment Benefits (OPEB) Liability Trust Fund authorized under Chapter 32B, §20, as added by Chapter 479 of the Acts of 2008. Your annual approval of the OPEB contribution will bring the total aggregate amount appropriated toward the City's and Public Health Commission's unfunded liability to $307 million. The OPEB actuarial valuation as of June 30, 2013, estimated the City's unfunded liability at $2.1 billion.

Building on the changes agreed to under the flrst Public Employee Commission (PEC) agreement which resulted in greater employee and retiree cost sharing of health care costs, the City and its unions successfully signed a second five-year PEC agreement in January 2015. We will continue to work with our unions to ensure the sustainability of health care benefits within the means of the City's current budget, both now and in the future.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

ORDERED: That the sum of FORTY MILLION OOLLARS ($40,000,000) be, and the same hereby is, appropriated to the Other Post Employment Benefits Liability Trust Fund established under Section 20 of Massachusetts General Laws Chapter 32B, said sum to be met from available funds on hand as certified by the Director of Accounts pursuant to Section 23 of Chapter 59 of the General Laws.

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Other Post Employment Benefits Liability Trust Fund
$40,000,000

Referred to the Committee of Ways and Means.

ORDER APPROVING APPROPRIATION OF $600,000 FOR PURPOSE OF PAYING COST OF FEASI-

BILITY STUDY AND SCHEMATIC DESIGN WORK ASSOCIATED WITH WINDOW / DOOR REPLACEMENT PROJECTS AT FOLLOWING SCHOOLS: YOUNG ACHIEVERS SCIENCE AND MATH, COMMUNITY ACADEMY OF SCIENCE AND HEALTH, TECHBOSTON ACADEMY, ELLIS SCHOOL, MCKAY SCHOOL, CURLEY SCHOOL AND SUMNER SCHOOL. UPON COMPLETION OF TH FEASIBILITY STUDY, CITY OF BOSTON MAY BE ELIGIBLE FOR GRANT FROM MASSACHUSETTS SCHOOL BUILDING AUTHORITY, SAID AMOUNT TO BE EXPENDED UNDER DIRECTION OF PUBLIC FACILITIES DEPARTMENT ON BEHALF OF BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS (DOCKET NO. 1071)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

June 11, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I hereby transmit for your approval an Order authorizing the City of Boston to appropriate the amount of Six Hundred Thousand Dollars ($600,000) for the purpose of paying costs of a feasibility study and schematic design work associated with window/door replacement projects at the following schools: Young Achievers Science & Math K-8, Community Academy of Science & Health, TechBoston Academy, Ellis School, McKay K-8 School, Curley School, and the Sumner School. This includes the payment of all costs incidental or related thereto, and for which the City of Boston may be eligible for a grant from the Massachusetts School Building Authority ("MSBA"), said amount to be expended under the direction of the Public Facilities Department on behalf of Boston Public Schools.

I urge your Honorable Body to adopt this Order as soon as possible so that the City of Boston may proceed with the feasibility study and continue the process of seeking funds for the improvement of school facilities within the City of Boston.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

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ORDERED: That the City of Boston appropriate the amount of Six Hundred Thousand Dollars ($600,000) for the purpose of paying costs of a feasibility study and schematic design work associated with window/door replacement projects at the following schools:

Young Achievers Science & Math K-8
20 Outlook Rd.
Mattapan, MA 02126

Community Academy of Science & Health
11 Charles St.
Dorchester, MA 02122

TechBoston Academy
9 Peacevale Rd.
Dorchester, MA 02124

Ellis School
302 Walnut Ave.
Roxbury, MA 02119

McKay K-8 School
122 Cottage St.
East Boston, MA 02128

Curley School
493 Centre St.
Jamaica Plain, MA 02130

Sumner School
15 Basile St.
Roslindale, MA 02131

including the payment of all costs incidental or related thereto, which proposed repair projects would materially extend the useful life of the school and preserve an asset that otherwise is capable of supporting the required educational program, and for which the City of Boston may be eligible for a grant from the Massachusetts School Building Authority ("MSBA"), said amount to be expended under the direction of the Public Facilities Department on behalf of Boston Public Schools; and that to meet said appropriation the Collector-Treasurer with the approval of the Mayor is authorized to borrow said amount under the provisions of Chapter 44 of the Massachusetts General Laws, as amended or supplemented, or any other enabling authority and from time to time, issue bonds, notes or certificates of indebtedness of the City up to said amount; that this order shall constitute a declaration of official intent of the City pursuant to Treasury Regulations Section 1.150-2(e) to reimburse expenditures for such projects made from funds established for such purpose as permitted by statute from proceeds of debt incurred by the City pursuant to this Order; and that pursuant to Section 12(b) of Chapter 643 of the Acts of 1983, as amended, if any part of the proceeds of sale of any bonds or notes or other obligations issued by the City under this Order remains unexpended after the work or purpose for which such bonds, notes or other obligations are issued is completed, such proceeds are hereby appropriated and may be applied by the Collector~ Treasurer and City Auditor, at the direction of the Mayor, to pay the principal of, and premium and/or interest on such bonds, notes or other obligations or on any debt of the City. The City of Boston acknowledges that the MSBA's grant program is a non-entitlement, discretionary program based on need, as determined by the MSBA, and any costs the City of Boston incurs in excess of any grant approved by and received from the MSBA shall be the sole responsibility of the City of Boston, and that the amount of borrowing authorized pursuant to this vote shall be reduced by any grant amount set forth in the Project Funding Agreement that may be executed between the City of Boston and the MSBA.

Referred to the Committee of Ways and Means.

ORDER AUTHORIZING POLICE COMMISSIONER TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND FUNDS OF $275,400 FROM MASSACHUSETTS OFFICE OF VICTIM ASSISTANCE, FOR PURPOSE OF EXPANDING BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SUPPORTS FOR BOSTON POLICE STAFF AND OTHER LOCAL LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES WHO RESPONDED TO BOSTON MARATHON BOMBING (DOCKET NO. 1072)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

June 11, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I hereby transmit for your approval an Order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend a grant in the amount of $275,400.00 from the Massachusetts Office for Victim Assistance. This award is made for the purpose of expanding the behavioral health supports for Boston Police Staff and other local law enforcement agencies who responded to the Boston Marathon terrorist bombing of April 15, 2013.

I urge your Honorable Body to adopt this Order as soon as possible so that the City of Boston may accept the funds expeditiously and expend them for the purposes for which they were granted.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND TIIE BOSTON MARATHON BOMBING BEHAVIORAL HEALTH RESPONSE ANTITERRORISM EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE PROGRAM GRANT FUNDS A WARDED BY THE MASSACHUSETTS OFFICE FOR VICTIM ASSISTANCE.

ORDERED: That the Police Commissioner, acting on behalf of the City of Boston be, and hereby is authorized, pursuant to section 53A of chapter 44 of the Massachusetts General Laws, to accept and expend the award of the Massachusetts Office for Victim Assistance, not to exceed the amount of two-hundred seventy-five-thousand four-hundred dollars ($275,400.00).

Referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

ORDER AUTHORIZING POLICE COMMISSIONER TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND GRANT IN AMOUNT OF $84,000 AWARDED BY EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF PUBLIC SAFETY AND SECURITY FOR PURPOSE OF PROVIDING OVERTIME TO CONDUCT THREE HIGH-VISIBILITY ENFORCEMENT MOBILIZATIONS (DOCKET NO. 1073)

The following was received:
City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

June I1, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I hereby transmit for your approval an order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend a grant in the amount of $84,000.00 from the Executive Office of Public Safety and Security. This award is made for the purpose of providing overtime to police officers to conduct three high-visibility enforcement mobilizations.

I urge your Honorable Body to adopt this order as soon as possible so that the City of Boston may accept the funds expeditiously and expend them for the purposes for which they were granted.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND THE FY 2016 TRAFFIC ENFORCEMENT GRANT PROGRAM GRANT FUNDS AWARDED BY THE EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF PUBLIC SAFETY AND SECURITY.

ORDERED: That the Police Commissioner, acting on behalf of the City of Boston be, and hereby is authorized, pursuant to section 53A of chapter 44 of the Massachusetts General Laws, to accept and expend the award of the Executive Office of Public Safety and Security, not to exceed the amount of eighty-four thousand dollars ($84,000.00).

Referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

ORDER AUTHORIZING POLICE COMMISSIONER TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND GRANT OF $69.900.40 FROM U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE, BUREAU OF JUSTICE ASSISTANCE FUNDS FOR EDWARD BYRNE MEMORIAL JUSTICE ASSISTANCE GRANT (JAG) FOR BOSTON POLICE DEPARTMENT FOR PURPOSES OF SUPPORTING YOUTH / POLICE DIALOGUES AND EVENTS OVER A 12-MONTH PERIOD (DOCKET NO. 1074)

The following was received:
City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

June I1, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I hereby transmit for your approval an Order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend a grant in the amount of $69,990.I4 from the Executive Office of Public Safety and Security, Byrne Justice Assistance Grant (JAG) Program.

This award is made for the purpose of bringing youth/police dialogues to scale in the hot-spot neighborhoods of Boston. A working group, made up of representatives from the Office of the Police Commissioner (OPC). the Office of the Chief (OC), the Bureaus of Field Services (BFS) and Investigative Services (BIS), and the Office of Research and Development (ORD), in partnership with Teen Empowerment, the North American Family Institute (NAFI) and the Somali Community Cultural Center will form a Youth/Police Engagement Collaborative to plan out and 'kick off a series of youth/police dialogues and events that will operate over a 12-month period, in hot spot neighborhoods of Boston.

I urge your Honorable Body to adopt this Order as soon as possible so that the City of Boston may accept the funds expeditiously and expend them for the purposes for which they were granted.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND BYRNE JUSTICE ASSISTANCE GRANT (JAG) PROGRAM FUNDS AWARDED BY THE EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF PUBLIC SAFETY AND SECURITY.

ORDERED: That the Police Commissioner, acting on behalf of the City of Boston be, and hereby is authorized, pursuant to section 53A of chapter 44 of the Massachusetts General Laws, to accept and expend the award of the Executive Office of Public Safety and Security, not to exceed the amount of Sixty Nine Thousand Nine Hundred Ninety and 14/100 Dollars ($69,990.14).

Referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

ORDER AUTHORIZING POLICE COMMISSIONER TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND GRANT OF $5,000 FROM MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH FOR PURPOSE OF COLLECTING AND REPORTING DATA (DOCKET NO. 1075)

The following was received:
City of Boston

Office of the Mayor

June 11, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I hereby transmit for your approval an order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend a grant in the amount of $5,000.00 from the Massachusetts Department of Public Health. This award is made for the purpose of providing supplies and overtime to provide technical expertise for the National Violence Data Reporting System.

I urge your Honorable Body to adopt this order as soon as possible so that the City of Boston may accept the funds expeditiously and expend them for the purposes for which they were granted.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND THE FY15 NATIONAL VIOLENT DEATH REPORTING SYSTEM GRANT FUNDS AWARDED BY THE MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH.

ORDERED: That the Police Commissioner, acting on behalf of the City of Boston be, and hereby is authorized, pursuant to section 53A of chapter 44 of the Massachusetts General Laws, to accept and expend the award of the Massachusetts Department of Public Health not to exceed the amount of five-thousand dollars ($5,000.00).

The rules were suspended; the order was passed.

ORDER AUTHORIZING CITY OF BOSTON PURCHASING AGENT TO EXERCISE UP TO TWO EXISTING OPTIONS TO EXTEND BY ONE YEAR EACH TIME CONTRACT NUMBER 36033 WITH RETRIEVEX, INC. DBA ACCESS OF DANVERS MA. FOR ANALOG RECORDS STORAGE AND RETRIEVAL SERVICES USED BY ALL CITY DEPARTMENTS AND AGENCIES. THIS CONTRACT IS SET TO EXPIRE JUNE 30, 2015, AND IT CONTAINS OPTIONS FOR CITY TO RENEW FOR TWO CONSECUTIVE TWELVE MONTH PERIODS. CITY COUNCIL'S APPROVAL IS REQUIRED PURSUANT TO SECTION 12(B) OF CHAPTER 30(B) OF MASSACHUSETTS GENERAL LAW (DOCKET NO. 1076)

The following was received:
City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

June 10, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I hereby transmit for your approval an Order authorizing the City of Boston Purchasing Agent to exercise up to two existing options to extend by one year each time contract number 36033 with Retrievex, Inc. dba Access, of Danvers, MA for analog records storage and retrieval services used by all City departments and agencies. Access is a professional records storage and retrieval company that scans and stores inactive City government records. This contract is set to expire June 30, 2015, but it contains options for the City to renew for two consecutive twelve month periods, each to be exercised separately. The options to extend were included in the original public solicitation for this contract, but the City Council's approval is required pursuant to section 12(b) of chapter 30(b) of the Massachusetts General Laws to exercise the option since it will render the contract longer than three years.

Comparing the operational and financial consequences of the renewal option versus a new bid, the Purchasing Agent has concluded that exercising the first renewal option is more advantageous to the City and its taxpayers than the pricing the City is likely to get if it issued a new bid solicitation at this time. A new bid at this time cannot reasonably be expected to achieve greater economy and would far more likely result in less. The Order as proposed seeks authorizes the Purchasing Agent to exercise the second extension option next year, but the Purchasing Agent has not yet determined whether the second option will be in the City's interest, and any such decision must take place nearer in time to the second extension period.

I respectfully request an Order approving this contract extension before the City Council to exercise this option to renew the contract for a period of two years.

Respectfully,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE PURCHASING AGENT TO EXERCISE OPTIONS TO RENEW A DOCUMENT STORAGE AND MANAGEMENT CONTRACT.

ORDERED: Pursuant to Section 12(b) of Chapter 30B of the General Laws, the Purchasing Agent, acting on behalf of the City of Boston, is hereby authorized to exercise one or both of two one-year options to renew for a fourth and fifth year contract number 36033 with Retrievex, Inc., for scanning and storing City records, which was awarded pursuant to a competitive public bidding process.

The rules were suspended; the order was passed.

APPOINTMENT BY THE MAYOR
(DOCKET NO. 1077)

Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of Sabino Piemonte, as Interim Elections Commissioner, effective June 8, 2015.

Placed on file.

NOTICE RECEIVED FROM CITY CLERK IN ACCORDANCE WITH CHAPTER 6 OF ORDINANCES OF 1979 RE: ACTIONS TAKEN BY MAYOR ON PAPERS ACTED UPON BY CITY COUNCIL AT ITS 5-20-2015 MEETING (DOCKET NO. 1078)

The following was received:
City of Boston
Office of the City Clerk

June 11, 2015

To the City Council.
Councilors:

In accordance with Chapter 6 of the Ordinances of 1979, I hereby notify you of the following actions taken by the Mayor with regard to the papers acted upon by the City Council at its meeting of May 20, 2015 viz.

0698 Ordinance Chapter VI, Section 6.3, schedule of parking fines relative to street cleaning
Approved by the Mayor May 27, 2015

0860 Order approving modification to the Park Plaza Urban Renewal Plan (the "Plan") adopted by the Boston Redevelopment Authority by a resolution

dated April 16, 2015.
Approved by the Mayor May 27, 2015

0910 Order authorizing the Mayor's Office of Emergency Management to accept and expend an additional grant of Thirty One Thousand Eight Hundred Seventeen Dollars and Ninety Cents($31,817.90) from the U.S. Department of Homeland Security's (DHS), Regional Catastrophic Preparedness Grant Program (RCPG) Grant FFY2011,for the purpose of catastrophic planning within the deslsnated region, including the Boston Urban Area, Providence Urban Area, Commonwealth of Massachusetts, State of New Hampshire, and State of Rhode Island. Docket # 0335 was previously approved by City of Boston allowing OEM to accept and expend One Million One Hundred and Forty Eight Thousand Eight Hundred Seventy Seven Dollars and Twenty Cents ($1,148,877.20) this new award will bring the grant total to One Million One Hundred Eighty Thousand Six Hundred Ninety Five Dollars and Ten Cents ($1,180,695.10).
Approved by the Mayor May 27, 2015

Respectfully,
Maureen Feeney,
City Clerk.

Placed on file.

REPORT ON ORDER AUTHORIZING LAW DEPARTMENT TO RE-ESTABLISH IN ACCORDANCE WITH GENERAL LAW CHAPTER 44, SECTION 53E 1/2 REVOLVING FUND TO ACCEPT FROM FUND UP TO MAXIMUM OF $500,000 TO FUND FISCAL YEAR 2016, FOR PURPOSES OF PURCHASING GOODS AND SERVICES TO PAY FOR REPAIRS TO CITY PROPERTY FROM DAMAGES CAUSED BY THIRD PARTIES (DOCKET NO. 0681)

Councilor CIOMMO, on behalf of the Committee on Ways and Means, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 0681, message of the Mayor and order authorizing the Law Department to re-establish in accordance with General Law Chapter 44, Section 53E 1/2 a revolving fund to accept from the fund up to a maximum of Five Hundred Thousand Dollars ($500,000.00) to fund Fiscal Year 2016, for the purposes of purchasing goods and services to pay for repairs to city property from damages caused by third parties (referred April 8) - recommending passage of the order.

The report was accepted; the order was passed.

REPORT ON ORDER AUTHORIZING MAYOR'S OFFICE OF TOURISM TO RE¬ESTABLISH IN ACCORDANCE WITH GENERAL LAW CHAPTER 44, SECTION 53E 1/2 REVOLVING FUND TO ACCEPT FROM FUND UP TO MAXIMUM OF $300,000 TO FUND FISCAL YEAR 2016 FOR PURPOSES OF PURCHASING GOODS AND SERVICES TO ADVANCE TOURISM AND PROMOTE PARTICIPATION IN PUBLIC CELEBRA TIONS (DOCKET NO. 0682)

Councilor CIOMMO, on behalf of the Committee on Ways and Means, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 0682, message of the Mayor and order authorizing the Mayor's Office of Tourism to re-establish in accordance with General Law Chapter 44, Section 53E 1/2 a revolving fund to accept from the fund up to a maximum of Three Hundred Thousand Dollars ($300,000.00) to fund Fiscal Year 2016 for the purposes of purchasing goods and services to advance tourism and promote participation in public celebrations (referred April 8) - recommending passage of the order.

The report was accepted; the order was passed.

REPORT ON ORDER AUTHORIZING MAYOR'S OFFICE OF ARTS AND CULTURE TO RE-ESTABLISH IN ACCORDANCE WITH GENERAL LAW CHAPTER 44, SECTION 53E 1/2 REVOLVING FUND TO ACCEPT FROM FUND UP TO MAXIMUM OF $300,000 TO FUND FISCAL YEAR 2016 FOR PURPOSES OF PURCHASING GOODS AND SERVICES TO SUPPORT PUBLIC ART THROUGHOUT CITY OF BOSTON (DOCKET NO. 0683)

Councilor CIOMMO, on behalf of the Committee on Ways and Means, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 0683, message of the Mayor and order authorizing the Mayor's Office of Arts and Culture to re-establish in accordance with General Law Chapter 44, Section 53E 1/2 a revolving fund to accept from the fund up to a maximum of Three Hundred Thousand Dollars ($300,000.00) to fund Fiscal Year 2016 for the purposes of purchasing goods and services to support public art throughout the City of Boston (referred April 8) - recommending passage of the order.

The report was accepted; the order was passed.

REPORT ON ORDER AUTHORIZING INSPECTIONAL SERVICES TO RE-ESTABLISH IN ACCORDANCE WITH GENERAL LAW CHAPTER 44, SECTION 53E 1/2 REVOLVING FUND TO ACCEPT FROM THE FUND UP TO MAXIMUM OF $200,000 TO FUND FISCAL YEAR 2016 TO REIMBURSE FOR ADMINISTRATIVE COST TO THOSE CITY AGENCIES WHICH ENFORCE CBC CHAPTER 16 SECTION 1.9 AND 1.9B, AND FOR COST ASSOCIATED WITH LICENSING AND REGISTRATION (DOCKET NO. 0684)

Councilor CIOMMO, on behalf of the Committee on Ways and Means, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 0684, message of the Mayor and order authorizing the Inspectional Services to re-establish in accordance with General Law Chapter 44, Section 53E 1/2 a revolving fund to accept from the fund up to a maximum of Two Hundred Thousand Dollars ($200,000.00) to fund Fiscal Year 2016 to reimburse for administrative cost to those City agencies which enforce CBC Chapter 16 section 1.9 and 1.9B, and for cost associated with licensing and registration (referred April 8) - recommending passage of the order.

The report was accepted; the order was passed.

REPORT ON ORDER AUTHORIZING BOSTON CENTER FOR YOUTH AND FAMILIES TO RE-ESTABLISH IN ACCORDANCE WITH GENERAL LAW CHAPTER 44, SECTION 53E1/2 REVOLVING FUND TO ACCEPT FROM FUND UP TO MAXIMUM OF $750,000 TO FUND FISCAL YEAR 2016 TO PAY SALARIES AND BENEFITS OF EMPLOYEES AND TO PURCHASE SUPPLIES AND EQUIPMENT NECESSARY TO OPERATE CITY HALL CHILD CARE (DOCKET NO. 0685)

Councilor CIOMMO, on behalf of the Committee on Ways and Means, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 0685, message of the Mayor and order authorizing the Boston Center for Youth and

Families to re-establish in accordance with General Law Chapter 44, Section 53E 1/2 a revolving fund to accept from the fund up to a maximum of Seven Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars ($750,000.00) to fund Fiscal Year 2016 to pay salaries and benefits of employees and to purchase supplies and equipment necessary to operate the City Hall Child Care (referred April 8) -recommending passage of the order.

The report was accepted; the order was passed.

REPORT ON ORDER AUTHORIZING OFFICE OF ENVIRONMENTAL AND ENERGY SERVICES TO ESTABLISH IN ACCORDANCE WITH GENERAL LAW CHAPTER 44, SECTION 53E 1/2 REVOLVING FUND TO ACCEPT FROM FUND UP TO MAXIMUM OF $100,000 TO FUND FISCAL YEAR 2016 TO PURCHASE OFFSETS OF GREENHOUSE GAS EMISSIONS WHICH SHALL BE ASSOCIATED WITH PORTION OF ELECTRICITY CONSUMED BY CITY ANNUALLY, THEREBY "GREENING" GREATER PERCENTAGE OF CITY'S AGGREGATE ELECTRICITY LOAD (DOCKET NO. 0686)

Councilor CIOMMO, on behalf of the Committee on Ways and Means, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 0686, message of the Mayor and order authorizing the Office of Environmental and Energy Services to establish in accordance with General Law Chapter 44, Section 53E 1/2 a revolving fund to accept from the fund up to a maximum of One Hundred Thousand ($100,000.00) to fund Fiscal Year 2016 to purchase offsets of greenhouse gas emissions which shall be associated with a portion of the electricity consumed by the City annually, thereby "greening" a greater percentage of the City's aggregate electricity load (referred April 8) - recommending passage of the order.

The report was accepted; the order was passed.

REPORT ON ORDER AUTHORIZING BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS TO RE-ESTABLISH IN ACCORDANCE WITH GENERAL LAW CHAPTER 44, SECTION 53E 1/2 REVOLVING FUND TO ACCEPT FROM FUND UP TO MAXIMUM OF $1,800,000TO FUND FISCAL YEAR 2016 TO SUPPORT MAINTENANCE AND REPAIR OF BPS FACILITIES, INCLUDING CUSTODIAL AND UTILITY COST FOR EXTENDED BUILDING TIME, FLOOR REFINISHING, LANDSCAPING AND BUILDING REPAIRS (DOCKET NO. 0687)

Councilor CIOMMO, on behalf of the Committee on Ways and Means, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 0687, message of the Mayor and order authorizing the Boston Public Schools to re-establish in accordance with General Law Chapter 44, Section 53E 1/2 a revolving fund to accept from the fund up to a maximum of One Million Eight Hundred Thousand Dollars ($1,800,000.00) to fund Fiscal Year 2016 to support the maintenance and repair of BPS facilities, including custodial and utility cost for extended building time, floor refinishing, landscaping and building repairs (referred April 8) - recommending passage of the order.

The report was accepted; the order was passed.

REPORT ON ORDER AUTHORIZING BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOL TO RE-ESTABLISH IN ACCORDANCE WITH GENERAL LAW CHAPTER 44, SECTION 53E 1/2 REVOLVING FUND FOR FISCAL YEAR 2016 TO ACCEPT FROM FUND UP TO MAXIMUM OF $1,500,000 TO REPAIR AND PURCHASE BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOL TECHNOLOGY, INCLUDING COMPUTERS, MOBILE DEVICES AND INSTRUCTIONAL SOFTWARE (DOCKET NO. 0688)

Councilor CIOMMO, on behalf of the Committee on Ways and Means, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 0688, message of the Mayor and order authorizing the Boston Public Schools to re-establish in accordance with General Law Chapter 44, Section 53E 1/2 a revolving fund for Fiscal Year 2016 to accept from the fund up to a maximum of One Million Five Hundred Thousand ($1,500,000.00) to repair and purchase Boston Public Schools technology, including computers, mobile devices and instructional software (referred April 8) - recommending passage of the order.

The report was accepted; the order was passed.

REPORT ON ORDER AUTHORIZING BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS TO RE-ESTABLISH IN ACCORDANCE WITH GENERAL LAW CHAPTER 44, SECTION 53E 1/2 REVOLVING FUND TO ACCEPT FROM FUND UP TO MAXIMUM OF $125,000 TO FUND FISCAL YEAR 2016 TO BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOL TRANSPORTATION COSTS, INCLUDING BUS AND PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION COSTS (DOCKET NO. 0689)

Councilor CIOMMO, on behalf of the Committee on Ways and Means, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 0689, message of the Mayor and order authorizing the Boston Public Schools to re-establish in accordance with General Law Chapter 44, Section 53E 1/2 a revolving fund to accept from the fund up to a maximum of One Hundred Twenty Five Thousand Dollars ($125,000.00) to fund Fiscal Year 2016 to Boston Public Schools Transportation costs, including bus and public transportation costs (referred April 8) - recommending passage of the order.

The report was accepted; the order was passed.

REPORT ON ORDER AUTHORIZING BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS TO ESTABLISH IN ACCORDANCE WITH GENERAL LAW CHAPTER 44, SECTION 53E 1/2 REVOLVING FUND TO ACCEPT FROM FUND UP TO MAXIMUM OF $400,000 TO FUND FISCAL YEAR 2016 TO PERFORM ENERGY-SAVING MAINTENANCE AND EQUIPMENT UPGRADES IN SCHOOL BUILDINGS (DOCKET NO. 0690)

Councilor CIOMMO, on behalf of the Committee on Ways and Means, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 0690, message of the Mayor and order authorizing the Boston Public Schools to establish in accordance with General Law Chapter 44, Section 53E 1/2 a revolving fund to accept from the fund up to a maximum of Four Hundred Thousand Dollars ($400,000.00) to fund Fiscal Year 2016 to perform energy-saving maintenance and equipment upgrades in school buildings (referred April 8) - recommending passage of the order.

The report was accepted; the order was passed.

REPORT ON ORDER AUTHORIZING BOSTON FIRE DEPARTMENT ACADEMY TO RE-ESTABLISH IN ACCORDANCE WITH GENERAL LAW CHAPTER 44, SECTION 53E 1/2 REVOLVING FUND TO ACCEPT FROM FUND UP TO MAXI-

MUM OF $100,000 TO FUND FISCAL YEAR 2016 TO SUPPORT BOSTON FIRE DEPARTMENT'S PARTICIPATION IN DETECTION, CLEANUP AND CONTAINMENT OF HAZARDOUS MATERIAL RELEASE (DOCKET NO. 0691)

Councilor CIOMMO, on behalf of the Committee on Ways and Means, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 0691, message of the Mayor and order authorizing the Boston Fire Department Academy to re-establish in accordance with General Law Chapter 44, Section 53E 1/2 a revolving fund to accept from the fund up to a maximum of One Hundred Thousand Dollars ($100,000.00) to fund Fiscal Year 2016 to support Boston Fire Department's participation in the detection, cleanup and containment of hazardous material release (referred April 8) - recommending passage of the order.

The report was accepted; the order was passed.

REPORT ON ORDER AUTHORIZING BOSTON FIRE ACADEMY TO RE¬ESTABLISH IN ACCORDANCE WITH GENERAL LAW CHAPTER 44, SECTION 53E 1/2 REVOLVING FUND TO ACCEPT FROM FUND UP TO MAXIMUM OF $100,000 TO FUND FISCAL YEAR 2016 TO SUPPORT TRAINING PROGRAMS FOR FIREFIGHTERS FROM NON-CITY OF BOSTON FIRE AGENCIES. ACADEMY WILL CHARGE PARTICIPATING OUTSIDE AGENCIES TUITION FOR EACH FIREFIGHTER RECRUIT THEY SEND TO ACADEMY (DOCKET NO. 0692)

Councilor CIOMMO, on behalf of the Committee on Ways and Means, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 0692, message of the Mayor and order authorizing the Boston Fire Academy to re-establish in accordance with General Law Chapter 44, Section 53E I/2 a revolving fund to accept from the fund up to a maximum of One Hundred Thousand Dollars ($100,000.00) to fund Fiscal Year 2016 to support training programs for firefighters from non-City of Boston fire agencies. The Academy will charge participating outside agencies tuition for each firefighter recruit they send to the Academy (referred April 8) - recommending passage of the order.

The report was accepted; the order was passed.

REPORT ON ORDER AUTHORIZING BOSTON FIRE DEPARTMENT ACADEMY TO RE-ESTABLISH IN ACCORDANCE WITH GENERAL LAW CHAPTER 44, SECTION 53E I/2 REVOLVING FUND TO ACCEPT FROM FUND UP TO MAXIMUM OF $25,000 TO FUND FISCAL YEAR 2016 TO SUPPORT BOSTON FIRE DEPARTMENT PERSONNEL PARTICIPATING IN DETECTION, CLEANUP AND CONTAINMENT COSTS ASSOCIATED WITH MASSACHUSETTS GENERAL LAW, CHAPTER 21E, MASSACHUSETTS OIL AND HAZARDOUS MATERIAL RELEASE AND PREVENTION AND RESPONSE ACT (DOCKET NO. 0693)

Councilor CIOMMO, on behalf of the Committee on Ways and Means, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 0693, message of the Mayor and order authorizing the Boston Fire Department Academy to re-establish in accordance with General Law Chapter 44, Section 53E I/2 a revolving fund to accept from the fund up to a maximum of Twenty Five Thousand Dollars ($25,000.00) to fund Fiscal Year 2016 to support Boston Fire Department personnel participating in the detection, cleanup and containment costs associated with Massachusetts General Law, Chapter 21E, the Massachusetts Oil and Hazardous Material Release and Prevention and Response Act (referred April 8) - recommending passage of the order.

The report was accepted; the order was passed.

REPORT ON ORDER AUTHORIZING BOSTON POLICE DEPARTMENT LICENSING DIVISION TO RE-ESTABLISH IN ACCORDANCE WITH GENERAL LAW CHAPTER 44, SECTION 53E 1/2 REVOLVING FUND TO ACCEPT FROM FUND UP TO MAXIMUM OF $350,000 TO FUND FISCAL YEAR 2016 FOR PURPOSE OF PURCHASING, LEASING, OR RENTING SPACE, MATERIALS AND EQUIPMENT, AND TO BE PARTIALLY OR WHOLLY USED FOR INSTRUCTIONAL PURPOSED FOR NEW HACKNEY CARRIAGE DRIVERS APPLICANTS AND PROVIDING FUNDS FOR OTHER TRAINING NEEDS NOT OTHERWISE BUDGETED FOR (DOCKET NO. 0694)

Councilor CIOMMO, on behalf of the Committee on Ways and Means, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 0694, message of the Mayor and order authorizing the Boston Police Department Licensing Division to re-establish in accordance with General Law Chapter 44, Section 53E 1/2 a revolving fund to accept from the fund up to a maximum of Three Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars ($350,000.00) to fund Fiscal Year 2016 for the purpose of purchasing, leasing, or renting space, materials and equipment, and to be partially or wholly used for instructional purposed for new hackney carriage drivers applicants and providing funds for other training needs not otherwise budgeted for (referred April 8) - recommending passage of the order.

The report was accepted; the order was passed.

REPORT ON ORDER AUTHORIZING BOSTON POLICE DEPARTMENT TO ESTABLISH IN ACCORDANCE WITH GENERAL LAW CHAPTER 44, SECTION 53E 1/2 REVOLVING FUND TO ACCEPT FROM FUND UP TO MAXIMUM OF $300,000 TO FUND FISCAL YEAR 2016 TO PAY SALARIES AND BENEFITS OF EMPLOYEES AND TO PURCHASE SUPPLIES AND EQUIPMENT NECESSARY TO OPERATE POLICE DEPARTMENT FITNESS CENTER (DOCKET NO. 0695)

Councilor CIOMMO, on behalf of the Committee on Ways and Means, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 0695, message of the Mayor and order authorizing the Boston Police Department to establish in accordance with General Law Chapter 44, Section 53E 1/2 a revolving fund to accept from the fund up to a maximum of Three Hundred Thousand Dollars ($300,000.00) to fund Fiscal Year 2016 to pay salaries and benefits of employees and to purchase supplies and equipment necessary to operate the Police Department Fitness Center (referred April 8) - recommending passage of the order.

The report was accepted; the order was passed.

REPORT ON ORDER AUTHORIZING BOSTON POLICE ACADEMY TO RE-ESTABLISH IN ACCORDANCE WITH GENERAL LAW CHAPTER 44, SECTION 53E I/2 REVOLVING FUND TO ACCEPT FROM FUND UP TO MAXIMUM OF $200,000 TO FUND FISCAL YEAR 2016 TO SUPPORT TRAINING PROGRAMS FOR OFFICERS FROM NON-CITY OF BOSTON LAW

ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES. ACADEMY WILL CHARGE PARTICIPATED OUTSIDE LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES TUITION FOR EACH RECRUIT, POLICE OFFICER OR SPECIAL POLICE OFFICER THEY SEND TO ACADEMY (DOCKET NO. 0696)

Councilor CIOMMO, on behalf of the Committee on Ways and Means, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 0696, message of the Mayor and order authorizing the Boston Police Academy to re-establish in accordance with General Law Chapter 44, Section 53E 1/2 a revolving fund to accept from the fund up to a maximum of Two Hundred Thousand Dollars ($200,000.00) to fund Fiscal Year 2016 to support training programs for officers from non-City of Boston law enforcement agencies. The Academy will charge participated outside law enforcement agencies tuition for each recruit, police officer or special police officer they send to the Academy (referred April 8) - recommending passage of the order.

The report was accepted; the order was passed.

REPORT ON ORDER AUTHORIZING BOSTON POLICE DEPARTMENT SPECIAL OPERATIONS DIVISION TO RE-ESTABLISH IN ACCORDANCE WITH GENERAL LA W CHAPTER 44, SECTION 53E 1/2 REVOLVING FUND TO ACCEPT FROM FUND UP TO MAXIMUM OF $100,000 TO FUND FISCAL YEAR 2016 TO SUPPORT CANINE UNIT'S TRAINING PROGRAMS FOR OFFICERS AND POLICE DOGS FROM NON-CITY OF BOSTON LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES. SPECIAL OPERATION DIVISION WILL CHARGE TUITION AND OTHER FEES TO OUTSIDE LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES FOR TRAINING WITH CANINE UNIT (DOCKET NO. 0697)

Councilor CIOMMO, on behalf of the Committee on Ways and Means, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 0697, message of the Mayor and order authorizing the Boston Police Department of Special Operations Division to re-establish in accordance with General Law Chapter 44, Section 53E 1/2 a revolving fund to accept from the fund up to a maximum of One Hundred Thousand Dollars ($100,000.00) to fund Fiscal Year 2016 to support the Canine Unit's training programs for officers and police dogs from non-City of Boston law enforcement agencies. The Special Operation Division will charge tuition and other fees to outside law enforcement agencies for training with Canine Unit (referred April 8) - recommending passage of the order.

The report was accepted; the order was passed.

REPORT ON ORDER AUTHORIZING DEPARTMENT OF NEIGHBORHOOD DEVELOPMENT TO APPLY FOR, ACCEPT, AND EXPEND FEDERAL FISCAL YEAR 2015 LEAD-BASED PAINT HAZARD CONTROL GRANT PROGRAM AND LEAD HAZARD REDUCTION DEMONSTRATION GRANT FUND OF $3,825,000 FROM UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT (HUD TO BE USED TO SUPPORT LEAD HAZARD AND LEAD-BASED PAINT HAZARD REDUCTION IN CITY OF BOSTON (DOCKET NO. 0954)

Councilor BAKER, on behalf of the Committee on Housing, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 0954, order authorizing the City of Boston to apply for, accept, and expend Lead-Based Paint Hazard Control Grant program funds and Lead Hazard Reduction Demonstration Grant program funds from the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD), Office of Lead Hazard Control and Healthy Homes (referred June 3) - recommending passage of the order.

The report was accepted; the order was passed.

ORDER DECLARING SURPLUS LAND LOCATED AT 115 FEDERAL STREET (WARD 03, PARCEL 04225000) TO TRANSFER CARE, CUSTODY, MANAGEMENT AND CONTROL OF SAID PROPERTY TO PUBLIC FACILITIES COMMISSION (DOCKET NO. 1027)

This matter which was recently heard for possible action was remanded back to the **Committee on Economic Development and Planning and Labor.**

REPORT ON ORDER AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND FUNDS OF ONE HUNDRED SIXTY-FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS ($165,000.00) FROM CONTRIBUTIONS RECEIVE FROM INDIVIDUALS, ORGANIZATIONS, AND LOCAL AND PRIVATE BUSINESSES FOR THE PURPOSES OF FUNDING THE ENGLISH FOR NEW BOSTONIAN INITIATIVE, FOR CHILDHOOD ARRIVALS (DACA) AND DEFERRED ACTION FOR PARENTAL ACCOUNTABILITY (DAPA) COMMUNITY PROJECT, AND OTHER CRUCIAL PROGRAMS THAT ENABLE NEW BOSTONIANS TO PLAY AN ACTIVE ROLE IN THE ECONOMIC, CIVIC AND PUBLIC UNDERSTANDING OF THE CONTRIBUTIONS OF IMMIGRANTS TO FULL PARTICIPANTS IN BOSTON (DOCKET NO. 0554)

Councilor MCCARTHY, on behalf of the Committee on City, Neighborhood Services and Veterans Affairs, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 0554, message of the Mayor and order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend funds of One Hundred Sixty-Five Thousand Dollars ($165,000.00) from contributions receive from individuals, organizations, and local and private businesses for the purposes of funding the English for New Bostonian Initiative, for Childhood Arrivals (DACA) and Deferred Action for Parental Accountability (DAPA) Community Project, and other crucial programs that enable New Bostonians to play an active role in the economic, civic and public understanding of the contributions of immigrants to full participants in Boston order for Annual Appropriation and Tax Order for FY2016 (referred March 25) - recommending the order be rejected without prejudice.

The report was accepted; the order was passed.

ORDER FOR HEARING REGARDING LANGUAGE ACCESS POLICY IN CITY OF BOSTON (DOCKET NO. 0351)

This matter which was recently heard for possible action was remanded back to the **Committee on City, Neighborhood Services and Veterans Affairs.**

REPORT ON ORDER AUTHORIZING CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND REIMBURSEMENTS UP TO AMOUNT OF $5,500,000 FROM VARIOUS GOVERNMENT AGENCIES INCLUDING FEDERAL EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY FOR EXPENSE CITY INCURRED RELATED TO JANUARY 26-28, 2015

BLIZZARD (DOCKET NO. 0953)

Councilor MURPHY, on behalf of the Committee on Public Safety, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 0953, message of the Mayor and order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend reimbursements up to the amount of Five Million Five Hundred Thousand Dollars ($5,500,000.00) , from various government agencies including the Federal Emergency Management Agency, for expense the City incurred related to the January 26-28, 2015 Blizzard (referred June 3) - recommending passage of the order.

The report was accepted; the order was passed.

RESOLUTION THAT CITY COUNCIL SUPPORTS PASSAGE OF HOUSE BILL 3508, ACT RELATIVE TO PROTECTION OF OPEN SPACES FILED BY REPRESENTATIVE DANIEL J. HUNT AND SENATOR LINDA DORCENA FORRY AND URGES LEGISLATURE TO ENACT PROPOSED PETITION (DOCKET NO. 1079)

Councilors BAKER, PRESSLEY, WU, MURPHY, MCCARTHY, LAMATTINA, FLAHERTY, CIOMMO, LINEHAN, ZAKIM, O'MALLEY and JACKSON offered the following:

WHEREAS: Studies have found that billboards have negative financial and economic impacts and there is a statistically significant correlation between real estate values and proximity to billboards; and

WHEREAS: A study of outdoor advertising in Philadelphia showed that properties located within 500 ft. of a billboard have a decreased real estate value of $30,867 and homes located further than 500 ft. but within a community where billboards are present experience a decrease in property value of $947.00 for every billboard in that community; and

WHEREAS: Research shows that African American neighborhoods have more total billboards than Caucasian neighborhoods; and

WHEREAS: Income for cities with strict sign controls is higher than that with non-strict controls and home vacancy and poverty rates for strict control cities are lower than that with non-strict controls; and

WHEREAS: Having strict sign controls does not negatively impact the economic prosperity of a city; and

WHEREAS: Properties located within 1,000 ft. of amenities such as bike paths and parks are associated with higher real estate values; and

WHEREAS: Legislation to protect open space by addressing the abundance of outdoor advertising in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts has been proposed by State Representative Daniel J. Hunt and State Senator Linda Dorcena Forry in a petition known as An Act relative to the protection of open spaces (House Bill 3508); and

WHEREAS: This Act includes four primary amendments: the establishment of a Massachusetts open space protection tax credit; the regulation of billboards located near public parks, areas listed on the national register of historic place, and open space; The limit which a single person my receive a permit or license to construct and maintain a billboard may not exceed 100; and that these regulations found in sections 29 to 31 and section 33 under Chapter 93 shall apply to the Massachusetts Bay Transportation Authority (MBTA); and

WHEREAS: The open space tax credit will allow businesses that agree to remove a billboard a tax credit, the total of which shall not exceed $50,000 in anyone tax year and shall be equal to 75 percent of the costs associated with removing the billboard, as well as up to 50 percent of the estimated net earnings lost due to the removal of the billboard; and

WHEREAS: The regulations included in this act require all future billboards to not be located within 500 feet of a public park, not obstruct the view of any location listed on the national register of historic places, and shall be restricted on particular premises as necessary to promote the protection of open space; and

WHEREAS: An Act relative to the protection of open spaces will greatly benefit the people of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and the City of Boston by providing a way to decrease the amount of billboards deemed to have a detrimental effect our neighborhoods and on open space; Therefore Be It

RESOLVED: That the Boston City Council supports the passage of House Bill 3508, An Act relative to the protection of open spaces a petition of Representative Daniel J. Hunt and Senator Linda Dorcena Forry and urges the Legislature to enact the proposed petition.

On motion of Councilor BAKER, the rules were suspended; the resolution was adopted.

ORDER FOR HEARING REGARDING FREE-STANDING SIDEWALK SIGNS (DOCKET NO. 1080)

Councilors FLAHERTY, WU, LAMATTINA, MCCARTHY, MURPHY, PRESSLEY, JACKSON, LINEHAN and O'MALLEY offered the following:

WHEREAS, City of Boston zoning code contains signage regulations that varies in different neighborhoods, business districts, and subdistricts; and,

WHEREAS, Free-standing signs, such as sandwich boards, serve as significant marketing tools for small and local businesses looking to attract customers; and,

WHEREAS, Small and local businesses play an important part in the economic vitality of the City of Boston; and,

WHEREAS, Cities and towns such as Portland, OR; Washington, DC; Baltimore, MD; and Lexington, MA issue permits for sandwich boards with certain conditions, such as size, content, and placement; NOW,

THEREFORE BE IT ORDERED, That the appropriate committee of the Boston City Council holds a hearing to examine the use of sandwich boards and free-standing sidewalk signs on the premises of small and local businesses in the City of Boston. Representatives from the Inspectional Services Department, Code Enforcement Division of Public Works, Boston Transportation Department, Department of Neighborhood Development, and other interested parties shall be invited to attend.

Referred to the Special Committee on Small Business, Entrepreneurship and Innovation.

RESOLUTION DESIGNATING MEMORIAL HERO SQUARE AT INTERSECTION OF MONUMENT STREET AND MONUMENT SQUARE IN CHARLESTOWN IN MEMORY OF JAMES M. CONNOLLY (DOCKET NO. 1081)

Councilor LAMATTINA offered the following:

WHEREAS: James M. Connolly was born in December 1921, lived on Monument St. Massachusetts; and

WHEREAS: Janles M. Connolly dutifully enlisted in the Army of the United States along with His Friend William J. Ryan; and

WHEREAS: The two friends jqined the Army together in January of 1944 during WWlI; and WHEREAS: James M. Connolly served with B company, 38Th infantry regime of the 2nd infantry Division; and

WHEREAS: During this time his regime successfully defended the Belgium town of Rocherath against the German 6th SS Division; and

WHEREAS: James M. Connolly was killed on December 21st 1944, and is buried at the at the Hellry~Chapelle American Cemetery in Belgium; Therefore be it

BE IT RESOLVED, That the Boston City Council, in recognition of the life of James M.Connolly and the ul-

timate sacrifice he made in the service of our country in WWII, hereby request that the City of Boston Veteran's services Department Coordinate the dedication of the memory of William 1. Ryan At the intersection of Monument Street and Monument Square in Charlestown.

On the motion of Councilor LaMattina, the rules were suspended; the resolution was adopted.

RESOLUTION DESIGNATING MEMORIAL HERO SQUARE AT INTERSECTION OF MONUMENT STREET AND MONUMENT SQUARE IN CHARLESTOWN IN MEMORY OF WILLIAM J. RYAN (DOCKET NO. 1082)

Councilor LAMATTINA offered the following:

WHEREAS: William J. Ryan was born in December 1921, lived on Monument St. Massachusetts;atld
WHEREAS: William J. Ryan dutifully enlisted in the Army of the United States along with his Friend James M. Connolly; and
WHEREAS: The two friends joined the Army together in January of 1944 during WWII; and WHEREAS: William J. Ryan was assigned to E company .10 Th infantry regime, 5th infantry Which was part ofihe 3rd Army under General Patton, and swept across France; and
WHEREAS: William J. Ryan was killed during an attack to the town of Poumoy-LA-Chevite In France, on September 20th 1944; and
WHEREAS: William J. Ryan is buried at the Lorraine American Cemetery at St. Avoid, France ; Therefore
BE IT RESOLVED, That the Boston City Council, in recognition of the life of William J. Ryan And the ultimate sacrifice he made in the service of our country in WWII Hereby request that the City of Boston Veteran's services department Coordinate the dedication of to the memory of William J. Ryan at the Intersection of Monument Street and Monument Square in Charlestown.

On the motion of Councilor LaMattina, the rules were suspended; the resolution was adopted.

RESOLUTION DESIGNATING MEMORIAL HERO SQUARE AT INTERSECTION OF VFW PARKWAY AND COREY STREET IN WEST ROXBURY IN MEMORY OF SOLOMON OVEN (DOCKET NO. 1083)

Councilor O'MALLEY offered the following:

WHEREAS: Solomon Oven was born on July 28th, 1922 to his mother Dora Oven in Boston, MA; and
WHEREAS: Solomon Oven resided at 5 Greenheys St in Roxbury, MA with his wife Ida Oven; and
WHEREAS: Solomon Oven began service in the United States Army on December 26th, 1942 and served in World War II as a Private; and
WHEREAS: Solomon Oven was tragically killed in action on February 14th, 1945 on the European front; and
WHEREAS: Solomon Oven was survived by many caring relatives, including his wife and his nephew, Michael Schwartz, along with many others; and
WHEREAS: Solomon Oven showed great valor by serving this country during World War; THEREFORE BE IT
RESOLVED: That the Boston City Council recognizes and remembers Solomon Oven the title of hero for his honorable service and sacrifice by dedicating the intersection of VFW Parkway and Corey Street in West Roxbury in his memory.

On the motion of Councilor O'Malley, the rules were suspended; the resolution was adopted.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES
(DOCKET NO. 1084)

Councilor LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, June 13, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday,September 11, 2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:

Ivon Alvarez	Secretary	$677.78	part time
Walter Apperwhite	Secretary	$2,038.48	full time
Jill Baker	Administrative Asst.	$769.24	part time
Andrew Baldizon	Secretary	$600.00	part time
Lee Blasi	Secretary	$2,653.86	full time
Justin Brown	Secretary	$1,576.94	full time
Katherine Carangelo	Secretary	$1,500.00	full time
Nicholas G. Carter	Secretary	$1,461.54	full time
Chelsey Cartwright	Secretary	$1,462.00	full time
Robyn Casper	Secretary	$1,634.62	full time
Alexander J. Chase	Secretary	$1,634.62	full time
Henry Cohen	Secretary	$1,923.08	full time
Amanda Curley	Secretary	$1,730.78	full time
Judith E. Evers	Secretary	$480.00	part time
Maria Farrell	Secretary	$600.00	part time
Lorraine Fowlkes	Secretary	$750.00	part time
Thomas Francis	Secretary	$769.22	part time
Jacqueline Franks	Secretary	$576.80	part time
Lynnette M. Frazier	Administrative Asst.	$2,461.54	full time
Amy Frigulietti	Administrative Asst.	$3,076.94	full time
Kamisha Green	Secretary	$432.00	part time
Mark Handley	Secretary	$2,711.56	full time
Patrick S. Harrington	Administrative Asst.	$673.08	part time
Shaikh Hasib	Secretary	$1,634.62	full time
Kyndal Henicke	Secretary	$1,692.32	full time
Camilo Hernandez	Secretary	$1,200.00	part time
James Jackson	Secretary	$1,078.00	full time
Tricia Kalayjian	Administrative Asst.	$576.94	part time
John F. Kelly	Secretary	$2,000.00	full time
Janet L. Knott	Administrative Asst.	$2,115.40	full time
Addison Koelle	Secretary	$1,615.40	full time
Berdadette Lally	Administrative Asst.	$2,000.00	part time
Maria Lanza	Secretary	$576.94	part time
Herby Lindor	Secretary	$840.00	part time
William MacGregor	Secretary	$2,423.08	full time
Stephen Maguire	Secretary	$1,653.86	full time
Thomas M. McDonough	Administrative Asst.	$2,461.54	full time
Joseph M. McEachern	Secretary	$769.24	part time
Jennifer McGivern	Secretary	$250.00	part time
Samuel Miller	Secretary	$1,076.00	full time
Arthur A. Natella	Secretary	$1,653.86	full time
Deborah O'Leary	Secretary	$1,750.02	full time
Daniel Polanco	Administrative Asst.	$1,403.86	full time
Robert E. Powers	Secretary	$2,884.62	full time
Nichelle Nicole Purvis	Secretary	$1,346.16	full time
Nichelle Sadler	Secretary	$2,730.78	full time
Christina Scialoia	Secretary	$672.00	part time

Daniel Sibor	Administrative Asst.	$2,615.40	full time
Mohona Siddique	Secretary	$1,692.31	full time
Michael A. Sinatra	Secretary	$1,700.00	full time
Vatsady Sivongxay	Secretary	$1,961.54	full time
Hannah Smith	Administrative Asst.	$1,846.16	full time
Ryan Spitz	Administrative Asst.	$2,403.86	full time
Elizabeth Sullivan	Secretary	$2,807.70	full time
Paul Sullivan	Secretary	$692.32	part time
James Sutherland	Secretary	$900.00	part time
Jessica A. Taubner	Secretary	$2,318.00	full time
Lori Toscano	Secretary	$480.00	part time
David Vittorini	Secretary	$1,923.08	full time
Joseph T. Walsh	Secretary	$1,423.10	full time
Sophia Wang	Secretary	$1,538.46	full time
Gary Webster	Secretary	$1,923.08	full time
Eric White	Administrative Asst.	$1,540.00	full time
Vernee Wilkinson	Secretary	$300.00	part time
Kenneth W. Yarbrough	Secretary	$1,730.78	full time
Ron Cobb	City Messenger & Senior Legislative Asst.	$2,255.78	full time
Daisy De La Rosa	Central Staff Director	$3,334.62	full time
Kerry Jordan	Television Operations & Technology Manager	$2,451.94	full time
Juan Lopez	Research & Policy Director	$2,667.68	full time
Rachel Lake	Administrative & Technical Asst.	$1,538.48	full time
Cora F. Montrond	Senior Legislative Asst. & Budget Analyst	$2,255.78	full time
Christine O'Donnell	Compliance Director & Staff Counsel	$3,202.02	full time
Lorraine Schettino	Office Manager	$1,936.04	full time
Daniel Shea	Legislative Assistant	$1,883.06	full time
Kathleen Sullivan	Director of Legislative Budget Analysis	$3,315.00	full time
Yuleidy Valdez	Business Manager	$2,412.70	full time
Corinne Walsh	Senior Legislative Asst. & Budget Analyst	$2,157.70	full time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES
(DOCKET NO. 1085)

Councilor LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, June 13, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, June 19, 2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:

John Allison, Secretary, $1,133.47, full time
James W. Chan, Secretary, $2,148.08, full time
Elaine M. Cloherty, Secretary, $1,961.54, part time
Jared Hogan, Secretary, $544.24, part time
Kara Nagle, Secretary, $1,133.47, full time
John Ulrich, Administrative Asst., $1,488.47, full time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES
(DOCKET NO. 1086)

Councilor LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, June 20, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, September 11, 2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:

John Allison, Secretary, $1,266.94, full time
James W. Chan, Secretary, $2,296.16, full time
Elaine M. Cloherty, Secretary, $1,923.08, part time
Jared Hogan, Secretary, $488.48, part time
Kara Nagle, Secretary, $1,266.94, full time
John Ulrich, Administrative Asst., $1,976.94, full time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

LATE-FILED MATTERS

The Chair stated that in absence of objection, two late-filed matters would be added to the Agenda.

No objection being heard, the following matters were added:

COMMUNICATION FROM COUNCILOR CHARLES YANCEY REGARDING HIS ABSENCE FROM BOSTON CITY COUNCIL MEETING ON WEDNESDAY, JUNE 17, 2015 AT 12:00 P.M. (DOCKET NO. 1113)

Communication was received from Councilor Charles Yancey regarding his absence from the Boston City Council meeting on Wednesday, June 17, 2015 at 12:00 p.m.

Placed on file.

RESOLUTION THAT CITY RECOGNIZES SOLID WASTE WORKERS CONTRACTED BY CITY CURRENTLY REPRESENTED BY TEAMSTERS LOCAL 25 (DOCKET NO. 1114)

Councilors FLAHERTY, BAKER, CIOMMO, LAMATTINA, MCCARTHY, MURPHY, O'MALLEY, PRESSLEY, WU and JACKSON offered the following:

WHEREAS The City recognizes that Solid Waste Workers contracted by the City of Boston are currently represented by Teamsters Local 25; and,

WHEREAS, The City recognizes that the Collective Bargaining Agreement with Teamsters Local 25 and the Solid Waste Vendors currently servicing the City of Boston serves as the Area Standard for the entire Solid Waste Industry; and,

WHEREAS, There are approximately 350 Solid Waste Industry Workers currently employed in the Solid Waste Industry who are represented by Teamsters Local 25, many of whom live in the City of Boston; and,

WHEREAS, The Massachusetts Department of Labor Standards recognizes the Collective Bargaining Agreements negotiated by Teamsters Local 25 when setting Area Standards for Massachusetts Municipalities including the City of Boston; and,

WHEREAS, The Boston Public Schools failed to recognize Area Standards when selecting a vendor to pick up Solid Waste for the Boston Public Schools thereby undermining the wages and other economic benefits enjoyed by Teamsters Local 25 members. Therefore be it

RESOLVED, That the Boston City Council recognizes and respects the Area Standards set by Teamsters Local 25 and calls on the Boston Public Schools to do the same when selecting a vendor to pick up Solid Waste for the Boston Public Schools.

On motion of Councilor FLAHERTY, the rules were suspended; the resolution was adopted.

STATEMENT OF COUNCILOR LAMATTINA

Councilor LAMATTINA wanted to acknowledge Bunker Hill Day and those that lost their lives there for freedom. He wanted also to thank the Charlestown community for their love for this day and keeping it a special day for them.

CONSENT AGENDA

The Chair moved adoption of a Consent Agenda in which the following-named Councilors offered resolutions of a condolence or Congratulatory nature as set forth after each Councilor's name:

Councilor McCarthy: Recognizing Matthew Arsenault (Docket No. 1087) Recognizing Nicholas Arsenault (Docket No. 1088)

Councilor Ciommo: In memory of Barbara E. Connolly (Docket No.1 089)

Councilor Flaherty: In memory of Ignacio Javier Farias Osorio (Docket No. 1090) Congratulating Freddy E. Urena (Docket No. 1091)

Councilor Wu: Congratulating Sgt. Hemenegildo M. Martinez, Jr. (Docket No. 1092) Congratulating the Greater Boston Chinese Golden Age Senior Center on its Parents' Day and June Birthdays Celebration (Docket No. 1093)

Councilor Ciommo: Congratulating nine people for being the recipients of the 2015 Allston-Brighton Unsung Heroes Award (Docket No. 1094)

Councilor Yancey: Recognizing sixteen members of the Lily of the Valley Baptist Church (Docket No. 1095) Recognizing Bishop Harold Branch (Docket No. 1096) Recognizing eleven people for their participation in the 2015 Senior Arts and Smarts program (Docket No. 1097) Recognizing six people for their dedicated service to the community through their membership with the Spirit Gospel Singers (Docket No. 1098)

Councilor LaMattina: Whereas City Councilor LaMattina does hereby proclaim BOSTON TANGO WEEK (Docket No. 1099) Recognizing Robert" Bob" O'Toole (Docket No. 1100) Recognizing Emmanuel "Gus" Serra (Docket No. 1101)

Councilor O'Malley: Recognizing Salcedo Auto Center (Docket No. 1102)

Councilor Wu: Recognizing ten people for their participation in the International Domino Tournament in Boston "Viva Mass Domino 2015" (Docket No. 1103)

Councilor Flaherty: In memory of Maren R. Beauchesne (Docket No. 1104)

Councilor O'Malley: Recognizing Betty McDougall

for 42 years as a school crossing guard and ensuring the safety of the city's children. The City of Boston declares June 19,2015 as Betty McDougall Day (Docket No. 1105)

Councilor Jackson: Recognizing Charlene Carroll (Docket No. 1106)

Councilor O'Malley: Congratulating Declan J. Lane (Docket No. 1107)

Councilor Yancey: In memory of Hattie Rebecca Willis Morrissette (Docket No. 1108)

Councilor O'Malley: Congratulating Alex Poniatowski (Docket No. 1109) Congratulating Chris Broderick (Docket No. 1110)

Councilor Yancey: Declaring June 21, 2015 as Minister Jay Caldwell & The Gospel Ambassadors Day in the City of Boston (Docket No. 1111)

Councilors Murphy and Flaherty: Congratulating Margaret Collins (Docket No. 1112)

The Chair stated that in the absence of objection, twelve late-filed matters would be added to the Consent Agenda.

No objection being heard, the following matters were added:

Councilor LaMattina: In memory of Geneoffa Bruno (Docket No. 1115)

Councilor Flaherty: In memory of George V. "Lefty" Menjin, Sr. (Docket No. 1116)

Councilor Linehan: In memory of John F. "Jack" Shea (Docket No. 1117)

Councilor LaMattina: Congratulating Elder Service Plan (Docket No. 1118))

Councilor Yancey: In memory of Vivienne Constance Cornwall (Docket No. 1119) In memory of Jonathan Dos Santos (Docket No. 1120)

Councilor Murphy: Congratulating John F. Kennedy Innovation School (Docket No. 1121 Congratulating Violet Britton (Docket No. 1122;

Councilor O'Malley: Congratulating Richard Gormley (Docket No. 1123) In memory of Margaret "Peg" Murray (Docket No. 1124) Congratulating Martin Bligh (Docket No. 1125)

Councilor Murphy: In memory of Donald A. MacLean (Docket No. 1126)

The matters contained within the Consent Agenda were severally adopted.

NEXT MEETING

Adjourned at 1:28 p.m. on motion of President Linehan and in memory of Barbara E. Connolly, Maureen Beauchesne, Ignacio Javier Farias Osorio, Genoeffa Bruno, Hattie Rebecca Morrissette, Dominic D'Ambrosio, George V. "Lefty" Menjin, Sr., Anna C. Roberts, John "Jack" Shea, Donald A. MacLean, Margaret Murray, Vivienne Cornwall and Jonathan Dos Santos, to meet again on Wednesday, June 24, 2015 at 12:00 p.m.

Note: All debate of City Council eliminated from proceedings in accordance with Chapter 447, Acts of 1947.

CITY OF BOSTON

Proceedings of the Boston City Council

Wednesday, June 24, 2015

Regular meeting of the City Council held in the Christopher A. Iannella Chamber, City Hall, at 12:15 p.m. President Linehan in the Chair.

INVOCATION

Father John Ahern, St. Peter Parish, delivered the invocation, and the meeting was opened with the pledge of allegiance to the flag.

STATEMENT OF PRESIDENT LINEHAN

President LINEHAN moved to adopt the minutes from the June 17, 2015 meeting. **Motion prevailed.**

APPOINTMENT BY THE MAYOR
(DOCKET NO. 1127)

Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of Jessica Seney, as a member of the Living Wage Advisory Committee, with a term expiring June 11, 2018.

Placed on file.

NOTICE RECEIVED FROM CITY CLERK IN ACCORDANCE WITH CHAPTER 6 OF ORDINANCES OF 1979 RE: ACTIONS TAKEN BY MAYOR ON PAPERS ACTED UPON BY CITY COUNCIL AT ITS 6-3-2015 MEETING (DOCKET NO. 1128)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the City Clerk

June 22, 2015

To the City Council.
Councilors:

In accordance with Chapter 6 of the Ordinances of 1979, I hereby notify you of the following actions taken by the Mayor with regard to the papers acted upon by the City Council at its meeting of June 3, 2015 viz.

0645 Order authorizing the Transportation Department to accept and expend a grant of Fifty One Thousand Seven Hundred and Sixty Dollars ($51,760.00).
Approved by the Mayor June 8, 2015

0856 Order approving an appropriation of One Million One Hundred Thousand Dollars ($1,100,000.00) from the income of the George Francis Parkman Fund for the maintenance and improvement of the Boston Common and Parks.
Approved by the Mayor June 8, 2015

0909 Order authorizing the City of Boston's Office of Economic Development to accept and expend a grant of One Million Five Hundred , Dollars, ($1,500,000.00) from the Economic Development and Industrial Corporation, for the purpose of supporting the operational needs of the City of Boston's Office of Economic Development.
Approved by the Mayor June 8, 2015

0955 Order authorizing the City of Boston Fire Department to accept and expend funds donated by the Last Call Foundation in an amount not to exceed One Hundred Fifty Two Thousand Dollars ($152,000.00) to purchase and install industrial washing machine for the cleaning of bunker gear at eleven (11) designated fire houses.
Approved by the Mayor June 8, 2015

0956 Order authorizing the Police Commissioner to accept and expend Seventy-Seven Thousand Four Hundred Seven Dollars and Fifty Cents ($77,407.50) in award funding under the Crash Data Reporting System program awarded by the US Department of Transportation and passed through the Massachusetts Department of Transportation for the purpose of participating in the development of a new statewide crash data reporting system.
Approved by the Mayor June 8, 2015

0959 The Constable Bond of Nicola, Tritta, Holsen Borgella, Martin Richardson, Sean Alexander, Krista Long and Gabriel Azubuike having been duly approved by the Collector-Treasurer, were received and approved.
Approved by the Mayor June 8, 2015

Respectfully,
Maureen Feeney,
City Clerk.

Placed on file.

ABSENCE OF THE MAYOR
(DOCKET NO. 1129)

Notice was received from the Mayor of his absence from the City from Friday, June 19, 2015 until Tuesday, June 23, 2015.

Placed on file.

COMMUNICATION RECEIVED FROM TIMOTHY J. SMYTH, EXECUTIVE OFFICER OF BOSTON RETIREMENT BOARD, ON UNANIMOUS VOTE TO GRANT COST-OF-LIVING ADJUSTMENT OF 3% ON FIRST $13,000.00 OF PENSION BENEFITS FOR FISCAL YEAR 2016 (DOCKET NO. 1130)

Communication was received from Timothy J. Smyth, Executive Officer of the Boston Retirement Board, on the unanimous vote to grant a Cost-of-Living Adjustment of 3% on the first $13,000.00 of pension benefits for fiscal year 2016.

Placed on file.

ORDER FOR HEARING REGARDING CONCURRENT JURISDICTION OF MASSACHUSETTS PORT AUTHORITY CONTROLLED PROPERTIES LOCATED WITHIN THE CITY (DOCKET NO. 1035)

This matter which was recently heard for possible action was remanded back to the **Committee on Public Safety.**

REPORT ON ORDER FOR ANNUAL APPROPRIATION AND TAX ORDER FOR FY2016 (DOCKET NO. 1068)

Councilor CIOMMO, on behalf of the Committee on Ways and Means, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 1068, message of the Mayor

and order for Annual Appropriation and Tax Order for FY2016 (referred June 17) - recommending passage of the order.

The report was accepted; the order was passed: yeas 12, nays 1:

Yeas - Councilors Baker, Ciommo, Flaherty, Jackson, LaMattina, Linehan, McCarthy, Murphy, O'Malley, Pressley, Wu, Zakim - 12.

Nays - Councilor Yancey - 1.

ORDER FOR ANNUAL APPROPRIATION FOR SCHOOL DEPARTMENT FOR FY2016 (DOCKET NO. 1069)

Councilor CIOMMO, on behalf of the Committee on Ways and Means, submitted the following: Report on Docket No. 1069, message of the Mayor and order for the School Department for FY2016 (referred June 17) - recommending passage of the order.

The report was accepted; the order was passed: yeas 12, nays 1:

Yeas - Councilors Baker, Ciommo, Flaherty, Jackson, LaMattina, Linehan, McCarthy, Murphy, O'Malley, Pressley, Wu, Zakim -12.

Nays - Councilor Yancey - 1.

ORDER APPROVING APPROPRIATION OF $40,000,000 TO OTHER POST-EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS (OPEB) LIABILITY TRUST FUND ESTABLISHED UNDER SECTION 20 OF MASSACHUSETTS GENERAL LAW CHAPTER 32B (DOCKET NO. 1070)

Report on Docket No. 1070, message of the Mayor and order approving an appropriation of Forty Million Dollars ($40,000,000.00) to the Other Post-Employment Benefits (OPEB) Liability Trust Fund established under Section 20 of Massachusetts General Law Chapter 32B (referred June 17) - recommending passage of the order.

The report was accepted the order was passed: yeas 13.

ORDER AUTHORIZING CITY TO ENTER INTO ONE OR MORE LEASE, LEASE-PURCHASE OR INSTALLMENT SALES AGREEMENTS IN FY2016 IN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED $26,900,000 FOR VARIOUS CITY DEPARTMENTS FOR ACQUISITION OF EQUIPMENT IN FURTHERANCE OF THEIR RESPECTIVE GOVERNMENTAL FUNCTIONS (DOCKET NO. 0665)

Councilor CIOMMO called Docket No. 0665 from the Assignment Sheet.

No objection being heard, the matter was before the body.

On motion of Councilor CIOMMO, Docket No. 0665 was given its second reading and final Passage; yeas 13.

ORDER AMENDING APPROPRIATION ORDER THAT WOULD RAISE AMOUNT FROM $2,020,000 TO $3,030,000 FOR PURPOSE OF FINANCING COST OF V ARIOUS CAPITAL PROJECTS PER" YOUTH BUDGET" PROJECT ADMINISTERED BY BOSTON CENTER FOR YOUTH AND FAMILIES (DOCKET NO. 0666)

Councilor CIOMMO called Docket No. 0666 from the Assignment Sheet.

No objection being heard, the matter was before the body.

On motion of Councilor CIOMMO, Docket No. 0666 was given its second reading and final Passage; yeas 13.

ORDER FOR LOAN OF $40,525,000 FOR REMODELING, RECONSTRUCTING, OR MAKING EXTRAORDINARY REPAIRS TO PUBLIC BUILDINGS OWNED BY CITY, INCLUDING ORIGINAL EQUIPMENT, FURNISHINGS AND LANDSCAPING, PAVING AND OTHER SITE IMPROVEMENTS INCIDENTAL OR DIRECTLY RELATED TO SUCH REMODELING, RECONSTRUCTION OF REPAIR; AND/OR FOR ENERGY CONSERVATION, ALTERNATIVE ENERGY OR RENEWABLE ENERGY IMPROVEMENTS TO PUBLIC BUILDINGS OR FACILITIES, AND/OR FOR COST OF DEPARTMENTAL EQUIPMENT; AND/OR FOR COST OF ENGINEERING OR ARCHITECTURAL SERVICES FOR PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS, FOR PURPOSE OF VARIOUS CITY DEPARTMENT INCLUDING BOSTON CENTER FOR YOUTH AND FAMILY, BOSTON REDEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY, ENVIRONMENT, FIRE, LIBRARY, NEIGHBORHOOD DEVELOPMENT, POLICE, PROPERTY AND CONSTRUCTION MANAGEMENT, PUBLIC HEALTH COMMISSION AND TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT (DOCKET NO. 0667)

Councilor CIOMMO called Docket No. 0667 from the Assignment Sheet.

No objection being heard, the matter was before the body.

On motion of Councilor CIOMMO, Docket No. 0667 was given its second reading and final Passage; yeas 13.

ORDER FOR LOAN FOR $5,825,000 IN AID OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND INDUSTRIAL CORPORATION AND BOSTON REDEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY (DOCKET NO. 0668)

Councilor CIOMMO called Docket No. 0668 from the Assignment Sheet.

No objection being heard, the matter was before the body.

On motion of Councilor CIOMMO, Docket No. 0668 was given its second reading and final Passage; yeas 12; nays 1.

Yeas - Councilors Baker, Ciommo, Flaherty, Jackson, LaMattina, Linehan, Murphy, O'Malley, Pressley, Wu, Zakim - 12.

Nays - Councilor Yancey - 1.

ORDER FOR LOAN OF $460,000 IN AID OF BOSTON REDEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY FOR DEFRAYING SUCH PART OF COST OF DEVELOPMENT, RENOVATION, MODERNIZATION, ACQUISITION, PURCHASE AND CERTAIN OPERATIONS RELATIVE TO URBAN RENEWAL CHARLESTOWN NAVY YARD PROJECT (DOCKET NO. 0669)

Councilor CIOMMO called Docket No. 0669 from the

Assignment Sheet.

No objection being heard, the matter was before the body.

On motion of Councilor CIOMMO, Docket No. 0669 was given its second reading and final Passage; yeas 12; nays 1.

Yeas - Councilors Baker, Ciommo, Flaherty, Jackson, LaMattina, Linehan, Murphy, O'Malley, Pressley, Wu, Zakim - 12.

Nays - Councilor Yancey - 1.

ORDER FOR LOAN IN AMOUNT OF $21,555,000 FOR DEVELOPMENT, DESIGN, PURCHASE AND INSTALLATION OF COMPUTERS HARDWARE, OTHER DATA PROCESSING EQUIPMENT AND COMPUTER ASSISTED INTEGRATED FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT AND ACCOUNTING SYSTEMS; AND IOR FOR DEVELOPMENT, DESIGN AND PURCHASE OF COMPUTER SOFTWARE INCIDENT TO PURCHASE, INSTALLATION OR OPERATION OF COMPUTER HARDWARE, OTHER DATA PROCESSING EQUIPMENT AND COMPUTER ASSISTED INTEGRATED FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT AND ACCOUNTING SYSTEMS; AND/OR FOR COST OF DEPARTMENTAL EQUIPMENT, FOR PURPOSE OF VARIOUS CITY DEPARTMENTS INCLUDING DEPARTMENT OF INNOVATION AND TECHNOLOGY AND SCHOOL DEPARTMENT (DOCKET NO. 0670)

Councilor CIOMMO called Docket No. 0670 from the Assignment Sheet.

No objection being heard, the matter was before the body.

On motion of Councilor CIOMMO, Docket No. 0670 was given its second reading and final Passage; yeas 12; nays 1.

Yeas - Councilors Baker, Ciommo, Flaherty, Jackson, LaMattina, Linehan, Murphy, O'Malley, Pressley, Wu, Zakim - 12.

Nays - Councilor Yancey - 1.

ORDER FOR LOAN OF $4,800,000 FOR ACQUIRING LAND, OR INTERESTS THEREIN, FOR ANY PURPOSE FOR WHICH CITY IS OR MAY HEREAFTER BE AUTHORIZED TO ACQUIRE LAND OR INTERESTS THEREIN; NOT OTHERWISE SPECIFICALLY PROVIDED FOR; AND FOR CONSTRUCTION OF BUILDINGS, OR FOR ADDITIONS TO SUCH BUILDINGS WHERE SUCH ADDITIONS INCREASE FLOOR SPACE OF SAID BUILDINGS, INCLUDING COST OF ORIGINAL EQUIPMENT AND FURNISHINGS OF SAID BUILDINGS OR ADDITIONS; AND/OR FOR REMODELING, RECONSTRUCTING, OR MAKING EXTRAORDINARY REPAIRS TO PUBLIC BUILDINGS OWNED BY CITY, INCLUDING ORIGINAL EQUIPMENT, FURNISHINGS AND LANDSCAPING, PAVING AND OTHER SITE IMPROVEMENTS INCIDENTAL OR DIRECTLY RELATED TO SUCH REMODELING, RECONSTRUCTION OR REPAIR; AND/OR FOR COST OF ENGINEERING OR ARCHITECTURAL SERVICES FOR PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS, FOR PURPOSES OF VARIOUS CITY DEPARTMENTS INCLUDING FIRE AND POLICE DEPARTMENTS AND PUBLIC HEALTH COMMISSION (DOCKET NO. 0671)

Councilor CIOMMO called Docket No. 0671 from the Assignment Sheet.

No objection being heard, the matter was before the body.

On motion of Councilor CIOMMO, Docket No. 0671 was given its second reading and final Passage; yeas 13.

ORDER FOR LOAN OF $1,210,000 FOR COST OF DEPARTMENTAL EQUIPMENT FOR PURPOSE OF VARIOUS CITY DEPARTMENTS INCLUDING FIRE DEPARTMENT (DOCKET NO. 0672)

Councilor CIOMMO called Docket No. 0672from the Assignment Sheet.

No objection being heard, the matter was before the body.

On motion of Councilor CIOMMO, Docket No. 0672 was given its second reading and final Passage; yeas 13.

ORDER FOR LOAN OF $13,500,000 FOR CONSTRUCTION OF MUNICIPAL OUTDOOR AND RECREATIONAL ATHLETIC FACILITIES, INCLUDING ACQUISITION AND DEVELOPMENT OF LAND AND CONSTRUCTION AND RECONSTRUCTION FOR FACILITIES; AND/OR FOR DEVELOPING LAND FOR BURIAL PURPOSES AND FOR CONSTRUCTING PATHS AND AVENUES EMBELLISHING GROUNDS IN CITY-OWNED CEMETERIES; AND/OR FOR COST OF ENGINEERING OR ARCIDTECTURAL SERVICES FOR PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS; AND/OR FOR REMODELING, RECONSTRUCTING, OR MAKING EXTRAORDINARY REPAIRS TO PUBLIC BUILDINGS OWNED BY CITY, INCLUDING ORIGINAL EQUIPMENT, FURNISHINGS AND LANDSCAPING, PAVING AND OTHER SITE IMPROVEMENTS INCIDENTAL OR DIRECTLY RELATED TO SUCH REMODELING, RECONSTRUCTION OR REPAIRS; AND/OR FOR ACQUIRING LAND, OR INTERESTS THEREIN, FOR ANY PURPOSE FOR WHICH CITY IS OR MAY HEREAFTER BE AUTHORIZED TO ACQUIRE LAND OR INTERESTS THEREIN, NOT OTHERWISE SPECIFICALLY PROVIDED FOR; AND FOR CONSTRUCTION OF BUILDINGS, OR FOR ADDITIONS TO SUCH BUILDINGS WHERE SUCH ADDITIONS INCREASE FLOOR SPACE OF SAID BUILDINGS, INCLUDING COST OF ORIGINAL EQUIPMENT AND FURNISIDNGS OF SAID BUILDING OR ADDITIONS, FOR PURPOSES OF VARIOUS CITY DEPARTMENTS INCLUDING PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT AND SCHOOL DEPARTMENTS (DOCKET NO. 0673)

Councilor CIOMMO called Docket No. 0673 from the Assignment Sheet.

No objection being heard, the matter was before the body.

On motion of Councilor CIOMMO, Docket No. 0673 was given its second reading and final Passage; yeas 13.

ORDER AMENDING APPROPRIATION ORDER THAT WOULD RAISE AMOUNT FROM $1,415,000 TO $2,125,000 FOR PURPOSE OF

PLANTING SHADE TREES, PLANNING, DESIGNING, ACQUIRING LAND FOR, CONSTRUCTING AND ORIGINALLY EQUIPPING STRUCTURES AND FACILITIES AUTHORIZED TO CONSTRUCT, AND FOR REMODELING, RECONSTRUCTING OR MAKING MAJOR ALTERATIONS, ADDITIONS AND REPAIRS TO EXISTING FACILITIES INCLUDING ORIGINAL EQUIPMENT AND LANDSCAPING, PAVING AND OTHER SITE IMPROVEMENTS INCIDENTALS OR DIRECTLY RELATED TO SUCH REMODELING, RECONSTRUCTION OR REPAIR FOR PURPOSE OF VARIOUS CITY DEPARTMENTS INCLUDING PARKS AND RECREATIONS DEPARTMENT (DOCKET NO. 0674)

Councilor CIOMMO called Docket No. 0674 from the Assignment Sheet.

No objection being heard, the matter was before the body.

On motion of Councilor CIOMMO, Docket No. 0674 was given its second reading and final Passage; yeas 13.

ORDER FOR LOAN IN AMOUNT OF $10,100,000 FOR POLICE COMMUNICATION INSTALLATIONS, AND FOR PURPOSE OF EXTENDING AND IMPROVING SUCH INSTALLATIONS; AND/OR FOR COST OF DEPARTMENTAL EQUIPMENT; AND/OR FOR COST OF ENGINEERING OR ARCHITECTURAL SERVICES FOR PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS; AND/OR FOR REMODELING, RECONSTRUCTING, OR MAKING EXTRAORDINARY REPAIRS TO PUBLIC BUILDINGS OWNED BY CITY, INCLUDING ORIGINAL EQUIPMENT, FURNISHINGS AND LANDSCAPING, PAVING AND OTHER SITE IMPROVEMENTS INCIDENTAL OR DIRECTLY RELATED TO SUCH REMODELING, RECONSTRUCTION OR REPAIR, FOR PURPOSES OF VARIOUS CITY DEPARTMENTS INCLUDING POLICE DEPARTMENT (DOCKET NO. 0675)

Councilor CIOMMO called Docket No. 0675 from the Assignment Sheet.

No objection being heard, the matter was before the body.

On motion of Councilor CIOMMO, Docket No. 0675 was given its second reading and final Passage; yeas 13.

ORDER FOR LOAN IN AMOUNT OF $20,995,000 FOR ORIGINAL CONSTRUCTION OF PUBLIC WAYS OR EXTENSION OR WIDENING THEREOF, INCLUDING LAND DAMAGES AND COST OF PAVEMENT AND SIDEWALKS LAID AT TIME OF SAID CONSTRUCTION, OR FOR CONSTRUCTION OF STONE, BLOCK, BRICK, CEMENT CONCRETE, BITUMINOUS CONCRETE, BITUMINOUS MACADAM OR OTHER PERMANENT PAVEMENT OF SIMILAR LASTING CHARACTER, OR FOR ORIGINAL CONSTRUCTION, SURFACING OR RESURFACING OF MUNICIPALLY OWNED AND OPERATED OFF-STREET PARKING AREAS; AND/OR FOR CONSTRUCTION OF SIDEWALKS OF BRICK, BITUMINOUS CONCRETE, STONE OR CONCRETE, INSTALLING MACADAM PAVEMENT OR OTHER ROAD MATERIAL, FOR RESURFACING MUNICIPALLY OWNED AND OPERATED OFF-STREET PARKING AREAS WITH PAVEMENT OR OTHER ROAD MATERIAL; AND/OR FOR COST OF ENGINEERING OR ARCHITECTURAL SERVICES FOR PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS; AND/OR FOR TRAFFIC SIGNAL OR PUBLIC LIGHTING INSTALLATIONS, FOR PURPOSES OF VARIOUS CITY DEPARTMENTS INCLUDING PUBLIC WORKS AND TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENTS (DOCKET NO. 0676)

Councilor CIOMMO called Docket No. 0676 from the Assignment Sheet.

No objection being heard, the matter was before the body.

On motion of Councilor CIOMMO, Docket No. 0676 was given its second reading and final Passage; yeas 13.

ORDER FOR LOAN IN AMOUNT OF $6,510,000 FOR ACQUIRING LAND OR INTERESTS THEREIN, FOR ANY PURPOSE FOR WHICH CITY IS OR MAY HEREAFTER BE AUTHORIZED TO ACQUIRE LAND OR INTERESTS THEREIN, NOT OTHERWISE SPECIFICALLY PROVIDED FOR; AND FOR CONSTRUCTION OF BUILDINGS, OR FOR ADDITIONS TO SUCH BUILDINGS WHERE SUCH ADDITIONS INCREASE FLOOR SPACE OF SAID BUILDINGS, INCLUDING COST OF ORIGINAL EQUIPMENT AND FURNISHINGS OF SAID BUILDINGS OR ADDITIONS; AND/OR FOR REMODELING, RECONSTRUCTING, OR MAKING EXTRAORDINARY REPAIRS TO PUBLIC BUILDINGS OWNED BY CITY, INCLUDING ORIGINAL EQUIPMENT, FURNISHINGS AND LANDSCAPING, PAVING AND OTHER SITE IMPROVEMENTS INCIDENTAL OR DIRECTLY RELATED TO SUCH REMODELING, RECONSTRUCTION OR REPAIR; AND/OR FOR COST OF ENGINEERING OR ARCHITECTURAL SERVICES FOR PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS; AND/OR FOR FIRE ALARM OR POLICE COMMUNICATION INSTALLATIONS, FOR PURPOSES OF VARIOUS CITY DEPARTMENTS INCLUDING SCHOOL DEPARTMENT (DOCKET NO. 0677)

Councilor CIOMMO called Docket No. 0677 from the Assignment Sheet.

No objection being heard, the matter was before the body.

On motion of Councilor CIOMMO, Docket No. 0677 was given its second reading and final Passage; yeas 13.

ORDER FOR LOAN IN AMOUNT OF $1,600,000 FOR PURPOSE OF PAYING COSTS OF FEASIBILITY STUDY AND SCHEMATIC DESIGN WORK ASSOCIATED WITH RENOVATION OF AND ADDITION TO CARTER DEVELOPMENT CENTER, LOCATED AT 396 NORTHAMPTON STREET, BOSTON, MA (THE "PROJECT"), INCLUDING PAYMENT OF ALL COSTS INCIDENTAL OR RELATED THERETO, AND FOR WHICH CITY OF BOSTON MAYBE ELIGIBLE FOR GRANT FROM MASSACHUSETTS SCHOOL BUILDING AUTHORITY ("MSBA"), SAID AMOUNT TO BE EXPENDED UNDER DIRECTION OF PUBLIC FACILITIES DEPARTMENT ON BEHALF OF BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS; AND IF CITY IS NOT ELIGIBLE FOR GRANT FROM MSBA FOR THIS PROJECT, SAID AMOUNT MAYBE EXPENDED FOR SUCH FEASIBILITY STUDY, SCHEMATIC DESIGN, INCLUDING RENOVATION OF AND ADDITION TO CARTER DEVEL-

OPMENT CENTER AND PAYMENT OF ALL COSTS INCIDENTAL OR RELATED THERETO (DOCKET NO. 0678)

Councilor CIOMMO called Docket No. 0678 from the Assignment Sheet.

No objection being heard, the matter was before the body.

On motion of Councilor CIOMMO, Docket No. 0678 was given its second reading and final Passage; yeas 13.

ORDER FOR LOAN IN AMOUNT OF $23,430,000 FOR CONSTRUCTING OR RECONSTRUCTING BRIDGES OF STONE OR OF IRON SUPERSTRUCTURE; AND/OR FOR COST OF ENGINEERING OR ARCHITECTURAL SERVICES FOR PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS, FOR PURPOSES OF VARIOUS CITY DEPARTMENTS INCLUDING PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (DOCKET NO. 0679)

Councilor CIOMMO called Docket No. 0679 from the Assignment Sheet.

No objection being heard, the matter was before the body.

On motion of Councilor CIOMMO, Docket No. 0679 was given its second reading and final Passage; yeas 13.

ORDER FOR LOAN AUTHORIZING CITY OF BOSTON TO APPROPRIATE AMOUNT OF $6,500,000 FROM CITY'S CAPITAL GRANT FUND IN ORDER TO PROVIDE FUNDING FOR STREET RULE BOOK PROJECT AND NEW PARKING METER AND MANAGEMENT SYSTEM TO BE MANAGED BY BOSTON TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT ("BTD"). FUNDS SHALL BE CREDITED TO CAPITAL GRANT FUND FROM PARKING METER FUND (DOCKET NO. 0680)

Councilor CIOMMO called Docket No. 0680 from the Assignment Sheet.

No objection being heard, the matter was before the body.

On motion of Councilor CIOMMO, Docket No. 0680 was given its second reading and final Passage; yeas 13.

ORDER APPROVING APPROPRIATION OF $600,000 FOR PURPOSE OF PAYING COST OF FEASIBILITY STUDY AND SCHEMATIC DESIGN WORK ASSOCIATED WITH WINDOW I DOOR REPLACEMENT PROJECTS AT FOLLOWING SCHOOLS: YOUNG ACHIEVERS SCIENCE AND MATH, COMMUNITY ACADEMY OF SCIENCE AND HEALTH, TECHBOSTON ACADEMY, ELLIS SCHOOL, MCKAY SCHOOL, CURLEY SCHOOL AND SUMNER SCHOOL. UPON COMPLETION OF TH FEASIBILITY STUDY, CITY OF BOSTON MAYBE ELIGIBLE FOR GRANT FROM MASSACHUSETTS SCHOOL BUILDING AUTHORITY, SAID AMOUNT TO BE EXPENDED UNDER DIRECTION OF PUBLIC FACILITIES DEPARTMENT ON BEHALF OF BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS (DOCKET NO. 1071)

Councilor CIOMMO, on behalf of the Committee on Ways and Means, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 1071, message of the Mayor and order approving an appropriation of Six Hundred Thousand Dollars ($600,000.00) for the purpose of paying cost of a feasibility study and schematic design work associated with window / door replacement projects at the following schools: Young Achievers Science and Math, Community Academy of Science and Health, TechBoston Academy, Ellis School, McKay School, Curley School and the Sumner School. Upon completion of the feasibility study, the City of Boston may be eligible for a grant from the Massachusetts School Building Authority, said amount to be expended under the direction of the Public Facilities Department on behalf of Boston Public Schools (referred June 17) - recommending passage of the order .

The report was accepted; was read once and passed; yeas 13. Assigned for further action.

RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF IMMIGRANT CHILDREN (DOCKET NO. 1131)

Rule 12 was suspended to include Councilor WU as original co-sponsor of Docket No. 1131.

Councilors JACKSON, ZAKIM, WU, LAMATTINA, BAKER, CIOMMO, LINEHAN, O'MALLEY, MCCARTHY, FLAHERTY, MURPHY, PRESSLEY and YANCEY offered the following:

WHEREAS: In the past year, the City of Boston has received 1,646 unaccompanied children immigrants from the nearly 70,000 that have entered the United States from Central America--the majority who come from Honduras, Guatemala, and El Salvador; and

WHEREAS: The vast majority of these children are fleeing situations of violence and societal instability, such as domestic abuse, gang violence, human trafficking and extreme poverty; and

WHEREAS: According to Kids in Need of Defense (KIND), a leading organization that provides legal services and advocacy on behalf of unaccompanied children facing a difficult and complex legal immigration system in the United States, over 60% of them meet the legal characteristics to be considered refugees; and

WHEREAS: Education is an internationally recognized basic human right, and all children should have access to education; and, NOW

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, That the City of Boston affirms the right of all children in Boston, regardless of immigration status, to have access to basic education, and that they should have support appropriate to their level of education; and,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the City of Boston affirms the right ofthese children refugees to due process; and, that the United States immigration authorities ensure that these children are not deported to a situation that is violent or knowingly puts their lives in danger.

The rules were suspended; the resolution was adopted.

LATE-FILED MATTERS

The Chair stated that in absence of objection, four late-filed matters would be added to the Agenda.

No objection being heard, the following matters were added:

RESOLUTION THAT THE BOSTON CITY COUNCIL URGES MASSACHUSETTS LEGISLATURE PASS HOUSE BILL2107 AUTHORIZING MUNICIPAL POLICE DEPARTMENTS TO HAVE CONCURRENT JURISDICTION WITH MASSACHUSETTS STATE POLICE IN ALL MASSPORT PROPERTIES LOCATED WITHIN MUNICIPALI-

TY EXCEPT THOSE EXCLUSIVE TO AVIATION AND PORT OPERATIONS (DOCKET NO. 1149)

Councilors MURPHY, O'MALLEY, BAKER, CIOMMO, FLAHERTY, JACKSON, LAMATTINA, MCCARTHY, PRESSLEY, WU, YANCEY, ZAKIM and LINEHAN offered the following:

WHEREAS The Boston Police Department's mission is to ensure the safety and well-being of visitors, residents and businesses located in the City of Boston; and,

WHEREAS, Pursuant to section 110 of chapter 205 of the acts of 1996, the Massachusetts State Police is the sole police authority of the General Edward Lawrence Logan international airport and the Massachusetts Port ("Mass Port") Authority properties located within a municipality; and,

WHEREAS, The Boston Police Department does not have jurisdiction on MassPort properties in the city. Prohibiting the Boston Police from responding to incidents on MassPort properties creates public safety concerns and may place the city at risk of litigation if the Boston Police respond to situations on MassPort properties; and,

WHEREAS, MassPort has increasingly been developing residential properties that are open to the public and outside the aviation and port operations where residents pay City of Boston property taxes. The Boston Fire Department and Boston EMS have jurisdiction on MassPort properties and so residents should also have the community policing services of the Boston Police Department; and,

WHEREAS, MassPort has developed commercial businesses that are subject to City of Boston licensing and permitting requirements but are outside the jurisdiction of the Boston Police Department; and,

WHEREAS, Allowing the Boston Police Department to exercise concurrent jurisdiction and thereby sharing enforcement authority with the State Police Department may prove beneficial to ensuring public safety. Therefore be it

RESOLVED, That the Boston City Council urges the Massachusetts Legislature pass House Bill 2107, that would authorize municipal police departments to have concurrent jurisdiction with the Massachusetts State Police in all MassPort properties located within the municipality except those exclusive to aviation and port operations

The rules were suspended; the resolution was adopted.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES (DOCKET NO. 1150)

Councilor LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Wednesday, July 1, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, September 11,2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Samuel Miller, Secretary, $674.00, part time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES (DOCKET NO.1151)

Councilor LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, June 27, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, September 11, 2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Jessica A. Taubner, Secretary, $2,318.00, part time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES (DOCKET NO. 1152)

Councilor LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, July 4, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, July 10, 2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Shane Lawrence, Pac Secretary, $2,500.00, full time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

ORDER AUTHORIZING OFFICE OF YOUTH ENGAGEMENT AND EMPLOYMENT TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND GRANT OF $764,561 FROM COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS FOR PURPOSE OF SUPPORTING SUMMER JOBS FOR YOUTH WORKS, PROGRAM FOR AT-RISK YOUTH (DOCKET NO. 1025)

Councilor PRESSLEY called Docket No. 1025 from the Committee on Health Women, Families and Communities.

No objection being heard, the matter was before the body.

On motion of Councilor PRESSLEY, the rules were suspended; the order was passed.

REPORT ON ORDER AUTHORIZING OFFICE OF YOUTH ENGAGEMENT AND EMPLOYMENT TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND GRANT OF $764,561 FROM COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS FOR PURPOSE OF SUPPORTING SUMMER JOBS FOR YOUTH WORKS, PROGRAM FOR AT-RISK YOUTH (DOCKET NO. 1025)

Councilor PRESSLEY, on behalf of the Committee on Women and Healthy Communities, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 1025, message of the Mayor and order authorizing Office of Youth Engagement and Employment to accept and expend grant of $764,561 from Commonwealth of Massachusetts for purpose of supporting Summer Jobs for Youth Works, program for at-risk youth (referred June 10) - recommending passage of the order.

The rules were suspended; the order was passed.

ORDER AUTHORIZING OFFICE OF YOUTH ENGAGEMENT AND EMPLOYMENT TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND FUNDS IN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED $500,000 FROM INDIVIDUALS, ORGANIZATIONS AND LOCAL AND PRIVATE BUSINESSES FOR PURPOSE OF SUPPORTING YEAR-ROUND YOUTH EMPLOYMENT (DOCKET NO. 1026)

Councilor PRESSLEY called Docket No. 1026 from the Committee on Health Women, Families and Communities.

No objection being heard, the matter was before the body.

On motion of Councilor PRESSLEY, the rules were suspended; the order was passed.

REPORT ON ORDER AUTHORIZING OFFICE OF YOUTH ENGAGEMENT AND EMPLOYMENT TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND FUNDS IN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED $500,000 FROM INDIVIDUALS, ORGANIZATIONS AND LOCAL AND PRIVATE BUSINESSES FOR PURPOSE OF SUPPORTING YEAR-ROUND YOUTH EMPLOYMENT (DOCKET NO. 1026)

Councilor PRESSLEY, on behalf of the Committee on Women and Healthy Communities, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 1026, message of the Mayor and order authorizing Office of Youth Engagement and Employment to accept and expend funds in an amount not to exceed $500,000 from individuals, organizations and local and private businesses for purposes of supporting year-round youth employment (referred June 10) - recommending passage of the order.

The rules were suspended; the order was passed.

STATEMENT OF COUNCILOR PRESSLEY

Councilor PRESSLEY wanted to acknowledge her grief and angst at the terrorism that occurred in Charleston, South Carolina and spoke of her disbelief of the evil still occurring over racism and just wanted to remember those people, not just let it lie because it didn't happen here but wanted to support the people of South Carolina and the worshipers at the AME Church.

STATEMENT OF COUNCILOR YANCEY

Councilor YANCEY wanted to thank the Councilors for all the support last week as he attended the funeral services of his mother-in-law, Haddie Rebecca Morrissette and said that Marzetta was very appreciative as well.

CONSENT AGENDA

The Chair moved adoption of a Consent Agenda in which the following-named Councilors offered of a condolence or congratulatory nature as set forth after each Councilor's name:

Councilor Ciommo: In memory of Paul J. Markham (Docket No. 1132)
Councilors Linehan and Murphy: In memory of James F. Kane (Docket No. 1133)
Councilor McCarthy: In memory of Thomas Baker (Docket No. 1134)
Councilor Baker: Congratulating Rev. Art Lavoie (Docket No. 1135)
Councilor Yancey: Recognizing Charles Burke (Docket No. 1136) Recognizing James Scaringe (Docket No. 1137)
Councilor LaMattina: Recognizing nine people for their years of service at the Kennedy Center (Docket No. 1138) Recognizing Frances Amara (Docket No. 1139) Recognizing Gustavo Vasquez (Docket No. 1140) Recognizing Maria Alejandra Castillo (Docket No. 1141) In memory of Michael Ascolillo (Docket No. 1142)
Councilor Pressley: Recognizing Perry Smith (Docket No. 1143) Recognizing Michele Brooks (Docket No. 1144) In memory of Jacqueline Renard (Docket No. 1145)
Councilor LaMattina: In memory of Mary Ann Esparo (Docket No. 1146)
Councilor Zakim: Congratulating the 2015 8th Grade Class of the Maurice J. Tobin K-8 School (Docket No. 1147)
Councilor Yancey: Recognizing five members of The Gospel Ambassadors (Docket No. 1148)

The chair stated that in absence of objection, two late-file matters would be added to the Consent Agenda.
No objection being heard the following matters were added:

Councilor Linehan and all the Councilors: In memory of Ralph S. Scapicchio (Docket No. 1153)
Councilor Linehan: Recognizing Maribeth Cusick (Docket No. 1154)

The matters contained within the Consent Agenda were severally adopted.

NEXT MEETING

Adjourned at 2:20 p.m. on motion of President Linehan and in memory of Ralph S. Scapicchio, Paul J. Markham, Antonio "Tony" Salvucci, James F. Kane, Mary Ann Esparo, Michael Ascolillo, Yolanda Moscaritolo, Reverend Clementa Pinckney, Reverend Daniel Simmons, Jr., Cynthia Hurd, Reverend Sharonda Singleton, Myra Thompson, Tywanza Sander, Reverend DePayne Middleton, Susie Jackson, Ethel Lance and Jacqueline Renard, to meet again on Wednesday, July 15, 2015 at 12:00 p.m.

Note: All debate of City Council eliminated from proceedings in accordance with Chapter 447, Acts of 1947.

CITY OF BOSTON

Proceedings of the Boston City Council

Wednesday, July 15, 2015

Regular meeting of the City Council held in the Christopher A. Iannella Chamber, City Hall, at 12:15 p.m. President Linehan in the Chair. Absent, Councilor Wu.

INVOCATION

Pastor Cornel Miller, Waymark Seventh-Day Adventist Church, delivered the invocation, and the meeting was opened with the pledge of allegiance to the flag.

PRESENTATION BY COUNCILORS LINEHAN, FLAHERTY AND BAKER Councilors LINEHAN, FLAHERTY and BAKER presented a resolution to Grace Walsh of South Boston who has worked in the Assessing Department for the last fifty-seven years announcing that today, July 15, 2015, is officially "Grace Walsh Day" in the City of Boston. The Councilors thanked Grace for her dedication and devotion and love for the City of Boston each sharing personal remembrances from the neighborhood remarking Grace's home was always open to all.

STATEMENT OF PRESIDENT LINEHAN

President LINEHAN moved to adopt the minutes from the June 24, 2015 meeting. **Motion prevailed.**

ORDER AUTHORIZING POLICE COMMISSIONER TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND FY16 STATE 911 DEPARTMENT PSAP AND REGIONAL EMERGENCY COMMUNICATION CENTER SUPPORT AND INCENTIVE GRANT OF $3,253,317 AWARDED BY EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF PUBLIC SAFETY AND SECURITY STATE 911 DEPARTMENT (DOCKET NO. 1155)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

July 6, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I hereby transmit for your approval an Order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend the FY16 State 911 Department Public Safety Answering Point (PSAP) and Regional Emergency Communication Center Support and Incentive Grant Program funds in the amount of $3,253,317.00 awarded by the Executive Office of Public Safety and Security State 911 Department.

The PSAP Support and Incentive Grant will provide funding for the City's 911 Call Center and emergency communications, and will be used to defray costs for the Boston Police Department (BPD), Boston Fire Department (BFD), and Emergency Medical Services (EMS) associated with the maintenance and/or upgrade of the Computer-aided Dispatch Systems (CAD), a computer-based system intended to increase the efficiency and accuracy of public safety call handling and dispatching. Funds will also be used to cover maintenance fees for BFD and EMS associated with 911 operations. Finally, funds will also be utilized to defray the costs of salary for enhanced 911 telecommunicator personnel, including enhanced 911 telecommunicators who are emergency communications dispatchers or supervisors.

I urge your Honorable Body to adopt this Order as soon as possible so that the City of Boston may accept the funds expeditiously and expend them for the purposes for which they were granted.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND THE FY16 STATE 911 DEPARTMENT PUBLIC SAFETY ANSWERING POINT AND REGIONAL EMERGENCY COMMUNICATION CENTER SUPPORT AND INCENTIVE GRANT PROGRAM FUNDS AWARDED BY THE EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF PUBLIC SAFETY STATE 911 DEPARTMENT.

ORDERED: That the Police Commissioner, acting on behalf of the City of Boston be, and hereby is authorized, pursuant to section 53A of chapter 44 of the Massachusetts General Laws, to accept and expend the award of the Executive Office of Public Safety and Security State 911 Department, not to exceed the amount of Three Million Two Hundred Fifty Three Thousand Three Hundred and Seventeen Dollars ($3,253,317.00).

Referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

ORDER AUTHORIZING POLICE COMMISSIONER TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND FY16 STATE 911 DEPARTMENT TRAINING GRANT FUNDS OF $773,486 AWARDED BY EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF PUBLIC SAFETY AND SECURITY STATE 911 DEPARTMENT (DOCKET NO. 1156)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

July 6, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I hereby transmit for your approval the Order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend the FY16 State 911 Department Training Grant funds in the amount of $773,486.00 awarded by the Executive Office of Public Safety and Security's State 911 Department. This grant will be used to provide for training fees and/or materials and training for the Boston Police Department, Boston Fire Department, and Boston Emergency Medical Services. The grant will provide for overtime for training participants as well as overtime for replacement costs.

I urge your Honorable Body to adopt this Order as soon as possible so that the City of Boston may accept the funds expeditiously and expend them for the purposes for which these funds were granted.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND THE FY16 STATE 911 DEPARTMENT TRAINING GRANT FUNDS AWARDED BY THE EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF PUBLIC SAFETY.

ORDERED: That the Police Commissioner, acting on behalf of the City of Boston be, and hereby is authorized, pursuant to section 53A of chapter 44 of the Massachusetts General Laws, to accept and expend the award of the Executive Office of Public Safety, not to exceed the amount of Seven Hundred Seventy Three Thousand Four

Hundred and Eighty Six Dollars ($773,486.00).

Referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

ORDER AUTHORIZING PUBLIC WORKS COMMISSIONER TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND GRANT OF $350,000 FROM COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY RESOURCES TO RETROFIT CITY VEHICLES WITH ALTERNATIVE FUEL SOURCES (DOCKET NO. 1157)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

July 6, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I hereby transmit for your approval an Order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend a grant administered by the Cottunonwealth of Massachusetts Department of Energy Resources from the Depa:rtlnent of Energy Clean Cities Alternative Fuels and Technologies grant in the amount not to exceed $350,000 to retrofit City vehicles with alternative fuel sources.

I urge your Hononble Body to adopt this Order as soon as possible so that the City of Boston may accept the funds expeditiously and expend them for the purposes for which these funds were granted.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND A GRANT ADMINISTERED BY THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY RESOURCES FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY CLEAN CITIES ALTERNATIVE FUELS AND TECHNOLOGIES GRANT.

ORDERED: That the Public Works Commissioner, acting on behalf of the City of Boston be. and hereby is authorized. pursuant to section 53A of chapter 44 of the Massachusetts General Laws, to accept and expend the award from the Commonwealth of Massachusetts Department of Energy Resources in the amount not to exceed Three Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars ($350,000.00).

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Parks.

ORDER AUTHORIZING POLICE DEPARTMENT TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND DONATION OF $125,000 FROM DOWNTOWN BOSTON BUSINESS IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT FOR PURCHASE AND INSTALLATION OF VIDEO CAMERAS AND RELATED EQUIPMENT IN DOWNTOWN BOSTON AREA (DOCKET NO. 1158)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

July 7, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I herewith submit for your approval an Order to accept and expend for the benefit of the City of Boston, a donation from the Downtown Boston Business Improvement District of up to one hundred and twenty five thousand dollars ($125,000.00) for the purchase and installation of video cameras in the Downtown Boston area. This donation will enhance public safety and improve quality of life in the downtown area, which will in turn promote increased business activity and attract new investment in the area.

I urge your Honorable Body to adopt this Order as soon as possible so that the City of Boston may accept the funds expeditiously and use them for the purpose for which they were granted.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

ORDER ACCEPTING FUNDS FOR THE INSTALLATION OF CAMERAS IN DOWNTOWN BOSTON.

ORDERED: That the Boston Police Department, be and hereby is authorized, in accordance with Section 53A of Chapter 44 of the Massachusetts General Laws to accept as a gift a donation from the Downtown Boston Business Improvement District of up to one hundred and twenty five thousand dollars ($125,000.00) for the purchase and installation of video cameras and related equipment in the Downtown Boston area. This donation will enhance public safety and improve quality of life in the downtown area, which will in tum promote increased business activity and attract new investment in the area.

Referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

ORDER AUTHORIZING OFFICE OF ENVIRONMENT, ENERGY AND OPEN SPACE TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND GRANT OF $85,975 FROM GREEN COMMUNITIES DIVISION OF MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY RESOURCES (DOER) FOR PURPOSE OF INSTALLATION OF INDIRECT, ACTIVE SOLAR THERMAL DOMESTIC HOT WATER SYSTEMS AT VARIOUS BOSTON FIRE DEPARTMENT FACILITIES (DOCKET NO. 1159)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

July 9, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I hereby transmit for your approval an Order authorizing the City of Boston to expend the amount of $85,975.00 in the form of a grant, a Green Communities Act competitive grant, awarded by the Green Communities Division of the Massachusetts Department of Energy Resources (DOER), to be administered by the City's Office of Environment, Energy, and Open. Space.

The DOER's Green Communities Division competitive grant will partially fund the installation of indirect, active solar thermal domestic hot water systems at (i) Boston Fire Department Engine 7, 200 Columbus Avenue, (ii) Boston Fire Department Engine 9, 239 Sumner Street, and (iii) the Boston Fire Department Training Academy on Moon Island.

I urge your Honorable Body to adopt this Order so that the City of Boston may expend the funds expeditiously upon award for the purposes for which these funds are granted.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND THE COMPETITIVE GRANT AWARDED BY GREEN COMMUNITIES DIVISION OF THE MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY RESOURCES.

WHEREAS, the Green Communities Division of the Massachusetts Department of Energy Resources is being petitioned for the issuance of competitive grant funds to the City of Boston's Office of Environment, Energy, and Open Space; and

WHEREAS, the competitive grant funds in the amount of $85,975.00 will be utilized by the City of Boston to partially fund the installation of indirect, active solar thermal domestic hot water systems at (i) Boston Fire Department Engine 7, 200 Columbus Avenue, (ii) Boston Fire Department Engine 9, 239 Sumner Street, and (iii) the Boston Fire Department Training Academy on Moon Island, therefore be it

ORDERED: that the Mayor, acting on behalf of the City of Boston be, and hereby is, authorized to expend, upon award, the Massachusetts Department of Energy Resources' competitive grant not to exceed the amount of $85,975.00.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Parks.

ORDER AUTHORIZING POLICE DEPARTMENT TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND DONATION FROM BRIGHAM AND WOMEN'S HOSPITAL OF CHILDREN'S BICYCLE HELMETS TO BE DISTRIBUTED TO CHILDREN IN COMMUNITY IN CONJUNCTION WITH EDUCATIONAL EVENTS ON BICYCLE SAFETY (DOCKET NO. 1160)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

July 7, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I herewith submit for your approval an Order to accept for the benefit of the City of Boston. a donation from the Brigham and Women's Hospital of children's bicycle helmets. The bicycle helmets will be distributed to children in the community in conjunction with educational events on bicycle safety.

I urge your Honorable Body to adopt this Order as soon as possible so that the City of Boston may accept and distribute the helmets to children in Boston.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

AN ORDER ACCEPTING A DONATION OF CHILDREN'S BICYCLE HELMETS.

ORDERED: That the Boston Police Department, be and hereby is authorized, in accordance with Section 53A 1/2 of Chapter 44 of the Massachusetts General Laws to accept as a gift a donation from the Brigham and Women's Hospital of children's bicycle helmets to be distributed to children in the community in conjunction with educational events on bicycle safety.

On motion of Councilor MURPHY, the rules were suspended; the order was passed.

APPROVAL OF CONSTABLE'S BONDS (DOCKET NO. 1161)

The Constable Bonds of Indira C. Alvarez, Michael Campbell, Anthony Cillo, Toney Jones, Raoul Jacques, Tawonya Morris-William, David Rini, Taschetta Stephens-Weston, Yolanda Stinson- Tubbs, Yvonne L. Tofuri, Geonanne Colon, William Flippin, Aisha Johnson, Kevin Loffus, Ronald Luccio, Barra Mohamed and Wallace Tilford having been duly approved by the Collector- Treasurer, were received and approved under the usual terms and conditions.

NOTICE RECEIVED FROM CITY CLERK IN ACCORDANCE WITH CHAPTER 6 OF ORDINANCES OF 1979 RE: ACTIONS TAKEN BY MAYOR ON PAPERS ACTED UPON BY CITY COUNCIL AT ITS JUNE 10, 2015 MEETING (DOCKET NO. 1162)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the City Clerk

July 8, 2015

To the City Council.
Councilors:

In accordance with Chapter 6 of the Ordinances of 1979, I hereby notify you Of the following actions taken by the Mayor with regard to the papers acted upon by the City Council at its meeting of June 10, 2015 viz.

0111 Order approving a petition for Petition for a Special Law regarding an Act Relative to Certain Affordable Housing (Orient Heights public housing project) in the City of Boston".
Approved by the Mayor June 12, 2015

0112 Order approving a Petition for a Special Law regarding an Act Relative to Certain Affordable Housing (Whittier public housing project) in the City of Boston".
Approved by the Mayor June 12, 2015

0830 Order petition for a special law re: "An Act Concerning the Retirement Classification for the Boston School Police Officers".
Approved by the Mayor June 12, 2015

1028 Order authorizing the Police Commissioner to accept and expend Thirty Thousand Dollars ($30,000.00) in award funding under the 1Y15 Law Enforcement Equipment Grant funded by the Executive Office of Public Safety and Security under the Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant for the purpose of purchasing printers to be installed in cruisers as part of the DDACTS crime and traffic safety program pilot project.
Approved by the Mayor June 12, 2015

1029 Order to declare surplus a garbage truck which is no longer needed by the Boston Public Works Department, and to transfer ownership of the garbage truck to the Dorchester House Multi Service Center, Inc., for the purpose of transferring it to the City of Cap- Haitien, Haiti, to aid in that country's rebuilding.
Approved by the Mayor June 12, 2015

1030 Order authorizing the Police Department to accept and expend a donation of One Thousand Dollars ($1,000.00) from the Pat Rogers Fund for use by the Boston Police Peer Support Unit in its work to prevent suicide
Approved by the Mayor June 12, 2015

1031 Order authorizing the Police Department to accept and expend a donation of office furniture from the Furniture Trust for use by the Crimes Against Children Unit (CACU).
Approved by the Mayor June 12, 2015

1032 Order authorizing the Police Department to accept a donation of a 2004 Honda Accord from the National Insurance Crime Bureau, for use by the Auto Theft Unit to conduct auto theft and insurance fraud investigations.
Approved by the Mayor June 12, 2015

1033 Order authorizing the Environment Department to accept and expend a grant of Twenty Eight Thousand Five Hundred Dollars ($28,500.00) awarded by the National Park Services passed through the Massachusetts Historical Commission for the FY2015 Survey and Planning.
Approved by the Mayor June 12, 2015

1034 Constable Bonds of Shane Reed,Joseph Turco, Cavkil Bromfield and Samuel Desrosiers
Approved by the Mayor June 12, 2015

Respectfully,
Maureen Feeney,
City Clerk.

Placed on file.

NOTICE RECEIVED FROM CITY CLERK IN ACCORDANCE WITH CHAPTER 6 OF ORDINANCES OF 1979 RE: ACTIONS TAKEN BY MAYOR ON PAPERS ACTED UPON BY CITY COUNCIL AT ITS JUNE 17, 2015 MEETING (DOCKET NO. 1163)

The following was received:
City of Boston
Office of the City Clerk

July 8, 2015

To the City Council.
Councilors:

In accordance with Chapter 6 of the Ordinances of 1979, I hereby notify you Of the following actions taken by the Mayor with regard to the papers acted upon by the City Council at its meeting of June 17, 2015 viz.

0554 Order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend funds of One Hundred Sixty-Five Thousand Dollars ($165,000.00) from contributions receive from individuals, organizations, and local and private businesses for the purposes of funding the English for New Bostonian Initiative, for Childhood Arrivals (DACA) and Deferred Action for Parental Accountability (DAPA) Community Project, and other crucial programs that enable New Bostonians to play an active role in the economic, civic and public understanding of the contributions of immigrants to full participants in Boston.
Approved by the Mayor June 25, 2015

0681 Order authorizing the Law Department to re-establish in accordance with General Law Chapter 44, Section 53E 1/2 a revolving fund to accept from the fund up to a maximum of Five Hundred Thousand Dollars ($500,000.00) to fund Fiscal Year 2016, for the purposes of purchasing goods and services to pay for repairs to city property from damages caused by third parties.
Approved by the Mayor June 25, 2015

0682 Order authorizing the Mayor's Office of Tourism to re-establish in accordance with General Law Chapter 44, Section 53E 1/2 a revolving fund to accept from the fund up to a maximum of Three Hundred Thousand Dollars ($300,000.00) to fund Fiscal Year 2016 for the purposes of purchasing goods and services to advance tourism and promote participation in public celebrations.
Approved by the Mayor June 25, 2015

0683 Order authorizing the Mayor's Office of Arts and Culture to re-establish in accordance with General Law Chapter 44, Section 53E 1/2 a revolving fund to accept from the fund up to a maximum of Three Hundred. Thousand Dollars ($300,000.00) to fund Fiscal Year 2016 for the purposes of purchasing goods and services to support public art throughout the City of Boston.
Approved by the Mayor June 25, 2015

0684 Order authorizing the Inspectional Services to re-establish in accordance with General Law Chapter 44, Section 53E 1/2 a revolving fund to accept from the fund up to a maximum of Two Hundred Thousand Dollars ($200,000.00) to fund Fiscal Year 2016 to reimburse for administrative cost to those City agencies which enforce CBC Chapter 16 section 1.9 and 1.9B, and for cost associated with licensing and registration
Approved by the Mayor June 25, 2015

0685 Order authorizing the Boston Center for Youth and Families to re-establish in accordance with General Law Chapter 44, Section 53E 1/2 a revolving fund to accept from the fund up to a maximum of Seven Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars ($750,000.00) to fund Fiscal Year 2016 to pay salaries and benefits of employees and to purchase supplies and equipment necessary to operate the City Hall Child Care.
Approved by the Mayor June 25, 2015

0686 Order authorizing the Office of Environmental and Energy Services to establish in accordance with General Law Chapter 44, Section 53E 1/2 a revolving fund to accept from the fund up to a maximum of One Hundred Thousand ($100,000.00) to fund Fiscal Year 2016 to purchase offsets of greenhouse gas emissions which shall be associated with a portion of the electricity consumed by the City annually, thereby "greening" a greater percentage of the City's aggregate electricity load.
Approved by the Mayor June 25, 2015

0687 Order authorizing the Boston Public Schools to re-establish in accordance with General Law Chapter 44, Section 53E 1/2 a revolving fund to accept from the fund up to a maximum of One Million Eight Hundred Thousand Dollars ($1,800,000.00) to fund Fiscal Year 2016 to support the maintenance and repair of BPS facilities, including custodial and utility cost for extended building time, floor refinishing, landscaping and building repairs.
Approved by the Mayor June 25, 2015

0688 Order authorizing the Boston Public Schools to re-establish in accordance with General Law Chapter 44, Section 53E 1/2 a revolving fund for Fiscal Year 2016 to accept from the fund up to a maximum of One Million Five Hundred Thousand ($1,500,000.00) to repair and purchase Boston Public Schools technology.
Approved by the Mayor June 25, 2015

0689 Order authorizing the Boston Public Schools to re-establish in accordance with General Law Chapter 44, Section 53E 1/2 a revolving fund to accept from the fund up to a maximum of One Hundred Twenty Five Thousand Dollars

($125,000.00) to fund Fiscal Year 2016 to Boston Public Schools Transportation costs, including bus and public transportation costs.
Approved by the Mayor June 25, 2015

0690 Order authorizing the Boston Public Schools to establish in accordance with General Law Chapter 44, Section 53E 1/2 a revolving fund to accept from the fund up to a maximum of Four Hundred Thousand Dollars ($400,000.00) to fund Fiscal Year 2016 to perform energy-saving maintenance and equipment upgrades in school buildings.
Approved by the Mayor June 25, 2015

0691 Order authorizing the Boston Fire Department Academy to re-establish in accordance with General Law Chapter 44, Section 53E 1/2 a revolving fund to accept from the fund up to a maximum of One Hundred Thousand Dollars ($100,000.00) to fund Fiscal Year 2016 to support Boston Fire Department's participation in the detection, cleanup and containment of hazardous material release.
Approved by the Mayor June 25, 2015

0692 Order authorizing the Boston Fire Academy to re-establish in accordance with General Law Chapter 44, Section 53E 1/2 a revolving fund to accept from the fund up to a maximum of One Hundred Thousand Dollars ($100,000.00) to fund Fiscal Year 2016 to support training programs for firefighters from non-City of Boston fire agencies. The Academy will charge participating outside agencies tuition for each firefighter recruit they send to the Academy.
Approved by the Mayor June 25, 2015

0693 Order authorizing the Boston Fire Department Academy to re-establish in accordance with General Law Chapter 44, Section 53E 1/2 a revolving fund to accept from the fund up to a maximum of Twenty Five Thousand Dollars ($25,000.00) to fund Fiscal Year 2016 to support Boston Fire Department personnel participating in the detection, cleanup and containment costs associated with Massachusetts General Law, Chapter 21E, the Massachusetts Oil and Hazardous Material Release and Prevention and Response Act .
Approved by the Mayor June 25, 2015

0694 Order authorizing the Boston Police Department Licensing Division to re-establish in accordance with General Law Chapter 44, Section 5SE 1/2 a revolving fund to accept from the fund up to a maximum of Three Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars ($350,000.00) to fund Fiscal Year 2016 for the purpose of purchasing, leasing, or renting space, materials and equipment, and to be partially or wholly used for instructional purposes for new hackney carriage drivers applicants and providing funds for other training needs not otherwise budgeted for.
Approved by the Mayor June 25, 2015

0695 Order authorizing the Boston Police Department to establish in accordance with General Law Chapter 44, Section 53E 1/2 a revolving fund to accept from the fund up to a maximum of Three Hundred Thousand Dollars ($300,000.00) to fund Fiscal Year 2016 to pay salaries and benefits of employees and to purchase supplies and equipment necessary to operate the Police Department Fitness Center.
Approved by the Mayor June 25, 2015

0696 Order authorizing the Boston Police Academy to re-establish in accordance with General Law Chapter 44, Section 53E 1/2 a revolving fund to accept from the fund up to a maximum of Two Hundred Thousand Dollars ($200,000.00) to fund Fiscal Year 2016 to support training programs for officers from non-City of Boston law enforcement agencies. The Academy will charge participating outside law enforcement agencies tuition for each recruit, police officer or special police officer they send to the Academy
Approved by the Mayor June 25, 2015

0697 Order authorizing the Boston Police Department Special Operations Division to re-establish in accordance with General Laws Chapter 44, Section 53E 1/2 a revolving fund to accept from the fund up to a maximum of One Hundred Thousand Dollars ($100,000.00) to fund Fiscal Year 2016 to support the canine Unit's training programs for officers and police dogs from non-City of Boston law enforcement agencies. The Special Operation Division will charge tuition and other fees to outside law enforcement agencies for training with Canine Unit Historical Commission for the FY2015 Survey and Planning.
Approved by the Mayor June 25, 2015

0953 Order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend reimbursements up to the amount of Five Million Five Hundred Thousand Dollars ($5,500,000.00), from various government agencies including the Federal Emergency Management Agency, for expense the City incurred related to the January 26-28, 2015 Blizzard.
Approved by the Mayor June 25, 2015

0954 Order authorizing the City of Boston to apply for, accept, and expend Lead-Based Paint Hazard Control Grant program funds and Lead Hazard Reduction Demonstration Grant program funds from the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD), Office of Lead Hazard Control and Healthy Homes.
Approved by the Mayor June 25, 2015

1075 Order authorizing the Police Commissioner to accept and expend a grant of Five Thousand Dollars ($5,000.00) from the Massachusetts Department of Public Health, for the purpose of collecting and reporting data.
Approved by the Mayor June 19, 2015

1076 Order authorizing the City of Boston Purchasing Agent to exercise up to two existing options to extend by one year each time contract number 36033 with Retrievex, Inc. dba Access of Danvers MA. for analog records storage and retrieval services used by all City departments and agencies. This contract is set to expire June 30, 2015, and it contains options for the City to renew for two consecutive twelve month periods. The City Council's approval is required pursuant to section 12(b) of Chapter 30(b) of Massachusetts General Law.
Approved by the Mayor June 19, 2015

Respectfully,
Maureen Feeney,
City Clerk.

Placed on file.

NOTICE RECEIVED FROM CITY CLERK IN ACCORDANCE WITH CHAPTER 6 OF ORDINANCES OF 1979 RE: ACTIONS TAKEN BY MAYOR ON PAPERS ACTED UPON BY CITY COUNCIL AT ITS JUNE 24, 2015 MEETING (DOCKET NO. 1164)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the City Clerk

July 8, 2015

To the City Council.
Councilors:

In accordance with Chapter 6 of the Ordinances of 1979, I hereby notify you Of the following actions taken by the Mayor with regard to the papers acted upon by the City Council at its meeting of June 24, 2015 viz.

0665 Order authorizing the City to enter into one or more lease, lease-purchase or installment sales agreements in FY2016 in an amount not to exceed Twenty Six Nine Hundred Thousand Dollars ($26,900,000.00) for various City departments for the acquisition of equipment in furtherance of their respective governmental functions.
Approved by the Mayor June 26, 2015

0666 Order amending an appropriation order that would raise the amount from Two Million Twenty Thousand Dollars ($2,020,000.00) to Three Million Thirty Thousand Dollars ($3,030,000.00) for the purpose of financing the cost of various capital projects per the" Youth Budget" project administered by the Boston Center for Youth and Families.
Approved by the Mayor June 26, 2015

0667 Order for a loan of Forty Million Five Hundred Twenty-Five Thousand Dollars ($40,525,000.00) for remodeling, reconstructing, or making extraordinary repairs to public buildings owned by the City, including original equipment, furnishings and landscaping, paving and other site improvements incidental or directly related to such remodeling, reconstruction of repair; and/or for energy conservation, alternative energy or renewable energy improvements to public buildings or facilities, and/or for the cost of departmental equipment; and/or for the cost of engineering or architectural services for plans and specifications, for the purpose of various city department including the Boston Center for Youth and Family, Boston Redevelopment Authority, Environment, Fire, Library, Neighborhood Development, Police, Property and Construction Management, Public Health Commission and Transportation Department.
Approved by the Mayor June 26, 2015

0668 Order for a loan for Five Million Eight Hundred Twenty Five Thousand Dollars ($5,825,000.00) in aid of the Economic Development and Industrial Corporation and the Boston Redevelopment Authority.
Approved by the Mayor June 26, 2015

0669 Order for a loan of Four Hundred Sixty Thousand Dollars ($460,000.00) in aid of the Boston Redevelopment Authority for defraying such part of the cost of development, renovation, modernization, acquisition, purchase and certain operations relative to the Urban Renewal Charlestown Navy Yard Project.
Approved by the Mayor June 26, 2015

0670 Order for a loan in the amount of Twenty One Million Five Hundred Fifty-Five Thousand Dollars ($21,555,000.00) for the development, design, purchase and installation of computers hardware, other data processing equipment and computer assisted integrated financial management and accounting systems; and / or for the development, design and purchase of computer software incident to the purchase, installation or operation of computer hardware, other data processing equipment and computer assisted integrated financial management and accounting systems; and/or for the cost of departmental equipment, for the purpose of various city departments including the Department of Innovation and Technology and the School Department.
Approved by the Mayor June 26, 2015

0671 Order for a loan of Four Million Eight Hundred Thousand Dollars ($4,800,000.00) for acquiring land, or interests therein, for any purpose for which the City is or may hereafter be authorized to acquire land or interests therein; not otherwise specifically provided for; and for the construction of buildings, or for additions to such buildings where such additions increase the floor space of said buildings, including the cost of original equipment and furnishings of said buildings or additions; and/or for remodeling, reconstructing, or making extraordinary repairs to public buildings owned by the City, including original equipment, furnishings and landscaping, paving and other site improvements incidental or directly related to such remodeling, reconstruction or repair; and/or for the cost of engineering or architectural services for plans and specifications, for the purposes of various city departments including the Fire and Police Departments and the Public Health Commission.
Approved by the Mayor June 26, 2015

0672 Order for a loan of One Million Two Hundred Ten Thousand Dollars ($1,210,000.00) for the cost of departmental equipment, for the purpose of various city departments including the Fire Department.
Approved by the Mayor June 26, 2015

0673 Order for a loan of Thirteen Million Five Hundred Thousand Dollars ($13,500,000.00) for the construction of municipal outdoor and recreational athletic facilities, including the acquisition and development of land and the construction and reconstruction for facilities; and/or for developins land for burial purposes and for constructing paths and avenues embellishing the grounds in city-owned cemeteries; and/or for cost of engineering or architectural services for plans and specifications; and/or for remodeling, reconstructing, or making extraordinary repairs to public buildings owned by the City, including original equipment, furnishings and landscaping, paving and other site improvements incidental or directly related. to such remodeling, reconstruction or repairs; and/or for acquirins land, or interests therein, for any purpose for which the City is or may hereafter be authorized to acquire land or interests therein, not otherwise specifically provided for; and for the construction of buildings, or for additions to such buildings where such additions increase the floor space of said buildings, including the cost of original equipment and furnishings of said building or additions, for the purposes of various city departments including the Parks and Recreation Department and School Departments.
Approved by the Mayor June 26, 2015

0674 Order amending an appropriation order that would raise the amotmt from One Million Four Hundred Fifteen Thousand Dollars ($1,415,000.00) to ($2,125,000.00) Two Million One Hundred Twenty-Five Thousand Dollars for the purpose of planting shade trees, planning, designing, acquirins land for, constructing and originally equipping structures and facilities it is authorized to construct, and for remodeling, reconstructing or making major alterations, additions and repairs to existing facilities including original equipment and landscaping, paving and other site improvements incidentals or directly

related to such remodeling, reconstruction or repair, for the purpose of various city departments including the Parks and Recreations Department.
Approved by the Mayor June 26, 2015

0675 Order for a loan in the amount of Ten Million One Htmdred Thousand Dollars($10,100,000.00) for police communication installations, and for the purpose of extending and improving such installations; and/or for the cost of departmental equipment; and/or for the cost of engineering or architectural services for plans and specifications; and/or for remodeling, reconstructing, or :making extraordinary repairs to public buildings owned. by the City, including original equipment, furnishings and landscaping, paving and other site improvements incidental or directly related. to such remodeling, reconstruction or repair, for the purposes of various city departments including the Police Department.
Approved by the Mayor June 26, 2015

0676 Order for a loan in the amount of Twenty Million Nine Hundred Ninety-Five Thousand Dollars ($20,995,000.00) for the original construction of public ways or the extension or widening thereof, including land damages and the cost of pavement and sidewalks laid at the time of said construction, or for the construction of stone, block, brick., cement concrete, bituminous concrete, bituminous macadam or other permanent pavement of similar lasting character, or for the original construction, surfacing or resurfacing of municipally owned and operated off-street parking areas; and! or for the construction of sidewalks of brick, bituminous concrete, stone or concrete, installing macadam pavement or other road material, for resurfacing municipally owned and operated off-street parking areas with pavement or other road material; an/or for the cost of engineering or architectural services for plans and specifications; and/or for traffic signal or public lighting installations, for the purposes of various city departments including the Public Works and Transportation Departments.
Approved by the Mayor June 26, 2015

0677 Order for a loan in the amount of Six Million Five Hundred Ten Thousand Dollars($6,510,000.00) for acquiring land, or interests therein, for any purpose for which the City is or may hereafter be authorized to acquire land or interests therein, not otherwise specifically provided for; and for the constmction of buildings, or for additions to such buildings where such additions increase the floor space of said buildings, including the cost of original equipment and furnishings of said buildings or additions; and/or for remodeling, reconstructing, or making extraordinary repairs to public buildings owned by the City, including original equipment, furnishings and landscaping, paving and other site improvements incidental or directly related to such remodeling, reconstruction or repair; and/or for the cost of engineering or architectural services for plans and specifications; and/or for fire alarm or police communication installations, for the purposes of various city departments including the School Department.
Approved by the Mayor June 26, 2015

0678 Order for a loan in the amount of One Million Six Hundred Thousand Dollars ($1,600,000.00) for the purpose of paying costs of a feasibility study and schematic design work associated with the renovation of and addition to the carter Development Center, located at 396 Northampton Street, Boston, MA (the "Project"), including the payment of all costs incidental or related thereto, and for which the City of Boston may be eligible for a grant from the Massachusetts School Building Authority ("MSBA"), said amount to be expended under the direction of the Public Facilities Department on behalf of Boston Public Schools; and if the City is not eligible for a grant from the MSBA for this project, said amount may be expended for such feasibility study, schematic design, including the renovation of and addition to the Carter Development Center and payment of all costs incidental or related thereto.
Approved by the Mayor June 26, 2015

0679 Order for a loan in the amount of Twenty-Three Million Four Hundred Thirty Thousand ($23,430,000.00) for constructing or reconstructing bridges of stone or of iron superstructure; and/or for the cost of engineering or architectural services for plans and specifications, for the purposes of various city departments including the Public Works Department.
Approved by the Mayor June 26, 2015

0680 Order for a loan authorizing the City of Boston to appropriate the amount of Six Million Five Hundred Thousand Dollars ($6,500,000.00) from the City's Capital Grant Fund in order to provide funding for a Street Rule Book Project and a new Parking Meter and Management System to be managed by the Boston Transportation Department ("BTD"). The funds shall be credited to the Capital Grant Fund from the Parking Meter Fund.
Approved by the Mayor June 26, 2015

1025 Message and order authorizing the Office of Youth Engagement 8; Employment to accept and expend grant of Seven Hundred Six- Four Thousand Five Hundred and Sixty One Dollars ($764,561.00) from the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, for the purpose of supporting summer jobs for Youth Works, a program for at-risk youth.
Approved by the Mayor June 26, 2015

1026 Message and order authorizing the Office of Youth Engagement & Employment to accept and expend funds in an amount not to exceed Five Hundred Thousand Dollars ($500,000.00) from individuals, organizations, and local and private businesses for the purpose of supporting year-round youth employment.
Approved by the Mayor June 26, 2015

1068 Message and order for Annual Appropriation and Tax Order for FY2016.
Approved by the Mayor June 26, 2015

1069 Message and order for Annual Appropriation for the School Department for FY2016.
Approved by the Mayor June 26, 2015

1070 Message and order approving an appropriation of Forty Million Dollars ($40,000,000.00) to the Other Post-Employment Benefits (OPEB) Liability Trust Fund established under Section 20 of Massachusetts General Law Chapter 32B.
Approved by the Mayor June 26, 2015

Respectfully,
Maureen Feeney,
City Clerk.

Placed on file.

APPOINTMENT BY THE MAYOR
(DOCKET NO. 1165)

Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of David Leonard, as Interim President of the Bos-

ton Public Library, effective July 6, 2015.
Placed on file.

APPOINTMENT BY THE MAYOR
(DOCKET NO. 1166)

Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of Vivien Li, as Chairperson of the Boston Conservation Commission.
Placed on file.

APPOINTMENT BY THE MAYOR
(DOCKET NO. 1167)

Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of Christine Pulgini, Esquire, as Interim Director of the Mayor's Office of Consumer Affairs and Licensing, effective July 2, 2015.
Placed on file.

ABSENCE OF THE MAYOR
(DOCKET NO. 1168)

Notice was received from the Mayor of his absence from the City from Friday, June 28, 2015 until Tuesday, July 2, 2015.
Placed on file.

COMMUNICATION RECEIVED FROM MAYOR REGARDING WITHDRAWAL OF DOCKET NO. 0113 ORIGINALLY FILED WITH CLERK ON DECEMBER 17, 2014 (DOCKET NO. 1169)

Communication was received from the Mayor regarding the withdrawal of Docket No. 0113 originally filed with the clerk on December 17, 2014.
Placed on file.

COMMUNICATION RECEIVED FROM KEEGAN WERLIN LLP, RE: NSTAR ELECTRIC COMPANY, EFSB 14-04/D.P.U.14-153/14-154 (DOCKET NO. 1170)

Communication was received from Keegan Werlin LLP, re: NSTAR Electric Company, EFSB 14-041D.P.U. 14-153/14-154.
Placed on file.

APPOINTMENT BY THE MAYOR
(DOCKET NO. 1171)

Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of Maria Fitzpatrick, as an Associate Commissioner of the Parks and Recreation Commission, for a term expiring January 1, 2019.
Placed on file.

APPOINTMENT BY THE MAYOR
(DOCKET NO. 1172)

Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of Sanjay Saini, as an Associate Commissioner of the Parks and Recreation Commission, for a term expiring January 1, 2019.
Placed on file.

APPOINTMENT BY THE MAYOR
(DOCKET NO. 1173)

Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of Kimyatta Cambell, as a Commissioner to the Mayor's Commission for Person with Disabilities Advisory Board, for a term expiring April 1, 2016 .
Placed on file.

REPORT ON PETITION FOR SPECIAL LAW RE: "AN ACT REMOVING CITY OF BOSTON PARKS DEPARTMENT FROM APPROVAL OF STREET CLOSURES PERMITTING PROCESS (DOCKET NO. 0114)

Councilor FLAHERTY, on behalf of the Committee on Government Operations, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 0114, petition for a special law re: "An Act Removing the City of Boston Parks Department from Approval of Street Closures Permitting Process" (referred December 14, 2014) - recommending passage of the petition.

The report was accepted; the petition was passed.

ORDER FOR HEARING REGARDING EMERGENCY IMPACT OF CLOSING LONG ISLAND SHELTER SUBSTANCE ABUSE PROGRAMS (DOCKET NO. 0562)

This matter which was recently heard for possible action was remanded back to the **Committee on Healthy Women, Families and Communities.**

ORDER FOR HEARING REGARDING EMERGENCY IMPACT OF CLOSING LONG ISLAND ON BOSTON'S HOMELESS COMMUNITY (DOCKET NO. 0563)

This matter which was recently heard for possible action was remanded back to the **Committee on Healthy Women, Families and Communities.**

REPORT ON ORDER FOR YOUR APPROVAL OF HOME RULE PETITION TO GENERAL COURT ENTITLED" PETITION FOR SPECIAL LAW RE: AN ACT RELATED TO SEGREGATED RESERVE FUNDS IN CITY OF BOSTON (DOCKET NO. 0346)

Councilor FLAHERTY, on behalf of the Committee on Government Operations, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 0346, message of the Mayor and order for your approval of a Home Rule Petition to the General Court entitled" Petition for a Special Law Re: An Act Related to Segregated Reserve Funds in the City of Boston (referred February 11) - recommending passage of the order.

The rules were suspended; the order was passed.

ORDER FOR HEARING TO DISCUSS CITY'S NATURAL GAS LEAKS PROBLEM (DOCKET NO. 1174)

Councilor O'MALLEY moved for substitution to add Councilor ZAKIM as co-sponsor.

Motion prevailed.

Councilors O'MALLEY, ZAKIM, MURPHY, BAKER, CIOMMO, FLAHERTY, JACKSON, LAMATTINA, MCCARTHY, PRESSLEY, LINEHAN and YANCEY offered the following:

Whereas: The city of Boston's gas pipeline infrastructure is a complex system that many people and businesses rely on daily for heat, hot water, and many other ameni-

ties; and

Whereas: Sections of the system are decades old and there are thousands of gas leaks citywide (Boston University researchers identified 3,300 in 2012); and

Whereas: These leaks have been linked to major explosions, such as the one that destroyed a home in Dorchester in April of 2014, as well as fiscal and environmental problems; and

Whereas: Based on a January 2015 Harvard-led study of the gas pipeline infrastructure in Greater Boston, natural gas leaks are 2 to 3 times more extensive than previously believed; and

Whereas: According to the same study, gas leaks are not only costly, with over $90 million lost each year within the Greater Boston system, they are also damaging to the environment, as natural gas is proven to be 86 times more potent of a greenhouse gas than carbon dioxide during the first 20 years after it is emitted; and

Whereas: The amount of natural gas lost each year within Greater Boston is enough to fuel two hundred thousand homes and is paid for by natural gas customers; and

Whereas: To raise awareness about this issue and propose potential solutions, various groups such as Mothers Out Front, Front, Clean Water Action, the Sierra Club, Boston Climate Action Network, and Home Energy Efficiency Team have been lobbying to give more attention to this issue; Therefore Be It:

Ordered: That the appropriate committee of the Boston City Council conduct a hearing to discuss the city's natural gas leakage problem and potential solutions to address the issue.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Parks.

ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 16 OF CITY OF BOSTON CODE· ORDINANCES, PROHIBITING SALE AND USE OF SYNTHETIC CANNABINOIDS AND OTHER DANGEROUS CHEMICAL COMPOUNDS (DOCKET NO. 1175)

Councilors BAKER, FLAHERTY, LINEHAN, CIOMMO, MCCARTHY and MURPHY offered the following:

WHEREAS, The federal government has taken steps to ban many of the strains of synthetic marijuana. President Obama signed the Synthetic Drug Abuse Prevention Act as part of the FDA Safety and Innovation Act of2012. The law permanently places 26 types of synthetic cannabinoids and cathinones into Schedule I of the Controlled Substances Act (CSA). However, despite the efforts of federal and state legislators to prohibit synthetic drugs, manufacturers continually alter the compounds in order to produce new synthetic drugs in order to avoid regulation; and

WHEREAS, Synthetic cannabinoids, also known as "Spice" or "K2", are extremely dangerous and are being sold in many stores throughout the city. The synthetic drugs are often sold as household products such as "herbal incense" and labeled "not for human consumption"; and

WHEREAS, The effects of synthetic drugs cause serious side effects that endanger the health and safety of individuals. Potential side effects include severe agitation, anxiety, racing heartbeat, higher blood pressure, nausea, vomiting, muscle spasms, seizures, tremors, hallucinations, psychotic episodes, and suicidal thoughts and actions; and

WHEREAS, The sale and use of synthetic drugs poses an immediate threat to the public health and safety of the residents of Boston; therefore, the sale and use of such products should be prohibited.

NOW THEREFORE,

Be it ordained by the City Council of Boston, as follows:

The City of Boston Code, Ordinances, Chapter 16, is hereby amended by adding the following new sections at the end thereof:

PROHIBITION OF THE POSSESSION OR SALE OF SYNTHETIC CANNABINOIDS AND ILLICIT SYNTHETIC DRUGS

Section One.

Purpose.

The purpose of this Chapter is to protect the public health and safety of the residents of Boston from the dangers and ill effects of synthetic cannabinoids (commonly known as "Spice" or "K2"), and other synthetic drugs. Without the prohibitions enacted by this chapter, these synthetic drugs can be possessed by individuals without the city's ability to control the negative effects to the health, safety and welfare of the residents of Boston. These negative effects include, but are not limited to, psychoactive behavior and reactions, serious injury, and death caused by its consumption.

Section Two.

Definitions.

The following words, terms and phrases, whenever used in these sections, shall have the meanings set forth in this section, unless the context of their usage clearly indicates a different meaning.

"Commissioner, "shall mean the commissioner of the Boston Police Department or his or her designee.

"Person, " shall mean an individual, corporation, limited liability company, partnership, wholesaler, retailer, and any license or unlicensed business, including clerk, manager, or owner of business.

"Synthetic Cannabinoids," shall mean any chemical compound chemically synthesized and either I) has been demonstrated to have binding activity at one or more cannabinoid receptors; or 2) is a chemical analog or isomer of a compound that has been demonstrated to have binding activity at one or more cannabinoid receptors. Includes, but is not limited to: HU-21 0; HU- 211/dexanabinol; JWH-018; JWH-073; JWH-081; JWH-200; JWH-250; CP 47,497 and homologues.

Section Three.

Prohibition of Synthetic Cannabinoids.

It shall be unlawful for any person to possess, provide, sell, barter, produce, manufacture, distribute, or to offer, display, market or advertise for sale, or purchase with the intent to provide, sell, barter, produce, manufacture, or distribute, or to offer, display, market or advertise for sale any synthetic cannabinoid as defined in the provisions of this chapter.

Section Four.

Enforcement.

The Commissioner, or designee, shall have the authority to implement and enforce the provisions of these sections. The Commissioner, or designee, shall promulgate rules and regulations necessary to implement the provisions of these sections, pursuant to M.G.L., c. 30A.

Section Five.

Penalty.

Any person found to be in violation of this ordinance will be assessed a fine of $300.00. Each day a violation occurs will constitute a separate offense.

In addition to any penalty provided under this section, if any of the aforementioned substances or combination thereof listed under the provisions of these sections are found in the possession of any person, the substances will be forfeited by seizure by the Boston Police Department or its officers and may be destroyed by such law enforcement officials in a method consistent with law.

The provisions of these sections may be enforced in accordance with the non-criminal disposition process of M.G.L. c. 40, s. 210, provided that this section shall not preclude the City of Boston from proceeding to restrain a violation by injunction.

Section Six.

Severability

If any provision of these sections shall be held to be invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction, then such provision shall be considered separately and apart from the remaining provisions, which shall remain in full force and effect.

Section Seven.

Effective Date
The provisions of these sections shall be effective immediately upon passage.

Referred to the Committee on Government Operations.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES
(DOCKET NO. 1176)

Councilor LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Wednesday, July 1, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Thursday, August 27, 2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:
William Hart, Secretary, $700.00, full time
Passed under suspension of the rules.

LATE-FILED MATTERS

The Chair stated that in absence of objection, five late-filed matters would be added to the Agenda.
No objection being heard, the following matters were added:

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES
(DOCKET NO. 1234)

Councilor LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, July 11, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, September 11, 2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Clancy Main, Secretary, $1,346.16 ,full time
Passed under suspension of the rules.

ORDER THAT UNDER PROVISIONS OF SECTION 1.17F OF CHAPTER 376 OF ACTS OF 1951, AS AMENDED, AND ANY OTHER APPLICABLE PROVISION OF LAW, HIS HONOR, THE MAYOR, BE AND HEREBY IS, REQUESTED TO OBTAIN AND DELIVER TO CITY COUNCIL WITHIN ONE WEEK OF RECEIPT HEREOF CERTAIN INFORMATION (DOCKET NO. 1235)

Councilor Yancey offered the following:

ORDERED: That under the provisions of section 1.17F of Chapter 376 of the Acts of 1951, as amended, and any other applicable provision oflaw, His Honor, the Mayor, be, and hereby is, requested to obtain and deliver to the City Council, within one week of the receipt hereof, the following information:

Please provide the steps being taken to eliminate disparities in facilities and services based on gender concerning homeless and recovery clients. Please include the following information:

1. How many calls has the Mayor's Office and Mayor's Hotline received requesting emergency shelter and/or medical detox programming?

2. How many clients were displaced due to the Long Island Bridge closing?

3. Has every dislocated client been accounted for?

4. Describe how the city tracks clients.

5. Where are the clients now?

6. Were there any fatalities? If so, how many?

7. Describe the needs re-assessment re-evaluation process for relocation.

8. Please provide the number of individuals who were fast tracked through the housing system due to disaster level re-homelessness.

9. What was the process to help those displaced get a bed?

10. What happened to the HIV / AIDS clients?

11. What happened to domestic violence victims?

12. Describe the lottery system. What happens if you do not make it in the lottery?

13. Is there an emergency shelter clearing house for clients to use in order to find beds?

14. How many clients received permanent housing?

On motion of Councilor YANCEY, the rules were suspended; the order was passed.

ORDER THAT UNDER PROVISIONS OF SECTION 1.17F OF CHAPTER 376 OF ACTS OF 1951, AS AMENDED, AND ANY OTHER APPLICABli t::A PROVISION OF LAW, HIS HONOR, THEY MAYOR, BE AND HEREBY IS, REQUESTED TO OBTAIN AND DELIVER TO CITY COUNCIL WITHIN ONE WEEK OF RECEIPT HEREOF CERTAIN INFORMATION (DOCKET NO. 1236)

Councilor Yancey offered the following:

ORDERED: That under the provisions of section 1.17F of Chapter 376 of the Acts of 1951, as amended, and any other applicable provision oflaw, His Honor, the Mayor, be, and hereby is, requested to obtain and deliver to the City Council, within one week of the receipt hereof, the following information:

Please describe the steps being taken by the City of Boston to eliminate disparities in facilities and services

based on gender concerning programming. Please include the following information:

1. How many programs were there on Long Island?

2. Please provide the names and locations of the relocated programs.

3. Describe the healthcare for the homeless. Please include the following information: criteria for acceptance for long-term and short-term health conditions; length and terms of stay; service provisions to get clients to the next step such as rehabilitation, shelter, transitional housing; after care process; and, process to feed clients into the emergency shelter system.

4. Are any transitional units or apartments set aside?

5. Was there a disaster rapid response re-housing management team focused on homeless clients?
6. Is there a rapid response team now?

On motion of Councilor YANCEY, the rules were suspended; the order was passed.

ORDER THAT UNDER PROVISIONS OF SECTION 1.17F OF CHAPTER 376 OF ACTS OF 1951, AS AMENDED, AND ANY OTHER APPLICABLE" PROVISION OF LAW, HIS HONOR, THEY MAYOR, BE AND HEREBY IS, REQUESTED TO OBTAIN AND DELIVER TO CITY COUNCIL WITHIN ONE WEEK OF RECEIPT HEREOF CERTAIN INFORMATION (DOCKET NO. 1237)

Councilor Yancey offered the following:

ORDERED: That under the provisions of section 1.17F of Chapter 376 of the Acts of 1951, as amended, and any other applicable provision of law, His Honor, the Mayor, be, and hereby is, requested to obtain and deliver to the City Council, within one week of the receipt hereof, the following information:

Please describe the steps being taken by the City of Boston to eliminate disparities in facilities and services regarding recovery clients. Please include the following information:

1. Are relapses considered part of the recovery process? If so, how are relapses dealt with?

2. How many overdoses have occurred since the closing of the Long Island Bridge and the programs and shelters at Long Island? How many deaths have occurred? How many requests for Narcan?

3. Was there a disaster rapid response medical detox management team focused on ensuring immediate accessible continuity of detox programming?

4. Is there a rapid response team now?

On motion of Councilor YANCEY, the rules were suspended; the order was passed.

REPORT ON ORDER APPROVING APPROPRIATION OF $600,000 FOR PURPOSE OF PAYING COST OF FEASIBILITY STUDY AND SCHEMATIC DESIGN WORK ASSOCIATED WITH WINDOW/DOOR REPLACEMENT PROJECTS AT FOLLOWING SCHOOLS: YOUNG ACHIEVERS SCIENCE AND MATH, COMMUNITY ACADEMY OF SCIENCE AND HEALTH, TECHBOSTON ACADEMY, ELLIS SCHOOL, MCKAY SCHOOL, CURLEY SCHOOL AND SUMNER SCHOOL. UPON COMPLETION OF THE FEASIBILITY STUDY, CITY OF BOSTON MAY BE ELIGIBLE FOR GRANT FROM MASSACHUSETTS SCHOOL BUILDING AUTHORITY, SAID AMOUNT TO BE EXPENDED UNDER DIRECTION OF PUBLIC FACILITIES DEPARTMENT ON BEHALF OF BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS (DOCKET NO. 1071)

Councilor CIOMMO, on behalf of the Committee on Ways and Means, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 1071, message of the Mayor and order approving an appropriation of Six Hundred Thousand Dollars ($600,000.00) for the purpose of paying cost of a feasibility study and schematic design work associated with window / door replacement projects at the following schools: Young Achievers Science and Math, Community Academy of Science and Health, TechBoston Academy, Ellis School, McKay School, Curley School and the Sumner School. Upon completion of the feasibility study, the City of Boston may be eligible for a grant from the Massachusetts School Building Authority, said amount to be expended under the direction of the Public Facilities Department on behalf of Boston Public Schools (referred June 17) -recommending the order ought to receive its second reading and final passage.

The order received its second reading and final passage; yeas 11, nays 0, absent 2:

Yeas - Councilors Baker, Ciommo, Flaherty, Jackson, Linehan, McCarthy, Murphy, O'Malley, Pressley, Yancey, Zakim-1.

Nays - 0.

Absent - Councilors LaMattina and Wu.

CONSENT AGENDA

The Chair moved adoption of a Consent Agenda in which the following-named Councilors offered resolutions of a condolence or congratulatory nature as set forth after each Councilor's name:

Councilor Baker: Congratulating Carlos Vargas (Docket No. 1177)
Councilor McCarthy: Recognizing William Barton Rogers Middle School (Docket No. 1178)
Councilor Ciommo: In memory of Antonio "Tony" Salvucci (Docket No. 1179)
Councilor Wu: Recognizing 8 people for their outstanding and valiant service as members of the armed forces and their generous and continuous philanthropic and public service to benefit our community (Docket No. 1180)
Councilor McCarthy: Recognizing Elaine Geoumtas on her 75th birthday (Docket No. 1181)
Councilor Ciommo: Recognizing Richard Keefe (Docket No. 1182)
Councilor Wu: Congratulating Susan Dubufke (Docket No. 1183)
Councilors LaMattina and Murphy: Recognizing Antonetta Bonaffine (Docket No. 1184)
Councilor LaMattina: Recognizing Malcolm Rogers (Docket No. 1185) In memory of Yolanda Moscaritolo (Docket No. 1186)
Councilors Pressley and Flaherty: Recognizing Margaret Gilliam (Docket No. 1187)
Councilor Jackson: Recognizing Rev. Dr. Gregory Groover Sr. (Docket No. 1188) Recognizing Ashmont Valley Neighborhood Association on their annual block party and for their ongoing contributions to the community (Docket No. 1189)
Councilor Baker: Recognizing Catherine Eason

(Docket No. 1190)

Councilor Ciommo: In memory of John "Jack" McNeill, Jr. (Docket No. 1191) In memory of Owen Toland (Docket No. 1192)

Councilor Linehan on behalf of all the Boston City Council: Recognizing Mark Matthews for his 30 years of service with the Boston Fire Department and for raising cancer awareness within the Boston Fire Department (Docket No. 1193)

Councilor Murphy: Congratulating Burton Cushing on his (Docket No. 1194) In memory of Mary Eileen Hailer (Docket No. 1195) In memory of Senator Thomas Patrick Kennedy (Docket No. 1196) In memory of James Cawley (Docket No. 1197) In memory of Tory Rivers (Docket No. 1198)

Councilors Wu and Linehan: Recognizing twenty-one Korean War veterans on their valor and sacrifice to the United States during the Korean War (Docket No. 1199)

Councilor O'Malley: In memory of Stanley A. Skaza (Docket No. 1200)

Councilor LaMattina: In memory of Francesca Badolado (Docket No. 1201) In memory of Margaret McNicholas (Docket No. 1202)

Councilor Ciommo: In memory of Marion Patricia Quinn (Docket No. 1203)

Councilor Yancey: Recognizing 7 people for their support to the Garrett Pressley Autism Resource Center (Docket No. 1204) Recognizing VITFriends (Docket No. 1205) In memory of Manuelita Johnson (Docket No. 1206) Recognizing Cause for Cancer (Docket No. 1207) In memory of Carolyn Peeples (Docket No. 1208) Recognizing Vicki Rugo (Docket No. 1209) Recognizing Puerto Rican Veterans Monument Square Association (Docket No. 1210)

Councilor LaMattina: In memory of Virginia DiLorenzo (Docket No. 1211) In memory of Michael Cain (Docket No. 1212)

Councilor Wu: Honoring Timothy Shea (Docket No. 1213) Honoring Mia Marchese (Docket No. 1214)

Councilor LaMattina: Recognizing Theresa Deliago (Docket No. 1215) Recognizing Jonathan Rizzo (Docket No. 1216)

Councilor Yancey: In memory of Dexter Dillard Eure, Sr (Docket No. 1217) Recognizing 5 people from the Wilson Family Singers club (Docket No. 1218)

Councilors Wu and Linehan: Declaring July 11, 2015 as President Ma Ying-Jeou of Taiwan Day in the City of Boston (Docket No. 1219) In memory of Anne Kitying Chan (Docket No. 1220)

Councilors Linehan and Flaherty: In memory of Elaine M. McGuire (Docket No. 1221) In memory of Donald F. Keenan (Docket No. 1222)

Councilor Wu: Congratulating the Chinese Women's Association of New England on its 75th anniversary (Docket No. 1223)

Councilor Jackson: Recognizing Boston Jerk Fest for providing authentic homemade Caribbean and local foods (Docket No. 1224)

Councilor Wu: In memory of Charles Edward Allen, Jr. (Docket No. 1225)

Councilors McCarthy and Pressley: Recognizing Donet Desilus (Docket No. 1226) Recognizing Reverend Father Jacquelin Renaud (Docket No. 1227)

Councilors Pressley, Jackson and Flaherty: Recognizing Lisa Joann Gusgott (Docket No. 1228) Recognizing Charles Clemons (Docket No. 1229)

Councilor Pressley: Recognizing Juan R. Vega (Docket No. 1230)

Councilor LaMattina: In memory of Vito S. Orlando (Docket No. 1231)

Councilor McCarthy: Recognizing Donet Desius (Docket No. 1232) Recognizing Jaqueline Renaud (Docket No. 1233)

The Chair stated that in the absence of objection, one late-filed matter would be added to the Consent Agenda.

No objection being heard, the following matter was added:

Councilor Murphy: In memory of Ivory Hoskins (Docket No. 1238)

NEXT MEETING

Adjourned at 2:35 p.m. on motion of President Linehan and in memory of James Cawley, Helen Anastas, John McNeill, Jr., Owen Toland, Marion Quinn, Virginia DiLorenzo, Michael Cain, Vito Orlando, Francesca Badalado, Margaret McNicholas, Ronald Taylor, Jean Sasso, Donald F. Keenan, Elaine M. McGuire, Ann Chan, James P. Cawley, Mary Eileen Hailer, Senator Thomas Kennedy, Troy Rivers, Ivory Hoskins, Stanley A. Skaza, Carolyn Peeples, Dexter Dillard Eure, Jr. Manueltia Johnson and Loretta Janice Williams, to meet again on Wednesday, July 22, 2015 at 12:00 p.m.

Note: All debate of City Council eliminated from proceedings in accordance with Chapter 447, Acts of 1947.

CITY OF BOSTON

Proceedings of the Boston City Council

Wednesday, July 22, 2015

Regular meeting of the City Council held in the Christopher A. Iannella Chamber, City Hall, at 12:00 p.m. President Linehan in the Chair.

INVOCATION

Reverend Daniel Rogers, Christ the King Church, delivered the invocation, and the meeting was opened with the pledge of allegiance to the flag.

STATEMENT OF PRESIDENT LINEHAN

President LINEHAN moved to adopt the minutes from the July15, 2015 meeting. **Motion prevailed.**

ORDER AUTHORIZING POLICE DEPARTMENT TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND DONATION OF 2008 GENUINE ROUGHHOUSE R50 SCOOTER, VIN RFVPMP20191003236, FROM SCOOTERS-GO-GREEN. SCOOTER WILL BE USED AS BAIT SCOOTER IN AREAS IDENTIFIED AS "HOT SPOTS" TO APPREHEND SCOOTER THIEVES (DOCKET NO. 1238)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

July 16, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I herewith submit for your approval, an Order to accept and expend for the benefit of the City of Boston, a donation from Scooters-Go Green of a 2008 Genuine Roughhouse R50 Scooter, VIN RFVPMP20191003236. The Scooter will be used as a bait scooter in areas identified as "hot spots" to apprehend scooter thieves. The deployment of this Scooter will address numerous complaints from the community relative to scooter theft and will further the Department's overall goal of community policing.

I urge your Honorable Body to adopt this Order as soon as possible so that the City of Boston may accept the Scooter expeditiously and use it for the purpose for which it was granted.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

ORDERED: That the Boston Police Department, be and hereby is authorized, in accordance with Section 53A 1/2, of Chapter 44 of the Massachusetts General Laws to accept as a gift a donation from Scooters-Go Green of a 2008 Genuine Roughhouse R50 Scooter, VIN RFVPMP20191003236, to be deployed as a bait scooter during investigations prompted by numerous community complaints regarding scooter thefts.

The rules were suspended; the order was passed.

ABSENCE OF THE MAYOR
(DOCKET NO. 1239)

Notice was received from the Mayor of his absence from the City from Sunday, July 19, 2015 until Thursday, July 23, 2015.
Placed on file.

APPROVAL OF CONSTABLE'S BONDS
(DOCKET NO. 1240)

The Constable Bond of Charles Mba having been duly approved by the Collector-Treasurer was received and approved under the usual terms and conditions.

APPOINTMENT BY THE MAYOR
(DOCKET NO. 1241)

Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of Mark Liu, as a member of the Neighborhood Housing Trust Fund, for a term expiring January 8, 2016.
Placed on file.

APPOINTMENT BY THE MAYOR
(DOCKET NO. 1242)

Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of Marlena Richardson, as a member of the Boston Fair Housing Commission, for a term expiring July 1, 2017.
Placed on file.

REPORT ON ORDER AUTHORIZING POLICE COMMISSIONER TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND FY16 STATE 911 DEPARTMENT PSAP AND REGIONAL EMERGENCY COMMUNICATION CENTER SUPPORT AND INCENTIVE GRANT OF $3,253,317 AWARDED BY EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF PUBLIC SAFETY AND SECURITY STATE 911 DEPARTMENT (DOCKET NO. 1155)

Councilor MURPHY, on behalf of the Committee on Public Safety, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 1155, message of the Mayor and order authorizing the Police Commissioner to accept and expend the FY16 State 911 Department PSAP and Regional Emergency Communication Center Support and Incentive grant of Three Million Two
Hundred Fifty Three Thousand Three Hundred and Seventeen Dollars ($3,253,317.00) awarded by the Executive Office of Public Safety and Security State 911 Department (referred July 17) - recommending passage of the order.

The report was accepted; the order was passed

REPORT ON ORDER AUTHORIZING POLICE COMMISSIONER TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND FY16 STATE 911 DEPARTMENT TRAINING GRANT FUNDS OF $773,486 A WARDED BY EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF PUBLIC SAFETY AND SECURITY STATE 911 DEPARTMENT (DOCKET NO. 1156)

Councilor MURPHY, on behalf of the Committee on Public Safety, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 1156, message of the Mayor and order authorizing the Police Commissioner to accept and expend the FY16 State 911 Department Training grant funds of Seven Hundred Seventy Three Thousand Four Hundred Eighty-Six Dollars ($773,486.00) awarded by the Executive Office of Public Safety and Security State 911 Department (referred July 17) - recommending passage of the order.

The report was accepted; the order was passed

REPORT ON ORDER AUTHORIZING POLICE DEPARTMENT TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND DONATION OF $125,000 FROM DOWNTOWN BOSTON BUSINESS IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT FOR PURCHASE AND INSTALLATION OF VIDEO CAMERAS AND RELATED EQUIPMENT IN DOWNTOWN BOSTON AREA (DOCKET NO. 1158)

Councilor MURPHY, on behalf of the Committee on Public Safety, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 1158, message of the Mayor and order authorizing the Police Department to accept and expend a donation of One Hundred and Twenty Five Thousand Dollars ($125,000.00) from the Downtown Boston Business Improvement District, for the purchase and installation of video cameras and related equipment in the Downtown Boston area (referred July 17) - recommending passage of the order.

The report was accepted; the order was passed

REPORT ON ORDER AUTHORIZING POLICE COMMISSIONER TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND FUNDS OF $275,400 FROM MASSACHUSETTS OFFICE OF VICTIM ASSISTANCE FOR PURPOSE OF EXPANDING BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SUPPORTS FOR BOSTON POLICE STAFF AND OTHER LOCAL LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES WHO RESPONDED TO BOSTON MARATHON BOMBING (DOCKET NO. 1072)

Councilor MURPHY, on behalf of the Committee on Public Safety, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 1072, message of the Mayor and order authorizing the Police Commissioner to accept and expend funds of Two Hundred Seventy Five Thousand Four Hundred Dollars ($275,400.00) from the Massachusetts Office of Victim Assistance, for the purpose of expanding the behavioral health supports for the Boston Police Staff and other local law enforcement agencies who responded to the Boston Marathon bombing (referred June 17) - recommending passage of the order.

The report was accepted; the order was passed

REPORT ON ORDER AUTHORIZING POLICE COMMISSIONER TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND GRANT IN AMOUNT OF $84,000 AWARDED BY EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF PUBLIC SAFETY AND SECURITY FOR PURPOSE OF PROVIDING OVERTIME TO CONDUCT THREE HIGH VISIBILITY ENFORCEMENT MOBILIZATIONS (DOCKET NO. 1073)

Councilor MURPHY, on behalf of the Committee on Public Safety, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 1073, message of the Mayor and order authorizing the Police Commissioner to accept and expend a grant in the amount of Eighty Four Thousand Dollars ($84,000.00) awarded by the Executive Office of Public Safety and Security, for the purpose of providing overtime to conduct three high-visibility enforcement mobilizations (referred June 17) - recommending passage of the order.

The report was accepted; the order was passed

REPORT ON ORDER AUTHORIZING POLICE COMMISSIONER TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND GRANT OF $69.990.40 FROM U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE, BUREAU OF JUSTICE ASSISTANCE FUNDS FOR EDWARD BYRNE MEMORIAL JUSTICE ASSISTANCE GRANT (JAG) FOR BOSTON POLICE DEPARTMENT FOR PURPOSES OF SUPPORTING YOUTH / POLICE DIALOGUES AND EVENTS OVER 12-MONTH PERIOD (DOCKET NO. 1074)

Councilor MURPHY, on behalf of the Committee on Public Safety, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 1074, message of the Mayor and order authorizing the Police Commissioner to accept and expend a grant of Sixty Nine Thousand Nine Hundred Ninety Dollars and Forty Cents ($69.990.40) from the U.S. Department of Justice, Bureau of Justice Assistance funds for the Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant (JAG), for the Boston Police Department for the purposes of supporting youth / police dialogues and events over a 12-month period (referred June 17) - recommending passage of the order.

The report was accepted; the order was passed

REPORT ON ORDER AUTHORIZING PUBLIC WORKS COMMISSIONER TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND GRANT OF $350,000 FROM COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY RESOURCES TO RETROFIT CITY VEHICLES WITH ALTERNATIVE FUEL SOURCES (DOCKET NO. 1157)

Councilor O'MALLEY, on behalf of the Committee on Environment and Parks, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 1157, message of the Mayor and order authorizing the Public Works Commissioner, to accept and expend a grant of Three Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars ($350,000.00) from the Commonwealth of Massachusetts Department of Energy Resources to retrofit City vehicles with alternative fuel sources (referred July 17) - recommending passage of the order.

The report was accepted; the order was passed

REPORT ON ORDER AUTHORIZING OFFICE OF ENVIRONMENT, ENERGY AND OPEN SPACE TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND GRANT OF $85,975 FROM GREEN COMMUNITIES DIVISION OF MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY RESOURCES (DOER) FOR PURPOSE OF INSTALLATION OF INDIRECT, ACTIVE SOLAR THERMAL DOMESTIC HOT WATER SYSTEMS AT VARIOUS BOSTON FIRE DEPARTMENT FACILITIES (DOCKET NO. 1159)

Councilor O'MALLEY, on behalf of the Committee on Environment and Parks, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 1159, message of the Mayor and order authorizing the Office of Environment, Energy, and Open Space to accept and expend a grant of Eighty-Five Thousand Nine Hundred and Seventy-Five Dollars ($85,975.00) from the Green Communities Division of the Massachusetts Department of Energy Resources (DOER), for the purpose of installation of indirect, active solar thermal domestic hot water systems at various Boston Fire Department facilities (referred July 17) - recommending passage of the order.

The report was accepted; the order was passed

RESOLUTION DESIGNATING A MEMORIAL HERO SQUARE AT THE INTERSECTION OF DOW AND CUTTER ROADS IN WEST ROXBURY

IN MEMORY OF EDWARD JOHN PARRISH (DOCKET NO. 1243)

Councilor O'MALLEY offered the following:

WHEREAS: Edward John Parrish, known as "Buddy" by his family and friends in Boston, was born on May 25, 1925 and was raised by Mary and Joseph Parrish in Dorchester; and

WHEREAS: Edward Parrish was proud to serve his country in the United States Navy as an Aviation Radioman Second Class and fought in Formosa (Taiwan) during World War II; and

WHEREAS: Edward Parrish was assigned to the Torpedo Squadron FORTY-FIVE, where he was known as "E.J." by his squadron; and

WHEREAS: The Torpedo Squadron FORTY-FIVE was based on board the USS San Jacinto where Edward Parrish and his fellow squad members were assigned to participate in an air group mission; and

WHEREAS: During this mission, the flight encountered unfavorable weather conditions and a half-hour after take-off the plane went missing on January 3rd, 1945; and

WHEREAS: After no official reports were received that Edward Parrish survived, nor did his name appear on any lists or reports from Japanese prisoner of war camps, it was determined on January 4, 1946, Edward Parrish died in the line of duty; THEREFORE BE IT

RESOLVED: That the Boston City Council recognizes and remembers Edward John Parrish for his honorable service and sacrifice by dedicating the intersection of Dow and Cutter Roads in West Roxbury in his memory.

On motion of Councilor O'Malley, the rules were suspended; the resolution was adopted.

ORDER FOR HEARING REGARDING LINKAGE FEES TO SUPPORT NEIGHBORHOOD JOBS TRUST AND NEIGHBORHOOD HOUSING TRUST (DOCKET NO. 1244)

Councilors FLAHERTY, MURPHY, BAKER, CIOMMO, JACKSON, LAMAITINA, LINEHAN, MCCARTHY, O'MALLEY, PRESSLEY, WU, YANCEY and ZAKIM offered the following:

WHEREAS, The Neighborhood Jobs Trust (NJT) and Neighborhood Housing Trust (NHT) were created in 1987 to ensure that large-scale real estate development in Boston brings a direct benefit to residents in the form of jobs, job training services, and affordable housing; and,

WHEREAS, Linkage fees, provided by commercial developers, have contributed over $100 million to construct over 8,000 affordable housing units in the city; and,

WHEREAS, The current linkage fees, adjusted in 2013, are $8.34 per square foot after the first 100,000 square feet for the NHT and $1.67 per square foot after the first 100,000 square feet for the NJT; and,

WHEREAS, The total assessed value of Boston properties has increased from 20 billion dollars in 1985 to over 92 billion dollars in 2013; and,

WHEREAS, Federal and state housing grants to the City of Boston have declined in recent years; and,

WHEREAS, The current dynamic real estate market coupled with the recent influx of residents to Boston has led to rising housing costs and an increased demand for affordable housing;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT ORDERED, That the appropriate committee of the Boston City Council holds a hearing to examine the linkage fee program in the City of Boston. Representatives from the Department of Economic Development, Boston Redevelopment Authority, and other interested parties shall be invited to attend.

Referred to the Committee on Economic Development and Planning and Labor.

RESOLUTION SUPPORTING PASSAGE OF MASSACHUSETTS HOUSE BILL 97, ACT RELATIVE TO ABUSIVE PRACTICES TO CHANGE SEXUAL ORIENTATION AND GENDER IDENTITY IN MINORS AND URGES LEGISLATURE TO ENACT PROPOSED PETITION (DOCKET NO. 1245)

Councilors WU, BAKER, CIOMMO, FLAHERTY, JACKSON, LAMATTINA, LINEHAN, MCCARTHY, MURPHY, O'MALLEY, PRESSLEY, WU, YANCEY and ZAKIM offered the following:

WHEREAS: Lesbian, gay, bisexual, and transgender (LGBT) youth in the City of Boston and across the Commonwealth of Massachusetts have been subjected to so-called conversion therapies designed to change their sexual orientation and/or gender identity; and

WHEREAS: Conversion therapy entails dangerous and discredited treatments for sexual orientation and gender identity ranging from public shaming and behavioral conditioning to corporal punishment and electrocution; and

WHEREAS: The U.S. Court of Appeals for the Third Circuit found substantial evidence that conversion therapies were ineffective (King v. Governor of the State of New Jersey), and the U.S. Supreme Court described homosexuality as an "immutable nature" in concluding that same-sex couples had a constitutional right to marriage (Obergefell v. Hodges); and

WHEREAS: Health experts from organizations including the American Psychiatric Association, the American Psychological Association, the American School Counselor Association, the National Association of School Psychologists, the U.S. Surgeon General, and the Pan American Health Organization - a regional branch of the World Health Organization - have taken formal positions that homosexuality and transgenderism are normal, natural, and healthy; and

WHEREAS: Legislation to protect LGBT youth from conversion therapy by banning its practice by licensed professionals in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts has been introduced by State Representative Kay Khan with the support of various members of the Boston state legislative delegation; and

WHEREAS: The City of Boston has legitimate interests in the health of its people, the behavior of its businesses, and the welfare of its most vulnerable residents, such as LGBT youth; therefore, be it

RESOLVED: That the Boston City Council supports the passage of House Bill 97, An Act relative to abusive practices to change sexual orientation and gender identity in minors, and urges the Legislature to enact the proposed petition.

On motion of Councilor Wu, the rules were suspended; the resolution was adopted.

ORDER THAT PURSUANT TO M.G.L. C. 233, S. 8 BOSTON CITY COUNCIL'S SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON THE 2024 OLYMPICS RICHARD DAVEY TO APPEAR BEFORE THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON AUGUST 13, 2015 AT 1:00 P.M. TO DISCUSS AND PROVIDE THE COMPLETE ORIGINAL 2024 SUMMER OLYMPIC BID 1.0 INCLUDING REDACTED INFORMATION IN CHAPTERS 5 AND 6 CITY OF BOSTON AND HOW THAT IMPACTS THE CITY OF BOSTON AND ITS RESIDENTS IN CITY COUNCIL (DOCKET NO. 1246)

Councilor JACKSON offered the following:

WHEREAS, The Boston City Council's Special Committee on the 2024 Olympics held a hearing on Docket 0464 regarding the 2024 Summer Olympics in which Boston 2024 submitted the bid to the United States Olym-

pic Committee ("USOC"); and

WHEREAS, Councillor Tito Jackson requested the full copy of the original 2024 Summer Olympic Bid, also known as Bid 1.0, including the unredacted copies of chapters 5 and 6, which include political and financial support, from Boston 2024 through Mr. Richard Davey, Chief Executive of Boston 2024, at the hearing on June 26, 2015; and

WHEREAS, Boston 2024 failed to provide the complete copy including the unredacted copies of chapters 5 and 6 of Bid 1.0; and

WHEREAS, In a July 13, 2015 letter to Boston 2024 addressed to Mr. Richard Davey, Councillor Tito Jackson requested the full copy of the original Bid 1.0 including the unredacted copies of chapters 5 and 6; and

WHEREAS, In a July 17, 2015 letter to Councillor Tito Jackson, Mr. Richard Davey failed to provide the requested documents; and

WHEREAS, The City of Boston City Council has probable cause to believe that the redacted information in chapters 5 and 6 of Bid 1.0 includes promises to the USOC that significantly impact the City of Boston and residents financially, economically, and socially; and

WHEREAS, The City of Boston City Council has probable cause to believe that the redacted information in chapters 5 and 6 are necessary for Boston City Councillors to fully represent the residents, to understand how taxpayers' monies will be used for the 2024 Summer Olympics and to provide oversight of the financial and city planning relating to the 2024 Summer Olympics; THEREFORE BE IT

ORDERED, That pursuant to M.G.L. c. 233, s. 8, the Boston City Council's Committee of the Whole summons Mr. Richard Davey of Boston 2024, of One Marina Park Drive, Boston, MA 02210, to appear before the Special Committee on the 2024 Olympics on August 13, 2015 at 1:00 PM to provide the complete copy of the original 2024 Summer Olympic Bid 1.0 and discuss the redacted information in chapters 5 and 6 and how that impacts the city of Boston and its residents.

Referred to the Committee of the Whole.

LATE-FILED MATTERS

The Chair stated that in absence of objection, four late-filed matters would be added to the Agenda.

No objection being heard, the following matters were added:

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEE (DOCKET NO. 1264)

Councilor LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, July 25, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, July 31, 2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Justin Brown, Secretary, $2,788.47, full time
Nichelle Sadler, Secretary, $2,865.39, full time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEE (DOCKET NO. 1265)

Councilor LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, August 1, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, September 11, 2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Justin Brown, Secretary, $1,567.94, full time
Nichelle Sadler, Secretary, $2,730.78, full time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEE (DOCKET NO. 1266)

Councilor LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, July 25, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, September 11, 2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Clancy Main, Secretary, $1,576.94, full time
Joseph T. Walsh, Secretary, $1,500.00, full time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

ORDER FOR HEARING REGARDING PILOT CONTRIBUTIONS BY HIGHER AND MEDICAL EDUCATION INSTITUTIONS (DOCKET NO. 1267)

Councilors MURPHY, BAKER, CIOMMO, FLAHERTY, JACKSON, LAMATTINA, LINEHAN, MCCARTHY, O'MALLEY, PRESSLEY, WU, YANCEY and ZAKIM offered the following:

ORDERED: That the appropriate committee of the Boston City Council shall examine the PILOT contributions by higher and medical education institutions for the years 2014 and 2015.

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

CONSENT AGENDA

The Chair moved adoption of a Consent Agenda in which the following-named Councilors offered resolutions of a condolence or congratulatory nature as set forth after each Councilor's name:

Councilor Zakim: Declaring July 31, 2015 as "Dean Virginia Sapiro Day" (Docket No. 1247)

Councilor Baker: Congratulating Lou Pasquale (Docket No. 1248) Recognizing Leslie Moore (Docket No. 1249)

Councilor O'Malley: In memory of Kathleen Flynn (Docket No. 1250) Congratulating Margaret Benedetti (Docket No. 1251)

Councilors Linehan and Flaherty: In memory of Debra A. Flaherty (Docket No. 1252) In memory of Anne M. McDonough (Docket No. 1253)

Councilor LaMattina: Recognizing seven people for their contributions to the Columbian community in the City of Boston (Docket No. 1254) In memory of Jeanne Sasso (Docket No. 1255) In memory of Ronald Taylor (Docket No. 1256)

Councilor Yancey: Recognizing Mrs. Patricia Bolling (Docket No. 1257) Recognizing Mrs. Carrie Stallworth (Docket No. 1258) Recognizing Hardy-Smith-Knox Family (Docket No. 1259) Recognizing Conference of Minority Transportation Officials (Docket No. 1260) Recognizing Seekers of Knowledge Inc. (Docket No. 1261) Recognizing the African Festival of Boston (Docket No. 1262) Recognizing the Universal Human Rights International's Participatory Democracy and Ballot Initiative Project for America (Docket No. 1263)

The chair stated that in absence of objection, five late-file matters would be added to the Consent Agenda.

No objection being heard the following matters were added:

Councilor McCarthy: Congratulating Denise Murphy (Docket No. 1268)
Councilor Murphy: Congratulating Linda Kelley (Docket No. 1269) In memory of Richard De Veer (Docket No. 1270)
Councilor LaMattina: Congratulating seven persons for their contribution to the Colombian community in the City of Boston (Docket No. 1271)
Councilor O'Malley: In memory of Laura Dutcher (Docket No. 1272)

The matters contained within the Consent Agenda were severally adopted.

Adjourned at 1:50 p.m. on motion of President Linehan in memory of Caroline Mary Collins, Mary Ellen (Wren) Howell, Debra A. Flaherty, Richard DeVeer, Anne M. McDonough, Margaret E. Collins, Laura Dutcher, Kathleen Flynn, Anthony Dowden, Naomi Mickles, Bishop Archie Foxworth, Andrew Star, John Quirk and Ambrose Ojimba, to meet again on Wednesday, August 12, 2015 at 12:00 p.m.

Note: All debate of City Council eliminated from proceedings in accordance with Chapter 447, Acts of 1947.

CITY OF BOSTON

Proceedings of the Boston City Council

Wednesday, August 12, 2015

Regular meeting of the City Council held in the Christopher A. Iannella Chamber, City Hall, at 12:08 p.m. President Linehan in the Chair.

INVOCATION

Reverend Ronald D. Coyne, Hyde Park, delivered the invocation, and the meeting was opened with the pledge of allegiance to the flag.

STATEMENT OF PRESIDENT LINEHAN

President LINEHAN moved to adopt the minutes from the July 22, 2015 meeting. **Motion prevailed.**

VISITORS TO CITY COUNCIL

Councilor LINEHAN welcomed the Democratic Lab of UMass Boston to the City Council Chamber today.

PRESENTATION BY COUNCILOR LAMATTINA

Councilor LAMATTINA presented resolutions to the City of Boston Base Program who are working with Boston's youth encouraging them to earn their place in society and on teams to teach them proper values. This certain class of individuals recently became the national baseball champions after a 36-game competition.

ORDINANCE TO PROHIBIT USE OF SMOKELESS TOBACCO AND OTHER TOBACCO PRODUCTS AT SITES FOR PROFESSIONAL AND AMATEUR BASEBALL AND OTHER SPORTING EVENTS (DOCKET NO. 1273)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

August 10, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith for your approval an Ordinance prohibiting the use of smokeless tobacco at sporting events in Boston.

The Ordinance will prohibit the use of smokeless tobacco and other tobacco products at event sites for professional, collegiate, high school, or organized amateur sporting events including baseball, softball, football, basketball, hockey, track and field, field hockey, lacrosse, and soccer; and any other event involving a game or other athletic competition organized by a league or association. Those managing the event sites will be responsible for maintaining compliance with the ordinance. Signs will be clearly posted at entrances to sites as well as dugouts, bullpens, training and locker rooms and press boxes.

The purpose of this Ordinance is to promote public health by breaking the link between athletics and the use of smokeless tobacco, and the unhealthy incentive it gives to young people to adopt its use. The National Cancer Institute states that chewing tobacco and snuff contain 28 cancer-causing agents and the U.S. National Toxicology Program has established smokeless tobacco as a "known human carcinogen."

I therefore urge your Honorable Body to act favorably on the proposed ordinance.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

AN ORDINANCE TO PROHIBIT THE USE OF SMOKELESS TOBACCO AND OTHER TOBACCO PRODUCTS AT SITES FOR PROFESSIONAL AND AMATEUR BASEBALL AND OTHER SPORTING EVENTS.

WHEREAS, while cigarette smoking in the U.S. has been on the decline, reports from the U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) and high school surveys, indicate that the use of smokeless tobacco among youth has not declined significantly since 1999; and

WHEREAS, far too many young people use smokeless tobacco, CDC finding that nationally 14.7% percent of high-school boys and 8.8 percent of all high-school students reported using smokeless products in 2013; and

WHEREAS, each year, about 535,000 kids ages 12-17 use smokeless tobacco for the first time; and

WHEREAS, public health authorities, including the Surgeon General and the National Cancer Institute, have found that smokeless tobacco use is hazardous to health and can lead to nicotine addiction; and

WHEREAS, the National Cancer Institute states that chewing tobacco and snuff contain 28 cancer causing agents and the U.S. National Toxicology Program has established smokeless tobacco as a ''known human carcinogen"; and

WHEREAS, the National Cancer Institute and the International Agency for Research on Cancer report that use of smokeless tobacco causes oral, pancreatic and esophageal cancer; and

WHEREAS, smokeless tobacco products are heavily advertised and promoted, with the top five smokeless tobacco companies in the U.S. nearly tripling their total advertising and marketing expenditures from 1998 to 2012 (the most recent year for which data are available). The Federal Trade Commission reports that in 2012, these smokeless tobacco companies spent $435.7 million to advertise and promote their products; and

WHEREAS, an expert from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (COC) stated that, "Athletes serve as role models for youth, and smokeless tobacco manufacturers have used advertising, images, and testimonials featuring athletes and sports to make smokeless tobacco products appear attractive to youth"; and

WHEREAS, the CDC expert also noted that, "Children and teens closely observe athletes' actions, including their use of tobacco products, and are influenced by what they see. Adolescents tend to mimic the behaviors of those they look up to and identify with, including baseball players and other athletes";

WHEREAS, the use of smokeless tobacco has become part of the culture of baseball, not only at the professional level, but at every level through the sport,

WHEREAS, the strong association of baseball and smokeless tobacco is reinforced by the use of smokeless tobacco by players, coaches and fans at every level of the sport, professional and amateur,

WHEREAS, the use of the category of so-called "other tobacco products" including smokeless tobacco products has outpaced the use of traditional cigarettes among Boston youth; and

WHEREAS, smokeless tobacco spit is unsanitary and interferes with the enjoyment of other players and fans.

Therefore, City of Boston Code, Ordinances, Chapter VII, Section 7-4 is hereby amended by inserting the following language after subsection 7-4.14:

7-4.15 Use of Smokeless Tobacco aod Other Tobacco Products Prohibited at Sites for Professional and Amateur Baseball and Other Sporting Events.

a. Notwithstanding any other provision of law, no person shall use smokeless tobacco or any other tobacco product, at an event site for professional, collegiate, high school or organized amateur sporting events.

b. As used in this subsection:

"Event site for professional, collegiate, high school and other organized amateur sporting events" means the entire physical area in which such sporting events occur. The event site shall include all open, semi-open and enclosed spaces and structures, including, but not limited to, playing fields, dugouts, bullpens, training rooms, locker rooms, team bench areas, spectator seating areas, pedestrian walkways, bathrooms, dining areas, vendor areas, offices, recreational areas and stadium parking lots."

"Professional, collegiate, high school or organized amateur sporting events" includes: (1) baseball, softball, football, basketball, hockey, track and field, field hockey, lacrosse and soccer; and (2) any other event involving a game or other athletic competition organized by a league or association of persons.

"Tobacco product" means:

(1) Any product containing, made, or derived from tobacco or nicotine that is intended for human consumption, whether smoked, heated, chewed, absorbed, dissolved, inhaled, snorted, sniffed, or ingested by any other means, including, but not limited to cigarettes, cigars, little cigars, pipe tobacco, smokeless tobacco; and

(2) Any electronic device that delivers nicotine or other substances to the person inhaling from the device, including but not limited to an electronic cigarette, cigar, pipe or hookah.

(3) "Tobacco product" includes any component, part, or accessory of a tobacco product as defined in subsections (1) and (2), whether or not sold separately. ''Tobacco product" does not include any product that has been approved by the United States Food and Drug Administration for sale as a tobacco cessation product or for other therapeutic purposes where such product is marketed and sold solely for such an approved purpose.

"Smokeless tobacco" means any product that contains cut, ground, powdered, or leaf tobacco and is intended to be placed in the oral or nasal cavity, including, but not limited to, snuff, chewing tobacco, dipping tobacco, dissolvable tobacco products and snus.

c. Persons or entities having the authority to manage and control an event site for professional, collegiate, high school and organized amateur sporting events shall have primary responsibility for maintaining compliance with this section. The same shall post at every entrance a conspicuous sign clearly communicating that the use of tobacco products, including smokeless tobacco, is prohibited. Such signs shall also be posted in all dugouts, bullpens, training rooms, locker rooms, press boxes, television and radio broadcast booths and bathrooms.

d. Any person found to be in violation of this section may be fined two hundred fifty ($250.00) dollars per offense. Enforcement ofthis subsection shall be by noncriminal disposition as provided in M.G.L. Chapter 40, Section 21D or by flling a criminal complaint at the appropriate venue.

e. The provisions of this ordinance shall be construed to supplement, and impose prohibitions and requirements in addition to those in existing law. If any provision of this ordinance is found to be unconstitutional or otherwise invalid by any court of competent jurisdiction, that invalidity shall not affect the remaining provisions of this ordinance which can be implemented without the invalid provision, and, to this end, the provisions of this ordinance are declared to be severable.

f. The prohibitions and requirements of this ordinance shall take effect on April 1, 2016.

Referred to the Committee on Government Operations.

ORDINANCE AMENDING CBC ORDINANCES, CHAPTER XVI, 16-59 (RECREATIONAL VEHICLES) (DOCKET NO. 1274)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

August 10, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith for your approval an Ordinance regarding recreational vehicles within the City of Boston. The purpose of this Ordinance is to empower the City to police owners and operators of recreational vehicles that have become a public nuisance by exhibiting a notorious atmosphere of criminal and other disturbing activity so elevated as to endanger the common good and general welfare of the City.

Section 25 of G.L. c. 90B prohibits "recreation vehicles," including dirt bikes and other off-highway motorcycles, from operating on public ways in the Commonwealth. This Ordinance further prohibits the hazardous operation of all motorized conveyances, including recreational vehicles, on any public space within the City and allows for enforcement by the Boston Police Department to reduce the threat to the safety of pedestrians and motorists alike, created by such operation.

Additionally, Section 22 of G.L. c. 90B requires that all recreational vehicles be registered with the Boat, Recreation Vehicle & Snowmobile Registration Bureau and that a valid registration number must be displayed on the vehicle. This ordinance also prohibits the storage of more than one (1) unregistered recreational vehicle, unless such vehicles are stored within a fully-enclosed building or stored, parked, or displayed on property duly licensed in accordance with G.L. c. 140 §§ 57 through 69.

I urge your Honorable Body to act favorably on the proposed Ordinance.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

Be it ordained by the City Council of Boston, as follows that the City of Boston Code be amended by adding the following ordinance:

SECTION 1. City of Boston Code, Ordinances, Chapter XVI is hereby amended by inserting after Section 16-58 the following new ordinance:--

16-59 AN ORDINANCE REGARDING RECRE-

ATIONAL VEHICLES IN THE CITY OF BOSTON.

16--59 Recreational Vehicles.

a. Definitions.

I. Recreational Vehicle is any motor vehicle designed or modified for use over unimproved terrain for recreation or pleasure including, but not limited to, all-terrain vehicles, off highway motorcycles, dirt bikes, and recreation utility vehicles.

2. Motorized Conveyance is any wheel device used to carry persons or property which is powered by any means other than muscular power alone.

b. Recreational vehicle registration. Pursuant to M.G.L. c. 90B, § 22, no recreational vehicle, as defined by M.G.L. c. 90B, § 20, may be operated unless it is registered with the Boat, Recreation Vehicle & Snowmobile Registration Bureau and a valid registration number is displayed on the vehicle.

c. Unregistered vehicles.

I. No person shall place, store, or keep more than one (I) unregistered motorized conveyance that, in order to be operated, is required to be registered under the laws or regulations of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, including but not limited to M.G.L. c. 90B, upon public or private land zoned for residential purposes of six (6) or fewer residential units.

2. This section shall not apply to vehicles stored within a fully-enclosed building or to vehicles stored, parked, or displayed on property duly licensed in accordance with M.G.L. c. 140, §§ 57 through 69.

d. Property of Another. No person shall operate, maintain or possess a recreational vehicle upon the property of another without written permission of the land owner on their person.

e. Hazardous Operation. No person shall engage in trick or stunt riding upon any public space in the City upon any motorized conveyance, including recreational vehicles.

1. An operator of any motorized conveyance, including a recreational vehicle, shall not cause such vehicle to ride with its front wheel or wheels raise from the surface of the road or ground while operated in any public space.

2. An operator of any motorized conveyance, including a recreational vehicle, shall not cause such vehicle to ride with its rear wheels raised from the sUtface of the road. or ground while operated in any public space.

3. An operator of any motorized conveyance, including a recreational vehicle, shall not cause any side wheels of such vehicle to raise from the surface of the road or ground while operated in any public space.

4. An operator of any motorized conveyance, including a recreational vehicle, shall not ride such vehicles with his or her feet or knees planted on the seat while operating in any public space.

5. An operator of any motorized conveyance, including a recreational vehicle, shall not operate such vehicle in a manner commonly associated with trick or stunt riding.

6. An operator of any motorized conveyance, including a recreational vehicle, shall not operate such vehicle with a passenger if designed for a single rider.

7. No passenger shall ride upon any motorized conveyance, including a recreational vehicle, that is designed for a single rider.

8. An operator of any motorized conveyance, including a recreational vehicle, shall not operate such vehicle with a passenger sitting or riding upon the handle bars or forward of the operator.

f. Penalties. A violation of CBC 16-59 shall be subject to a fine of $250 for the first violation, and for a second or subsequent offense, by a fine of $300.

g. Enforcement and regulatory authority. The Commissioner of the Boston Police Department, shall have the authority to enforce these sections and to promulgate rules and regulations necessary to implement and enforce these sections. Additionally, the Commissioners of the Inspectional Services Department, the Public Works Department and the Boston Transportation Department shall also have authority to enforce section c (Unregistered Vehicles) and d (Property of Another) herein. The provisions of M.G.L. c. 40, s. 21D may be used to enforce this section. The Boston Police Department shall have the authority to impound any vehicle in violation of these sections. The Boston Police Department shall have the authority to enter upon and pass through or over private lands and property whether or not covered by water, to enforce this CBC.

h. Applicability. If any provision of these sections imposes greater restrictions or obligations than those imposed by any other general law, special law, regulation, rule, ordinance, order, or policy, then the provisions of these sections shall control.

i. Severability. If any provision of these sections shall be held to be invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction, then such provision shall be considered separately and apart from the remaining provisions, which shall remain in full force and effect.

Referred to the Committee on Government Operations.

ORDER AMENDING TAX INCREMENT FINANCING (TIF) AGREEMENT BETWEEN CITY OF BOSTON AND VERTEX PHARMACEUTICALS. CITY AND VERTEX ORIGINALLY ENTERED INTO TIF AGREEMENT IN 2011 PROVIDED FOR APPROXIMATELY $12.1 MILLION IN TAX INCENTIVE CONDITIONED UPON COMPANY RELOCATION AND EXPANDING ITS WORKFORCE AT COMPANY'S NEW FACILITIES ON FAN PIER IN SOUTH BOSTON. PROJECT HAS DELIVERED CONSIDERABLE BENEFITS TO CITY AND HAS SERVED AS IMPORTANT CATALYST FOR SIGNIFICANT GROWTH IN INNOVATION DISTRICT (DOCKET NO. 1275)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

July 27, 2015

To the City Council.

Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith for your information an amendment to the Tax Increment Financing (TIF) Agreement between the City and Vertex Pharmaceuticals. The City and Vertex originally entered into a TIP agreement in 2011 that provided for approximately $12.1 million in tax incentives conditioned upon the company relocating and expanding its workforce at the company's new facilities on Fan Pier in South Boston. The project has delivered considerable benefits to the City and has served as an important catalyst for the significant growth in the Innovation District.

While the two new buildings covered under the TIF have been constructed and occupied, Vertex has fallen below its commitment to bring a total of 1,741 jobs to the site. At its most recent reporting, the company had added 1,311 jobs at the site, approximately 75% the total commitment. While Vertex believes it will meet its job commitment in future years, it nonetheless acknowledges that it has fallen short of the benchmark required under the agreement.

The attached amendment to the TIF agreement addresses this issue. The TIP agreement contained a provision that provided for the parties "to negotiate a mutually acceptable and reasonable resolution" if Vertex fell short of its commitments. The attached amendment provides for a reduction in the TIF factors consistent with the shortfall in the employment numbers. As a result, the benefit to the company under the TIF will now be reduced to tax savings to the company of approximately $9 million.

Thank. you for your attention to this matter.

(annexed hereto is the documentation referred to.)

Referred to the Committee on Economic Development and Planning and Labor.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

ORDER AUTHORIZING CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND GRANT NOT TO EXCEED $300,000 ADMINISTERED BY ROCKEFELLER PHILANTHROPY ADVISORS, INC., ON BEHALF OF 100 RESILIENT CITIES INITIATIVE TO PAY FOR SALARY AND BENEFITS OF POSITION OF CHIEF RESILIENCE OFFICER FOR PERIOD OF TWO YEARS (DOCKET NO. 1276)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

August 3, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I hereby transmit for your approval an Order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend a grant administered by Rockefeller Philanthropy Advisors, Inc., on behalf of the 100 Resilient Cities Initiative in the amount not to exceed $300,000 to pay for the salary and benefits of the position of Chief Resilience Officer for a period of two years.

I urge your Honorable Body to adopt this Order as soon as possible so that the City of Boston may accept the funds expeditiously and expend them for the purposes for which these funds were granted.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND A GRANT ADMINISTERED BY ROCKEFELLER PHILANTHROPIES, INC., ON BEHALF OF THE 100 RESILIENT CITIES INITIATIVE.

ORDERED: That the mayor of Boston, acting on behalf of the City of Boston, be and hereby is authorized, pursuant to G.L. c. 44, § 53A, to accept and expend a grant from Rockefeller Philanthropies, Inc., on behalf of the 100 Resilient Cities Initiative in the amount not to exceed Three Hundred Thousand Dollars ($300,000) to pay for the salary and benefits of the position of Chief Resilience Officer for a period of two years.

Referred to the Committee on Economic Development, Planning and Labor.

Councilor LAMATTINA moved reconsideration of Docket No. 1276.

Reconsideration prevailed.

The rules were suspended, the order was passed.

ORDER AUTHORIZING CITY TO ACCEPT FURNITURE AND CASEWORK FROM FALLON CORNERSTONE ONE MPD, LLC TO CITY OF BOSTON PROPERTY MANAGEMENT DEPARTMENT TO SUPPORT MUNICIPAL OFFICE UPGRADES (DOCKET NO. 1277)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

August 7, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I hereby transmit for your approval an Order authorizing the City of Boston to accept furniture and casework with an estimated value of approximately two thousand nine hundred seventy five dollars ($2,975.00) from The Fallon Cornerstone One MPD, LLC to the City of Boston's Property Management Department to use in support of municipal offices upgrades.

I urge your Honorable Body to adopt this Order as soon as possible so that the City of Boston may accept the furniture and use it for the purposes for which it was granted.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT FURNITURE FROM THE FALLON CORNERSTONE ONE MPD, LLC.

ORDERED: That the Mayor, acting on behalf of the City of Boston be, and hereby is authorized, pursuant to section 53AY1 of chapter 44 of the Massachusetts General Laws, to accept furniture and casework from The Fallon Cornerstone One MPD, LLC, to the City of Boston's Property Management Department to support municipal office upgrades.

The rules were suspended, the order was passed.

ORDER FOR CONFIRMATION OF APPOINTMENT OF CAROL DOWNS AS MEMBER OF BOSTON REDEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY AND ECO-

NOMIC DEVELOPMENT INDUSTRIAL CORPORATION FOR TERM EXPIRING SEPTEMBER 17, 2017 (DOCKET NO. 1278)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

August 3, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith and for approval by your Honorable Body my appointment of Carol Downs, 113 Poplar Street, Boston as a member of the Boston Redevelopment Authority and Economic Development Industrial Corporation, for a term ending September 17,2017. I am appointing Ms. Downs pursuant to the authority vested in me by Massachusetts General Laws Chapter 121B, Section 5, and subject to your confirmation.

I urge your Honorable Body to pass this Order.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

ORDER TO CONFIRM THE APPOINTMENT OF CAROL DOWNS TO THE BOSTON REDEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT INDUSTRIAL CORPORATION FOR A TERM EXPIRING SEPTEMBER 17, 2017.

ORDERED: That the appointment of Carol Downs, residing at 113 Poplar Street, Boston, as a member of the Boston Redevelopment Authority and Economic Development Industrial Corporation, for a term ending September 17, 2017, be, and hereby is, confirmed.

Referred to the Committee on Economic Development, Planning and Labor.

ORDER FOR CONFIRMATION OF APPOINTMENT OF PRISCILLA ROJAS AS MEMBER OF BOSTON REDEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT INDUSTRIAL CORPORATION FOR TERM EXPIRING SEPTEMBER 17, 2016 (DOCKET NO. 1279)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

August 3, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith and for approval by your Honorable Body my appointment of Priscilla Rojas, 210 Lincoln Street, Boston, as a member of the Boston Redevelopment Authority and Economic Development Industrial Corporation, for a term ending September 17,2016. I am appointing Ms. Rojas pursuant to the authority vested in me by Massachusetts General Laws Chapter 121B, Section 5, and subject to your confirmation.

I urge your Honorable Body to pass this order.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

ORDER TO CONFIRM THE APPOINTMENT OF PRISCILLA ROJAS TO THE BOSTON REDEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT INDUSTRIAL CORPORATION FOR A TERM EXPIRING SEPTEMBER 17,2016.

ORDERED: That the appointment of Priscilla Rojas, residing at 210 Lincoln Street, Boston, as a member of the Boston Redevelopment Authority and Economic Development Industrial Corporation, for a term ending September 17, 2016, be, and hereby is, confirmed.

Referred to the Committee on Economic Development, Planning and Labor.

APPROVAL OF CONSTABLE'S BONDS
(DOCKET NO. 1280)

The Constable Bonds of Linda Castagna, having been duly approved by the Collector-Treasurer, was received and approved under the usual terms and conditions.

NOTICE RECEIVED FROM CITY OF BOSTON COMPENSATION ADVISORY BOARD OF FIRST HALF OF THEIR COMPENSATION ANALYSIS REPORT AND RECOMMENDATIONS (DOCKET NO. 1281)

Notice was received from the City of Boston Compensation Advisory Board of the first half of their compensation analysis report and recommendations.

Referred to the Committee of the Whole.

COMMUNICATION RECEIVED FROM CITY CLERK FILING BY BRA OF FIRST AMENDMENT TO REPORT AND DECISION ON BRIGHTON ALLSTON ELDERLY HOMES, INC. A/K/A MCNAMARA HOUSING PURSUANT TO CHAPTER 121A, SECTION 6A OF THE MASSACHUSETTS GENERAL LA W (DOCKET NO. 1282)

Communication was received from the City Clerk of the filing by the Boston Redevelopment Authority of the First Amendment to the Report and Decision on the Brighton Allston Elderly Homes, INC. a/k/a McNamara Housing pursuant to Chapter 121A, Section 6A of The Massachusetts General Law.

Placed on file.

COMMUNICATION RECEIVED FROM CITY CLERK OF FILING BY BRA OF EIGHTH AMENDMENT TO REPORT AND DECISION ON LANDMARK CENTER PURSUANT TO CHAPTER 121A, SECTION 6A OF MASSACHUSETTS GENERAL LAW (DOCKET NO. 1283)

Communication was received from the City Clerk of the filing by the Boston Redevelopment Authority of the Eighth Amendment to the report and Decision on the Landmark Center pursuant to Chapter 121A, Section 6A of The Massachusetts General Law. 1283

Placed on file.

APPOINTMENT BY THE MAYOR
(DOCKET NO. 1284)

Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of Dion Irish, as Commissioner of the Elections Department, effective August 10, 2015.

Placed on file.

NOTICE RECEIVED FROM CITY CLERK IN ACCORDANCE WITH CHAPTER 6 OF ORDINANCES OF 1979 RE: ACTION TAKEN BY MAYOR ON PAPERS ACTED UPON BY CITY COUNCIL AT ITS MEETING OF JULY 15, 2015 (DOCKET NO. 1285)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the City Clerk

August 10, 2015

To the City Council.
Councilors:

In accordance with Chapter 6 of the Ordinances of 1979, I hereby notify you of the following actions taken by the Mayor with regard to the papers acted upon by the City Council at its meeting of July 15, 2015 viz.

0114 Petition for a special law re: "An Act Removing the City of Boston Parks Department from Approval of Street Closures Permitting Process".
Approved by the Mayor July 17, 2015

0346 Petition for a Special Law re: An Act Related to Segregated Reserve Funds in the City of Boston
Approved by the Mayor July 17, 2015

1071 Order approving an appropriation of Six Hundred Thousand Dollars ($600,000.00) for the purpose of paying cost of a feasibility study and schematic design work associated with window/door replacement projects at the following schools: Young Achievers Science and Math, Community Academy of Science and Health, TechBoston Academy, Ellis School, McKay School, Curley School and the Sumner School. Upon completion of the feasibility study, the City of Boston may be eligible for a grant from the Massachusetts School Building Authority, said amount to be expended under the direction of the Public Facilities Department on behalf of Boston Public Schools.
Approved by the Mayor July 17, 2015

1160 Order authorizing the Police Department to accept and expend a donation from Brigham and Women's Hospital of children's bicycle helmets to be distributed to children in the community in conjunction with educational events on bicycle safety.
Approved by the Mayor July 17, 2015

1161 Constable Bonds of Indira C. Alvarez, Michael Campbell, Anthony Cillo, Toney Jones, Raoul Jacques, Tawonya Morris~ William, David Rini, Taschetta Stephens-Weston, Yolanda Stinson-Tubbs, Yvonne L. Tofuri, Geonanne Colon, William Flippin, Aisha Johnson, Kevin Loffus, Ronald Luccio, Barra Mohamed and Wallace Tilford.
Approved by the Mayor July 17, 2015

Respectfully,
Maureen Feeney,
City Clerk.

Placed on file.

NOTICE RECEIVED FROM CITY CLERK IN ACCORDANCE WITH CHAPTER 6 OF ORDINANCES OF 1979 RE: ACTION TAKEN BY MAYOR ON PAPERS ACTED UPON BY CITY COUNCIL AT ITS MEETING OF JULY 22, 2015 (DOCKET NO. 1286)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the City Clerk

August 10, 2015

To the City Council.
Councilors:

In accordance with Chapter 6 of the Ordinances of 1979, I hereby notify you Of the following actions taken by the Mayor with regard to the papers acted upon by the City Council at its meeting of July 22, 2015 viz.

1072 Order authorizing the Police Commissioner to accept and expend funds of Two Hundred Seventy Five Thousand Four Hundred Dollars ($275,400.00) from the Massachusetts Office of Victim Assistance, for the purpose of expanding the behavioral health supports for the Boston Police Staff and other local law enforcement agencies who responded to the Boston Marathon bombing.
Approved by the Mayor July 27, 2015

1073 Order authorizing the Police Commissioner to accept and expend a grant in the amount of Eighty Four Thousand Dollars ($84,000.00) awarded by the Executive Office of Public Safety and Security, for the purpose of providing overtime to conduct three high-visibility enforcement mobilizations.
Approved by the Mayor July 27, 2015

1074 Order authorizing the Police Commissioner to accept and expend a grant of Sixty Nine Thousand Nine Hundred Ninety Dollars and Forty Cents ($69.990.40) from the U.S. Department of Justice, Bureau of Justice Assistance funds for the Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant (JAG), for the Boston Police Department for the purposes of supporting youth / police dialogues and events over a 12- month period.
Approved by the Mayor July 27, 2015

1155 Order authorizing the Police Commissioner to accept and expend the FY16 State 911 Department PSAP and Regional Emergency Communication Center Support and Incentive grant of Three Million Two Hundred Fifty Three Thousand Three Hundred and Seventeen Dollars ($3,253,317.00) awarded by the Executive Office of Public Safety and Security State 911 Department.
Approved by the Mayor July 27, 2015

1156 Order authorizing the Police Commissioner to accept and expend the FY16 State 911 Department Training grant funds of Seven Hundred Seventy Three Thousand Four Hundred Eighty-Six Dollars ($773,486.00) awarded by the Executive Office of Public Safety and Security State 911 Department.
Approved by the Mayor July 27, 2015

1157 Order authorizing the Public Works Commissioner, to accept and expend a grant of Three Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars ($350,000.00) from the Commonwealth of Massachusetts Department of Energy Resources to retrofit City vehicles with alternative fuel sources.
Approved by the Mayor July 27, 2015

1158 Order authorizing the Police Department to accept and expend a donation of One Hundred and Twenty Five Thousand Dollars ($125,000.00) from the Downtown Boston Business Improvement District, for the purchase and installation of video cameras and related equipment in the Downtown Boston area.
Approved by the Mayor July 27, 2015

1159 Order authorizing the Office of Environment, Energy, and Open Space to accept and expend a grant of Eighty- Five Thousand Nine Hundred and Seventy-Five Dollars ($85,975.00) from the Green Communities Division of the Massachusetts Department of Energy Resources (DOER), for the purpose of installation of indirect, active solar thermal domestic hot water systems at various Boston Fire Department facilities.
Approved by the Mayor July 27, 2015

1238 Order authorizing the Police Department to accept and expend a donation of a 2008 Genuine Roughhouse R50 Scooter, VIN RFVPMP20191003236 from Scooters-Go Green. The Scooter will be used as a bait scooter in areas identified as "hot spots" to apprehend scooter thieve.
Approved by the Mayor July 27, 2015

1240 Constable Bond Charles MBA.
Approved by the Mayor July 27, 2015

Respectfully,
Maureen Feeney,
City Clerk.

Placed on file.

JITNEY APPLICATION
(DOCKET NO. 1287)

Petition of Hilton Garden Inn Shuttle for a license to operate motor vehicles for the carriage of passengers for hire over certain streets in Boston.

Referred to the Committee on City, Neighborhood Services and Veterans Affairs.

APPOINTMENT BY THE MAYOR
(DOCKET NO. 1288)

Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of Janine Anzalota, as Executive Director of the Office of Fair Housing and Equity, effective August 10, 2015.
Placed on file.

APPOINTMENT BY THE MAYOR (DOCKET NO. 1289)
Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of Christopher Osgood, as Chief of the Streets, effective August 10, 2015.

Placed on file.

APPOINTMENT BY THE MAYOR
(DOCKET NO. 1290)

Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of Dion Irish, as a member of the Public Facilities Commission, effective August 4, 2015.

Placed on file.

REPORT ON ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 16 OF CITY OF BOSTON CODE - ORDINANCES, PROHIBITING SALE AND USE OF SYNTHETIC CANNABINOIDS AND OTHER DANGEROUS CHEMICAL COMPOUNDS (DOCKET NO. 1175)

Councilor FLAHERTY, on behalf of the Committee on Government Operations, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 1175, an ordinance amending Chapter 16 of the City of Boston Code -ordinances, prohibiting the sale and use of synthetic cannabinoids and other dangerous chemical compounds, submits a report recommending the ordinance ought to pass in a new draft (referred July 15) - recommending passage of the ordinance in a new draft.

The report was accepted; the ordinance, in its new draft, was passed.

ORDER FOR HEARING REGARDING CREATION OF EDUCATIONAL COMPONENT IN BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS REGARDING WHAT CHILDREN SHOULD DO WHEN THEY SEE NEEDLE OR OTHER DRUG PARAPHERNALIA (DOCKET NO. 1291)

Councilors MCCARTHY, JACKSON, LINEHAN, BAKER, CIOMMO, FLAHERTY, LAMATTINA, MURPHY, O'MALLEY, PRESSLEY, WU, YANCEY and ZAKIM offered the following:

WHEREAS, The City of Boston is experiencing an epidemic increase in the use of opioids by young people. City crews have collected more than 3,200 discarded needles around Boston since June. And
WHEREAS, A seven year old child was recently pricked by a needle in a Hyde Park Playground and is currently undergoing extensive treatment to protect her from potential disease. And
WHEREAS, Use of these drugs are taking place in our neighborhoods and in our parks and our parks and playgrounds often leaving drug paraphernalia in easy reach of children. And
WHEREAS, Education about picking up, touching or disposing of this material is lacking in our educational system and children with their natural curiosity are at risk of exposure to disease if they handle and are accidently pricked by discarded needles.
WHEREAS, The schools are best equipped to provide educational resources regarding what a child should do if they see needles or other drug paraphernalia.
WHEREAS, Providing educational opportunities for our children plus working in collaboration with The City of Boston on this devastating problem will help us get to a place where no child is unsafe in our neighborhoods our parks and our playgrounds.
NOW, THEREFORE BE IT ORDERED. That the appropriate committee of the Boston City Council holds a hearing to discuss implementing a drug educational component in all Boston elementary schools to teach what a child should do if they see a needle or other drug paraphernalia. The Mayor's Office, Boston Public Schools and Boston Public Health Commission will be invited to attend.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

ORDER FOR HEARING RE: BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS PARENT ENGAGEMENT MBTA VOUCHERS (DOCKET NO. 1292)

Councilors WU, O'MALLEY, YANCEY, JACKSON, PRESSLEY and ZAKIM offered the following:

WHEREAS: The City of Boston is home to the first public school system in the United States; and
WHEREAS: Boston Public Schools spent $3,060,218 in FY14 for BPS Controlled Choice MBTA, servicing 14,314 students with yearly passes; and
WHEREAS: In 2014, 78% of BPS families qualified for free or reduced lunch, totaling approximately 44,460 families; and
WHEREAS: According to data from 2005-2009,23% percent of families with children in Boston are at or below the Federal Poverty Standard, and thus paying for extra-

curricular transportation may not be a possibility; and

WHEREAS: Parents or guardians who do not have the means to spend money on transportation costs miss out on parent teacher conferences, school open houses, and other vital school events; and

WHEREAS: It is proven that children supported by strong parental involvement in the classroom perform at a higher level; and

WHEREAS: Enabling more parents to attend school events would strengthen students' academic performance in the classroom while also helping parents and guardians to feel informed and supported; and

WHEREAS: Having a set of vouchers specifically for school events may be a catalyst to increase awareness about opportunities for parents to get involved; and

WHEREAS: Providing five MBTA vouchers per student, at approximately $4.20 per trip ($2.10 each way), for 44,460 low income families would total $933,660, which is less than 0.1 % of the total BPS budget for FY 2016, and a potential partnership with the MBT A could further reduce this cost; NOW

THEREFORE BE IT ORDERED, That the appropriate committee of the Boston City Council hold a hearing to discuss the viability, impact, and potential sources offunding for MBTA pass vouchers for low income BPS families; and that representatives from the MBTA, Boston Public Schools, Community Parent groups, and BPS families at large be invited.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

ORDER FOR HEARING TO DISCUSS URBAN WILD PROTECTIONS FOR CERTAIN PARCELS OF LAND ALONG AMERICAN LEGION HIGHWAY(DOCKET NO. 1293)

Rule 12 was suspended to include Councilor YANCEY as original co-sponsor of Docket No. 1293.

Councilors MURPHY, WU, YANCEY, FLAHERTY, LINEHAN, BAKER, CIOMMO, JACKSON, LAMATTINA, MCCARTHY, O'MALLEY and PRESSLEY offered the following:

WHEREAS: The City of Boston is home to a valuable collection of open spaces known as Urban Wilds; and

WHEREAS: There are currently 103 designated Urban Wilds covering 1,300 acres of land in neighborhoods such as Dorchester, Hyde Park and Jamaica Plain in the City of Boston; and

WHEREAS: These open spaces provide a quiet and tranquil oasis in the city; and

WHEREAS: There are certain parcels of land along American Legion Highway that if protected and cleaned up could be ideal for urban wild designation some publicly owned by the City of Boston and by the Department of Conservation and Recreation as well as some are privately owned parcels that are undeveloped and unmaintained; and

WHEREAS: If protected and maintained these areas could add to hiking trails and walking paths that exist in the southwest corridor of Boston; and

WHEREAS: Protecting these areas is important to the quality of life of residents in nearby neighborhoods of Roslindale, Mattapan & Hyde Park and also the entire City of Boston; and

THEREFORE BE IT ORDERED, That the appropriate committee of the Boston City Council hold a hearing to discuss the feasibility of offering protections to certain parcels along American Legion Highway; and that representatives from the Boston Parks Department, City of Boston Environment Department, Department of Conservation and Recreation, and the Boston Natural Areas Network and any other interested parties shall be invited to attend.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Parks.

RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF NEW BOSTON SAFE HOTELS PROGRAM (DOCKET NO. 1294)

Rule 12 was suspended to include Councilor MCCARTHY as original co-sponsor of Docket No. 1294.

Councilors ZAKIM, PRESSLEY, MCCARTHY, FLAHERTY, LINEHAN, CIOMMO, LAMATTINA, BAKER, MURPHY, O'MALLEY, WU, YANCEY and JACKSON offered the following:

WHEREAS, The Boston City Council's Committee on Healthy Women, Families & Communities held a hearing on June 25, 2015 to examine health and safety issues present in Boston's hotels and discuss strategies for protecting hotel guests and workers; and

WHEREAS, UNITE HERE Local 26 represents thousands of hospitality industry workers in Boston and across Massachusetts; and

WHEREAS, Local 26 has recently developed the "Boston Safe Hotels" program, a copy of which is attached hereto; and

WHEREAS, Boston Safe Hotels is a voluntary program under which local hotels pledge to adopt a set of five fundamental health and safety protocols; and

WHEREAS, Boston Safe Hotels is the first program of its kind in the country, providing Boston's hotels with an opportunity to innovate and lead on an issue of critical importance to the City's residents and visitors; THEREFORE BE IT

RESOL VED, That the Boston City Council commends Local 26 on its efforts to promote safety in Boston's hotels for both guests and workers; AND BE IT FURTHER

RESOLVED, That the Boston City Council encourages all Boston hotels to take a national leadership role by signing on to the Boston Safe Hotels program.

Boston Safe Hotels

Visitors to Boston have a right to stay in hotel rooms that are clean, sanitary and secure. Hotels participating in Boston Safe Hotels are committed to ensuring guest rooms are safe for all Boston travelers. By adopting the protocols recommended by Boston's Safe Hotels, Boston's hospitality industry can be a national leader in promoting clean, safe hotels.

Participating Boston hotels commit to:

- A safe response to biohazards. Biohazards like blood, other bodily fluids and needles must be disposed of safely to prevent risks to guests. Hotel staff responsible for disposing of biohazards at participating hotels will receive training to deal with these materials. The hotel will guarantee that the supplies necessary to clean potentially infectious materials and surfaces are always available to cleaning and housekeeping staff.

- Strong action to prevent human trafficking. Participating hotels will institute a training program to educate hotel workers, including front desk agents, security and housekeepers, to identify and report human trafficking. Hotels will be required to institute a policy and protocol for responding to and reporting human trafficking, that includes a zero tolerance policy for traffickers and buyers utilizing hotel property to commit crimes of human trafficking. No hotel employee will be disciplined for reporting suspected human trafficking.

- A comprehensive bed bug prevention and elimination program. Early detection of bed bugs is essential to prevent infestations. In order to protect the traveling public, participating hotels will provide specialized training for staff on signs of bed bug activity in guest rooms. They will ensure

that cleaning staff have sufficient time to perform daily checks for bed bug activity.

- Provide necessary equipment to clean and sanitize rooms. Participating hotels will provide cleaning staff with equipment to ensure fully sanitized rooms, including: a) appropriate types and quantities of sanitizing chemicals; b) access to a sharps container and biohazard bags; c) consistent access to enough clean linens to fully restock rooms as needed; and d) personal protective equipment, including, but not limited to, an adequate supply of allergen-appropriate gloves, face masks, uniform covers and shoe protection.

- Set safe staffing ratios for cleanliness. At minimum, cleaning staffwill enter all occupied rooms daily to provide fresh linens, sanitize bathrooms and commonly touched areas, remove any present hazards and check for signs of bed bug activity. To ensure that staff have adequate time to comprehensively clean and sanitize assigned rooms, participating hotels will ensure that cleaning staffhave a reasonable workload.

On motion of Councilors Zakim, Pressley and McCarthy, the rules were suspended; the resolution was adopted.

RESOLUTION REGARDING SUPPORT FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 1478 AN ACT RELATIVE TO SYNTHETIC MARIJUANA AND OTHER DANGEROUS CHEMICAL COMPOUNDS (DOCKET NO. 1295)

Councilor BAKER offered the following:

WHEREAS: The problems associated with the use of synthetic marijuana have been a growing concern for people all over the country prompting emergency action from many states; and

WHEREAS: Synthetic marijuana also known as "K2" and "Spice" is plant material sprayed with a mixture of psychoactive chemicals which are often smoked or ingested by the user to achieve a "high"; and

WHEREAS: Users report symptoms that include rapid heart rate, vomiting, agitation, hallucinations, psychotic episodes, seizures, suicidal thoughts, and actions, and in extreme cases heart attacks and death. Regular users also may experience withdrawal and addiction symptoms; and

WHEREAS: The Center for Disease Control and Prevention reported that adverse health effects or concerns about possible adverse health effects related to synthetic cannabinoid use increased 330% from 349 in January 2015 to 1,501 in April 2015; and

WHEREAS: As testament to its popularity synthetic marijuana is one of the most used illicit drugs by high school seniors second only to marijuana; and

WHEREAS: Synthetic marijuana is usually sold in colorful foil bags bearing child-friendly images and is easily obtainable in various retail outlets such as convenience stores, gas stations, and smoke shops labeled as "potpourri", "incense", and "not for human consumption"; and

WHEREAS: Law enforcement agencies have regulated a number of these substances; however, manufacturers of synthetic marijuana frequently alter the chemical composition of their product to avoid detection and regulation; and

WHEREAS: Legislation to classify synthetic marijuana and other dangerous chemical compounds as class C controlled substances in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts has been proposed by Representative Brian R. Mannal in a petition known as An Act relative to synthetic marijuana and other dangerous chemical compounds (House Bill 1478); and

WHEREAS: This act will amend Class C of section 31 of chapter 94C by inserting a number of hallucinogenic substances, Cannabimimetic Agents, chemicals and chemical compounds associated with synthetic marijuana; and

WHEREAS: An Act relative to synthetic marijuana and other dangerous chemical compounds will greatly benefit the people of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and the City of Boston by providing a way to end synthetic marijuana use and improve the overall health and quality oflife of our citizens; Therefore Be It

RESOLVED: That the Boston City Council supports the passage of House Bill 1478, An Act relative to synthetic marijuana and other dangerous chemical compounds a petition of Representative Brian R. Mannal and urges the Legislature to enact the proposed petition.

On motion of Councilor BAKER, the rules were suspended; the resolution was adopted.

ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING PROCEDURES FOR SAFE DISPOSAL OF NEEDLES, SYRINGES AND LANCETS IN CITY OF BOSTON (DOCKET NO. 1296)

Councilors MURPHY and MCCARTHY offered the following:

WHEREAS, The city's parks and open spaces should be safe environments for all residents to enjoy; and

WHEREAS, In order to ensure that the public is protected from potential dangerous conditions in public spaces, the City of Boston should establish protocols for the safe disposal of needles, syringes, and lancets found on public spaces and city property; and

WHEREAS, Coming in contact with used and improperly disposed needles, syringes, and lancets may lead to serious health conditions; and

WHEREAS In order to ensure the safety of the public, it is important for the City of Boston to have procedures in place for those individuals that may come in contact with improperly disposed needles and to establish a coordinated emergency personnel response.

NOW THEREFORE,

Be it ordained by the City Council of Boston, as follows:

Section 1.

CBC Chapter XII is herby amended by inserting the following sections and subsections:

Procedures for the Safe Disposal of Needles. Syringes. and Lancets

The emergency personnel in the City of Boston shall be responsible for proper disposal of needles, syringes, and lancets found on city streets, parks, playgrounds, and other public spaces and property under the jurisdiction of the city. "Emergency Personnel" shall include the Boston Police Department, the Boston Fire Department, and the Department of Emergency Medical Services.

Emergency personnel shall establish rules and regulations for the safe disposal of needles, syringes, and lancets when found on city streets, parks, playgrounds, and other public spaces and property under the jurisdiction of the city. Such rules and regulations shall include but not be limited to the following: signage in public spaces informing individuals to call 911; procedures to ensure the safety of those individuals that have come in contact with any needles, syringes, and lancets; requiring the use of appropriate equipment for responding emergency personnel; establishing coordination among first responders.

Section 2.

If any provision of these sections shall be held to be

invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction, then such provision shall be considered separately and apart from the remaining provisions, which shall remain in full force and effect.

Section 3.

The provisions of these sections shall be effective immediately upon passage.

Referred to the Committee on Government Operations.

Councilor CIOMMO in the Chair.

ORDER FOR HEARING REGARDING PROCEDURES FOR NAMING STREETS IN CITY OF BOSTON (DOCKET NO. 1297)

Councilor LINEHAN offered the following:

WHEREAS, The Public Improvement Commission has the power to name streets; and,

WHEREAS, The procedure for doing so has not been updated for several years; and,

WHEREAS, The procedures are ambiguous and should be clarified; and,

WHEREAS, Many areas of the city are undergoing rapid development, making it necessary to name and create streets.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT ORDERED, That the appropriate committee of the Boston City Council holds a hearing to address the procedures for naming streets in the City of Boston.

Referred to the Committee on City, Neighborhood Services and Veterans Affairs.

President LINEHAN in the Chair.

ORDER FOR HEARING TO DISCUSS ONGOING AND PLANNED IMPROVEMENTS TO BOSTON'S CYCLING INFRASTRUCTURE (DOCKET NO. 1298)

Councilors PRESSLEY, O'MALLEY, CIOMMO, FLAHERTY, JACKSON, LAMATTINA, MCCARTHY, WU, YANCEY, ZAKIM and LINEHAN offered the following:

WHEREAS, The City of Boston is currently experiencing a rapid increase in bicycle ridership for recreation, exercise, and as an environmentally-friendly and affordable alternative to automobile use; and

WHEREAS, The City of Boston is striving to become a world-class biking city by advocating for advancement in bicycle availability, accessibility, and safety; and

WHEREAS, Increasing the options for safe and sustainable mass transit make Boston a more livable city; and

WHEREAS, The 2013 Cyclist Safety Report published by the City outlined locations and mechanisms for improving cycling safety; and

WHEREAS, The City of Boston is committed to increasing the safety of all road users through its adoption of Vision Zero Boston and the recent hiring of both a Chief of Streets and an Active Transportation Director. NOW, THEREFORE BE IT

ORDERED, That the appropriate committee of the Boston City Council hold a hearing to discuss the current state of cycling infrastructure in the city and to investigate ways to make our roadways safer and reduce collisions; and that representatives from the Boston Transportation Department, Boston Public Health Commission, Boston Police Department, Boston Bikes, the Boston Cyclists Union, and other interested parties be invited to testify.

Referred to the Committee on City, Neighborhood Services and Veterans Affairs.

ORDER TO DISCUSS GRANTING SOLAR PERSONAL RAPID TRANSIT, PERMISSION TO CONSTRUCT, OPERATE, REPAIR AND MAINTAIN IN CITY OF BOSTON (DOCKET NO. 1299)

Councilor MURPHY offered the following:

WHEREAS, Congestion can be solved by recovering $9 billion a year from the $19.9 billion a year traffic costs the people of Massachusetts; and

WHEREAS, Once the liberty to choose mobility solutions is restored, as specified by Massachusetts Senate Bill #1837, people will choose cleaner, faster, safer, and more affordable mobility networks than government mandated highways and mass transit; and

WHEREAS, Personal Rapid Transit (PRT) is an emerging public transportation technology designed to address the needs of urban transportation in. a variety of settings; and

WHEREAS, Building a privately funded mobility network in Boston, Massachusetts, would demonstrate a cost effective way to move people, cargo, and waste while creating sustainable jobs; THEREFORE be it

ORDERED: That the City of Boston discuss Personal Rapid Transit (PRT) as an emerging and innovative transportation concept designed to offer the comfort and convenience of the private automobile with the efficiency of public transportation. PRT offers the theoretical potential to increase travel speed, quality of public transportation service and mobility while potentially reducing the costs and environmental impacts associated with travel.

Referred to the Committee on City, Neighborhood Services and Veterans Affairs.

ORDER FOR HEARING TO CONSIDER RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY TAX EXEMPTION FOR SOLAR POWER CONVERSION (DOCKET NO. 1300)

Councilors O'MALLEY, MCCARTHY, CIOMMO, LAMATTINA, PRESSLEY, WU, YANCEY, ZAKIM, LINEHAN, FLAHERTY and JACKSON offered the following:

WHEREAS: Solar power is environmentally friendly, does not produce greenhouse gasses and can be harnessed and converted to provide electricity or heat to homes; and

WHEREAS: According to the Massachusetts Clean Energy Centers' Residential Guide to Solar Power, "every 1,000 kWh generated by a solar PV system avoids sending 2.03 pounds of sulfur dioxide, 0.54 pounds of nitrogen oxides, and 1,102 pounds of carbon dioxide emissions into the atmosphere;" and

WHEREAS: Solar energy can be produced by installing solar photovoltaics (solar PV systems) which convert sunlight into electricity through solar panels that are connected to a building's electrical system; and

WHEREAS: The City of Boston's Greenovate Boston initiative is an ongoing effort to reduce the city's greenhouse gas emissions by 25 percent by 2020 and by 80 percent by 2050; and

WHEREAS: The city's Climate Action Plan 2014 lists "accelerate residential solar" as one of its goals; and

WHEREAS: According to Solar Energy Industries Association (SEIA), Massachusetts ranks sixth in the nation in installed solar capacity and there is enough solar energy installed in the state to power 131,000 homes; and

WHEREAS: SEIA also reports that the cost of installing a PV system continues to fall in Massachusetts and nationwide; and

WHEREAS: The City of Boston now offers several property tax exemptions including the residential tax ex-

emption for owner-occupied homes, an exemption for residents of cooperative housing and a number of personal and statutory exemptions; THEREFORE BE IT:

ORDERED: That the Boston City Council hold a public hearing to consider implementing property tax exemptions for residents who convert their homes to solar power or construct new homes that rely on solar power.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Parks and the Committee on Ways and Means.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES (DOCKET NO. 1301)

President LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, September 12, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, December 11, 2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Andrew Baldizon, Secretary, $1,538.48, full time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES (DOCKET NO. 1302)

President LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, August 15, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, August 21, 2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Jessie Marshall, Secretary, $1,200.00, full time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES (DOCKET NO. 1303)

President LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, August 8, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, September 11, 2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Katherine Carangelo, Secretary, $1,653.86, full time
Michael A. Sinatra, Secretary, $1,923.08, full time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES (DOCKET NO. 1304)

President LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, August 8, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, September 11, 2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Jared Hogan, Administrative Asst., $1,212.00, full time
Kara Nagle, Secretary, $1,406.00, full time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES (DOCKET NO. 1305)

President LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Wednesday, August 5, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, August 28, 2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Evangeline Kilgannon, Secretary, $300.00, part time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES (DOCKET NO. 1306)

President LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Tuesday, September 1, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, December 11, 2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Shane Pac, $769.24, part time, Secretary

Passed under suspension of the rules.

LATE-FILED MATTERS

The Chair stated that in absence of objection, three late-filed matters would be added to the Agenda.

No objection being heard, the following matters were added:

COMMUNICATION FROM COUNCILOR FLAHERTY RE: RESIGNATION AND VACANCY IN RESIDENCY POLICY COMMISSION (DOCKET NO. 1391)

Communication from Councilor Flaherty re: resignation and vacancy in Residency Policy Commission.

Placed on file.

ORDER FOR HEARING TO DISCUSS STATUS OF CITY COORDINATED TRAUMA RESPONSE AND RECOVER SYSTEM FOR SURVIVORS OFVIOLENCE AND HOMICIDE (DOCKET NO. 1392)

Councilors PRESSLEY, FLAHERTY, JACKSON, YANCEY, LAMATTINA, ZAKIM, WU, O'MALLEY, MURHPY, MCCARTHY, LINEHAN, BAKER and CIOMMO offered the following:

WHEREAS, Trauma is known to manifest in the immediate aftermath and in the days, weeks and months following a traumatic incident; and

WHEREAS, Individuals and families who have experienced violence such as a shootings, stabbings, or homicides require immediate psychological first-aid and this first-aid is also necessary for the surrounding community whether it be the neighborhood, school, or community center; and

WHEREAS, These individuals and families often face persistent challenges long after the initial incident and are in need of a host of services including burial services, relocation services, social services, and recreational activities; and

WHEREAS, The Boston Public Health Commission, Boston Police Department, Boston Public Schools, and Boston Centers for Youth and Families play an integral

role in serving individuals, families, and communities after shootings and homicides and coordination of response and care across agencies is complicated but essential; and

WHEREAS, Ongoing incidents of shootings, stabbings and homicides underscore the need to assess the status of how city agencies coordinate trauma response and recovery to ensure that there are thoughtful standards of care and follow-up provided to all individuals and families;

WHEREAS, The health of the individual, family & community are inextricably linked and access to trauma support services are critical to family stabilization and the building and preservation of a healthy community.

THEREFORE BE IT

ORDERED, That the appropriate committee of the Boston City Council hold a hearing to discuss the status of developing a coordinated trauma response and recovery system for survivors of violence and homicide in the City of Boston; and that members of the Boston Public Health Commission, Boston Police Department, Boston Public Schools, Boston Centers for Youth and Families (including the Streetworker Program), Chief Resilience Officer, and the and other interested parties be invited to testify.

Referred to the Committee on Healthy Women, Families and Communities.

Councilor CIOMMO in the Chair.

ORDER FOR HEARING RE: REPORT OF COMPENSATION ADVISORY BOARD (DOCKET NO. 1393)

Councilor LINEHAN offered the following:
Offered by COUNCILOR BILL LINEHAN

WHEREAS, Mayor Walsh appointed the members of the Compensation Advisory Board ("Board") in order to examine the salary of the Boston City Council and other offices; and,

WHEREAS, In examining the salary of the City Council the Board requested information from over 25 cities of which eleven cities responded; and,

WHEREAS, Based on the data collected, the Board does not believe that a change in salary is warranted; however, the Board does acknowledge that the value of the salaries for the City Council and Mayor has eroded over time and recommended an increase to $97,000 for the City Council and $194,000 for the Mayor; and,

WHEREAS, In its report, the Board underestimates the authority and role of the City Council by not recognizing all of the powers of inherent in the body. For example, the report does not recognize the City Council's authority to originate legislation or the Council's approval authority over land dispositions and other matters. Because the report fails to acknowledge certain powers and duties of the City Council and is incomplete regarding all offices, it is important that members of the Board address the body to explain its analysis and process.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT ORDERED, That the appropriate committee of the Boston City Council holds a hearing to have the members of the Boston Compensation Advisory Board appear before such committee to review their report and recommendations. The members of the Compensation Advisory Board, representatives from the City of Boston, and other interested parties shall be invited to attend.

Referred to the Committee of the Whole.

President LINEHAN in the Chair.

STATEMENT OF COUNCILOR YANCEY

Having unanimous consent to do so, Councilor YANCEY wanted to recognize the Democracy Lab students for a job well done in sitting through a Boston City Council meeting and told them of the importance of City Government and wished them well as future leaders of our City.

CONSENT AGENDA

The Chair moved adoption of a Consent Agenda in which the following-named Councilors offered s of a condolence or congratulatory nature as set forth after each Councilor's name:

Councilor Ciommo: In memory of Caroline Mary Collins (Docket No. 1307)

Councilor McCarthy: In memory of Ambrose Objimba (Docket No. 1308) Recognizing Boston Bikes (Docket No. 1309) Recognizing Monique Johnson (Docket No. 1310) Recognizing Noah Hicks (Docket No. 1311)

Councilor O'Malley: Recognizing Liam Dowling (Docket No. 1312)

Councilor Wu: Congratulating First Sergeant Helon Wyllie III (Docket No. 1313) Congratulating Joyce Wyllie (Docket No. 1314)

Councilor McCarthy: Recognizing Joseph Abdelahad (Docket No. 1315)

Councilor Baker: Recognizing Lauri Chasteen Parsons (Docket No. 1316)

Councilor LaMattina: In memory of Mary Ellen (Wren) Howell (Docket No. 1317) Recognizing Walter William White (Docket No. 1318)

Councilor O'Malley: Congratulating Father Oscar Pratt (Docket No. 1319)

Councilor McCarthy: Recognizing B-3 (Docket No. 1320) Recognizing Boston Bike Party (Docket No. 1321) Recognizing Boston Cyclists Union (Docket No. 1322) Recognizing Mildred Ave Community Center (Docket No. 1323) Recognizing Mattapan United (Docket No. 1324) Recognizing Boston Public Health Commission (Docket No. 1325)

Councilor Yancey: Recognizing Dr. Lester Lewis (Docket No. 1326) Recognizing RHEMA Magazine (Docket No. 1327) In memory of Naomi Mickles (Docket No. 1328)

Councilors Wu and Linehan: Congratulating the National Junior Classical League (Docket No. 1329)

Councilor Linehan on behalf of the entire City Council: Congratulating Officer Joseph W. Kenneally (Docket No. 1330)

Councilor Flaherty: Congratulating Olga Lattarulo (Docket No. 1331) Congratulating Maximo Torres (Docket No. 1332)

Councilor Baker: Congratulating Robert Nicholls (Docket No. 1333)

Councilor Yancey: In memory of Bishop Archie Foxworth, Sr. (Docket No. 1334) In memory of Robert Gordon Yancey Sr. (Docket No. 1335)

Councilors Yancey and Jackson: Recognizing Syria Court No. 10 Daughters of ISIS (Docket No. 1336)

Councilor Yancey: In memory of Randolph Dawkins (Docket No. 1337) In memory of Andrew Stith (Docket No. 1338)

Recognizing Reggie Lewis Track and Field (Docket No. 1339) Recognizing Shaws Supermarket (Docket No. 1340) Recognizing Geoffrey Brewster Company/ Dorchester McDonalds (Docket No. 1341) Recognizing Houghton Mifflin (Docket No. 1342) Recognizing Stop and Shop Supermarket Company (Docket No. 1343)

Councilors Pressley and Wu: Recognizing Mayor Lisa Wong (Docket No. 1344)

Councilor Wu: Recognizing Allison Choi (Docket No. 1345) Recognizing Myrish Antonio (Docket No. 1346) Recognizing Emily Moss (Docket No. 1347)

Councilor Murphy: Congratulating Jerry Rappaport (Docket No. 1348) Congratulating Jimmy "the Greek" Bichekas (Docket No. 1349)

Councilor baker: Recognizing William McNally (Docket No. 1350)

Councilor Murphy: Declaring August 1,2015 as Joe Day Day in the City of Boston (Docket No. 1351)

Councilor Ciommo: In memory of Theresa M. Marchione (Docket No. 1352) Recognizing The Hamilton Company Charitable Foundation (Docket No. 1353)

Councilor O'Malley: In memory of Ralph R. Bagley, Esq. (Docket No. 1354) Congratulating Robert MacGregor (Docket No. 1355)

Councilor Wu: Recognizing Kate Swain Smith (Docket No. 1356)

Councilor Ciommo: In memory of Barbara Ann Kennedy (Docket No. 1357)

Councilors Linehan and O'Malley: In memory of Sean Malone (Docket No. 1358)

Councilor Linehan: In memory of John J. Horan (Docket No. 1359)

Councilors O'Malley and Pressley: Congratulating nine people from the Latin Community for their dedication to the Day of the Dominican Woman 2015 (Docket No. 1360)

Councilor LaMattina: Recognizing Benjamin Goldberg (Docket No. 1361) Recognizing Sheila Moretti (Docket No. 1362)

Councilor McCarthy: Recognizing Michael Donahue (Docket No. 1363)

Councilor Baker: Recognizing Marilyn Murray (Docket No. 1364)

Councilor Wu: Recognizing Howie Kim (Docket No. 1365)

Councilors Ciommo and Murphy: In memory of Annmarie McMurtry (Docket No. 1366)

Councilor LaMattina: Recognizing Boris Marin (Docket No. 1367) In memory of Juan Valeneia (Docket No. 1368) Recognizing Mirna Orellana (Docket No. 1369)

Councilor Yancey: Recognizing Willie & Lula Mae Bogues (Docket No. 1370) Recognizing SnapChefFast Track Culinary (Docket No. 1371) In memory of Anthony Dowden (Docket No. 1372) In memory of Annie E. Baldwin (Docket No. 1373) In memory of Joan Estelle Westbrook (Docket No. 1374) Recognizing Kenneth 1. Guscott (Docket No. 1375) Recognizing Clemon Howell (Docket No. 1376)

Councilor Wu: Recognizing William Yip (Docket No. 1377)

Councilor Flaherty: Recognizing Pastor Cristobal Garcia (Docket No. 1378)

Councilors Linehan and Flaherty: Recognizing Gino Provenzano (Docket No. 1379) In memory of Paul R. Turner (Docket No. 1380)

Councilor O'Malley: Congratulating Jose Miguel Soto Jimenez (Docket No. 1381)

Councilors McCarthy and Wu: celebrating the 30th Anniversary of Roslindale Village Main Streets (Docket No. 1382)

Councilors Linehan and Murphy: Congratulating Arthur Winn (Docket No. 1383)

Councilors Yancey and Baker: Recognizing Hiroshima Day & Nagaski Day in the City of Boston (Docket No. 1384) Recognizing Voting Rights Act of 1965 50th Anniversary (Docket No. 1385)

Councilors Flaherty and Linehan: In memory of Margaret E. Collins (Docket No. 1386)

Councilor Jackson: Recognizing Morning Star Baptist Church (Docket No. 1387)

Councilor LaMattina: Congratulating Jonathan Rizzo (Docket No. 1388)

Councilor Pressley: In memory of Juan Fernando Medina (Docket No. 1389)

Councilor Baker: Recognizing Jeanne DuBois (Docket No. 1390)

The Chair stated that in the absence of objection, eleven late-filed matters would be added to the Consent Agenda.

No objection being heard, the following matter was added:

Councilor Yancey: Congratulating Elizabeth Antuna (Docket No. 1394) Congratulating Skyiasha Anderson (Docket No. 1395) Congratulating Jeremiah Laing (Docket No. 1396) Congratulating Kyle James (Docket No. 1397) Congratulating Felicia Silveira (Docket No. 1398) Congratulating Sue Nelson (Docket No. 1399) Congratulating William Opara (Docket No. 1400) Congratulating Kenneth Herrera (Docket No. 1401)

Councilor Wu: Congratulating Honoring WNEU Telemundo (Docket No. 1402)

Councilor LaMattina: Recognizing The BASE (Docket No. 1403) Congratulating Robert Lewis, Jr. (Docket No. 1404)

The matters contained within the Consent Agenda were severally adopted.

NEXT MEETING

Adjourned at 2:25 p.m. on motion of President Linehan and In memory of Walter Christopher, Catherine "Katie" O'Neill, Barbara Ann Kennedy, Theresa M. Marchione, Annmarie McMurtry, Celeste Belschner, Augustus "Gus" Gatti, Dr. Carolyn M. Kaelin, Anthony C. Maffei, Juan Valencia, John J. Horan, Paul R. Turner, Sean Malone, Ralph Bagley, Esquire, Alberto Rivera, E. Joyce Munger, Grisel Sanchez and Catherine Moran Sullivan, to meet again on Wednesday, September 2, 2015 at 2:00 p.m.

Note: All debate of City Council eliminated from proceedings in accordance with Chapter 447, Acts of 1947.

CITY OF BOSTON

Proceedings of the Boston City Council

Wednesday, September 2, 2015

Regular meeting of the City Council held in the Christopher A. Iannella Chamber, City Hall, at 12:08 p.m. President Linehan in the Chair.

INVOCATION

City Clerk Maureen E. Feeney, delivered the invocation, and the meeting was opened with the pledge of allegiance to the flag.

STATEMENT OF PRESIDENT LINEHAN

President LINEHAN moved to adopt the minutes from the August 12, 2015 meeting. **Motion prevailed.**

ORDER AUTHORIZING FIRE COMMISSIONER TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND FUNDS FROM U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY FY14 STAFFING FOR ADEQUATE FIRE AND EMERGENCY RESPONSE ("SAFER") GRANT PROGRAM, FOR $12,778,650 FOR CITY OF BOSTON'S FIRE DEPARTMENT FOR PURPOSE OF HIRING AND SUSTAINING 75 FIREFIGHTERS WHO HAVE BEEN LOST THROUGH ATTRITION (DOCKET NO. 1405)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

August 28, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I hereby transmit for your approval an Order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend funds from the U.S. Department of Homeland Security's FY14 Staffing for Adequate Fire and Emergency Response ("SAFER") Grant program for the Boston Fire Department for the purpose of hiring, and sustaining, 75 firefighters who have been lost through attrition. This grant is awarded by the Department of Homeland Security from its FY14 budget, to be expended over a period of two years by the Boston Fire Department during FY16 and FY17. This award is made for the purpose of protecting the health and safety of the public and firefighting personnel against fire and fire related hazards and other emergency responses. This grant is in the amount of Twelve Million Seven Hundred Seventy Eight Thousand Six Hundred Fifty Dollars ($12,778,650.00) from the Staffing for Adequate Fire and Emergency Response (SAFER) Grant program.

I urge your Honorable Body to adopt this Order as soon as possible so that the City of Boston, acting by and through its Commissioner for the Boston Fire Department, may accept the funds expeditiously and expend them for the purpose for which they were granted.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND FUNDS FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY FY14 STAFFING FOR ADEQUATE FIRE AND EMERGENCY RESPONSE ("SAFER") GRANT FOR THE BOSTON FIRE DEPARTMENT FOR THE PURPOSE OF HIRING 75 FIREFIGHTERS.

ORDERED: That the Commissioner of the Fire Department, acting on behalf of the City of Boston be, and hereby is authorized, pursuant to section 53A of chapter 44 of the Massachusetts General Laws, to accept and expend an award of Twelve Million Seven Hundred Seventy Eight Thousand Six Hundred Fifty Dollars ($12,778,650.00) from the Department of Homeland Security's Staffing for Adequate Fire and Emergency Response (SAFER) FY14 Grant program for the Boston Fire Department for the purpose of hiring 75 firefighters who have been lost through attrition.

Referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

ORDER AUTHORIZING TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND GRANT NOT TO EXCEED OF $666,074 FROM FEDERAL HIGHWAY ADMINISTRATION, PASSED THROUGH MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION (MASS DOT), TO BE USED TO FUND EIGHTY PERCENT (80%) OF DESIGN AND ENGINEERING SERVICES COST FOR TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT IMPROVEMENTS AT FIFTEEN (15) INTERSECTIONS IN AREA OF BLUE HILL AVENUE AND WARREN STREET. SUCH IMPROVEMENTS WILL RANGE FROM SIGNAL TIMING UPDATES TO RECONSTRUCTION OF WHEELCHAIR RAMPS AND SIDEWALK CONSTRUCTION, TO NEW TRAFFIC SIGNAL EQUIPMENT (DOCKET NO. 1406)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

August 28, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith for your approval an Order amending a prior Order authorizing the City of Boston Transportation Department to accept and expend a grant from the Federal Highway Administration, passed through the Massachusetts Department of Transportation (MassDOT), such that the Amended Order will be in an amount not to exceed $666,074.00.

The funds will be used to fund eighty percent (80%) of the design and engineering services costs for traffic management improvements at fifteen (15) intersections in the area of Blue Hill Avenue and Warren Street. Such improvements will range from signal timing updates to reconstruction of wheelchair ramps and sidewalk construction, to new traffic signal equipment.

The Transportation Department's consultants will perform the design and engineering services, with the grant funds funding eighty percent (80%) of the costs.

I urge your Honorable Body to pass this Order as expeditiously as possible so that the City of Boston may accept the funds expeditiously and expend them for the purposes for which they are given.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND A GRANT FROM THE FEDERAL HIGHWAY ADMINISTRATION ACTING THROUGH THE MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION, HIGHWAY DIVSION.

ORDERED: That the Order of the Boston City Council, authorizing the City of Boston, acting by and through its Transportation Commissioner to accept and expend a grant in an amount not to exceed Three Hundred Thousand Dollars ($300,000) from the Federal Highway Administration for the Blue Hill Avenue and Warren Street traffic signal control improvements project passed by the City Council on May 18,2011 and approved by the Mayor on May 26, 2011 is hereby amended, such that the Amended Order reads in its entirety as follows:

ORDERED: That the City of Boston, acting by and through its Transportation Commissioner, be, and hereby is, authorized, in accordance with Section 53A of Chapter 44 of the Massachusetts General Laws, to accept and expend a grant from the Federal Highway Administration, acting through the Massachusetts Department of Transportation, Highway Division, in a total amount that shall not exceed Six Hundred Sixty Six Thousand Seventy Four Dollars ($666,074.00) for the purpose of engaging Design Services to enhance functionality and integration of traffic signal control devices to improve traffic management capabilities on Blue Hill Avenue and Warren Street."

Referred to the Committee on City, Neighborhood Services and Veterans Affairs.

ORDER AUTHORIZING CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND GRANT OF $360,000 FROM MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF MENTAL HEALTH FOR PURPOSE OF PROVIDING ASSISTANCE AND REFERRALS TO INDIVIDUALS WITH MENTAL ILLNESS AND/OR EMOTIONAL DISTURBANCES UNDER MA DMH FY16 POLICE BEHAVIORAL HEALTH JAIL DIVERSION GRANT PROGRAM (DOCKET NO. 1407)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

August 25, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I hereby transmit for your approval an Order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend a grant in the amount of $360,000 from the Massachusetts Department of Mental Health (MA DMH). This award is made for the purpose of providing assistance and referrals to individuals with Mental Illness and/or Emotional Disturbances under the MA DMH FY16-FY18 Police-Based Behavioral Health Jail Diversion Grant Program.

I urge your Honorable Body to adopt this order as soon as possible so that the City of Boston may accept the funds expeditiously and expend them for the purposes for which they were granted.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND THE FY16-FY18 POLICE-BASED BEHAVIORAL HEALTH JAIL DIVERSION PROGRAM GRANT FUNDS AWARDED BY THE MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF MENTAL HEALTH.

ORDERED: That the Police Commissioner, acting on behalf of the City of Boston be, and hereby is authorized, pursuant to section 53A of chapter 44 of the Massachusetts General Laws, to accept and expend the award of the MA Department of Mental Health, not to exceed the amount of Three Hundred and Sixty Thousand Dollars ($360,000.00) over three years.

Referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

ORDER AUTHORIZING CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND GRANT OF $350,000. FROM COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF ENERGY AND ENVIRONMENTAL AFFAIRS, THROUGH MASSACHUSETTS OFFICE OF COASTAL ZONE MANAGEMENT, TO BE ADMINISTERED BY CITY OF BOSTON'S ENVIRONMENT DEPARTMENT (DOCKET NO. 1408)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

August 25, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I hereby transmit for your approval an Order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend the amount of $350,000.00 in the form of a Coastal Community Resilience Grant FY16, awarded by the Commonwealth of Massachusetts Executive Office of Energy and Environmental Affairs, through the Massachusetts Office of Coastal Zone Management, to be administered by the City of Boston's Environment Department.

Coastal Community Resilience grants fund a wide range of activities to advance new and innovative local efforts to increase awareness of climate impacts, identify vulnerabilities, and implement measures to increase community resilience.

I urge your Honorable Body to adopt this Order so that the City of Boston may expend the funds expeditiously upon award for the purposes for which these funds are granted.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF BOSTON TO EXPEND THE COASTAL COMMUNITY RESILIENCE GRANT FY16 FUNDS, AWARDED BY THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF ENERGY AND ENVIRONMENTAL AFFAIRS THROUGH THE MASSACHUSETTS OFFICE OF COASTAL ZONE MANAGEMENT.

WHEREAS, the Commonwealth of Massachusetts Executive Office of Energy and Environmental Affairs, through the Massachusetts Office of Coastal Zone Management, is being petitioned for the issuance of funds to the City of Boston Environment Department; and

WHEREAS, the funds in the amount of $350,000 will be utilized by the City of Boston to obtain professional services to assist in the generation of critical solutions for resilient neighborhoods, infrastructure, and governance that help the region prosper and grow in the face of long-term climate oocertainties; therefore be it

ORDERED: that the Mayor, acting on behalf of the City of Boston be, and hereby is, authorized pursuant to G. L. c. 44, § 53A, to accept and expand, upon award, the Coastal Community Resilience Grant FY16 award not to

exceed the amount of $350,000.00.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Health.

ORDER AUTHORIZING CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND FUNDS OF $100,000 FROM CONTRIBUTIONS RECEIVED FROM INDIVIDUALS, ORGANIZATIONS AND LOCAL AND PRIVATE BUSINESSES FOR PURPOSES OF PROMOTING SAFETY, HEALTH AND WELL NESS INITIATIVES FOR BOSTON FIREFIGHTERS (DOCKET NO. 1409)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

August 28, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith for your approval an Order authorizing the City of Boston Fire Department to accept and expend funds donated from individuals, organizations, charitable foundations, and private businesses in an amount not to exceed One Hundred Thousand Dollars ($100,000.00) to promote and participate in programs or initiatives that enhance firefighter safety, health and wellness. The Boston Fire Department's Safety, Health and Well ness Division was established in September 2014. Among the goals of this new Division are to implement policies and procedures that will assist in reducing firefighter injuries, to test protective clothing, tools and equipment, and to provide information and training on firefighter health, wellness and fitness.

The Boston Fire Department's Safety, Health and Wellness Division will use the funds to promote informational, educational and training materials and programs to firefighters on issues relating to safety, health, wellness and fitness pertaining to the fire service.

I urge your Honorable Body to pass this Order as expeditiously as possible so that the City of Boston may accept the funds and expend them for the purposes for which they are given.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE BOSTON FIRE DEPARTMENT TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND FUNDS FROM CONTRIBUTIONS RECEIVED FROM INDIVDUALS, ORGANIZATIONS, CHARITABLE FOUNDATIONS, AND PRIVATE BUSINESSES FOR THE PURPOSE OF PROMOTING SAFETY, HEALTH AND WELLNESS INITIATIVES FOR BOSTON FIREFIGHTERS.

WHEREAS, the Boston Fire Department has established a new Safety, Health and Wellness Division within the department which is charged, in part, with implementing policies and procedures that will assist in reducing firefighter injuries, testing protective clothing, tools and equipment, and providing information and training on firefighter health, wellness and fitness; and

WHEREAS, the funds will be used by the City of Boston Fire Department to enhance firefighter safety, health, wellness and fitness by providing information, education and training relating to same; therefore be it

ORDERED: that pursuant to Massachusetts General Laws, c. 44, section 53A, the Boston Fire Department, acting on behalf of the City of Boston, be and hereby is authorized to accept and expend an amount not to exceed one hundred thousand dollars ($100,000.00) from the contributions received from individuals, organizations, charitable foundations, and private businesses for firefighter safety, health and wellness purposes.

Referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

ORDER AUTHORIZING CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND FUNDS OF $100,000 FROM CONTRIBUTIONS RECEIVED FROM INDIVIDUALS, ORGANIZATIONS AND LOCAL AND PRIVATE BUSINESSES FOR PURPOSES OF PROMOTING FIRE PREVENTION AND FIRE SAFETY EDUCATION (DOCKET NO. 1410)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

August 28, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith for your approval an Order authorizing the City of Boston Fire Department to accept and expend funds donated from individuals, organizations, charitable foundations, and private businesses in an amount not to exceed One Hundred Thousand Dollars ($100,000.00) to promote and participate in programs or initiatives that provide fire prevention and safety education to the public. The Boston Fire Department responds to over 6,000 fires a year, with over half related to cooking fires. Public education is needed to prevent the risk and cost of damages due to fires. The Department's Fire Prevention Division will use the funds to promote informational, educational and training materials to provide a fire prevention and safety program for the elderly and a children's program for the Boston Public Schools.

I urge your Honorable Body to pass this Order as expeditiously as possible so that the City of Boston may accept the funds and expend them for the purposes for which they are given.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE BOSTON FIRE DEPARTMENT TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND FUNDS FROM CONTRIBUTIONS RECEIVED FROM INDIVDUALS, ORGANIZATIONS, CHARITABLE FOUNDATIONS, AND PRIVATE BUSINESSES FOR THE PURPOSE OF PROMOTING FIRE PREVENTION AND FIRE SAFETY EDUCATION.

ORDERED: That pursuant to Massachusetts General Laws, c. 44, section 53A, the Boston Fire Department, acting on behalf of the City of Boston, be and hereby is authorized to accept and expend an amount not to exceed one hundred thousand dollars ($100,000.00) from contributions received from individuals, organizations, charitable foundations, and private businesses for promoting fire prevention and fire safety education.

Referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

CERTAIN INFORMATION UNDER SECTION 17F RE: VEOLIA TRANSPORTATION CONCERNING EVENTS OF OCTOBER 8, 2013, DOCKET NO. 0416, PASSED BY COUNCIL ON FEBRUARY 25, 2015 (DOCKET NO. 1411)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

August 27, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

In response to a 17F request filed by your Honorable Body on February 25, 2015

Re: Veolia Transportation concerning the events of October 8, 2013 (Docket # 0416)

Please find the attached response.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

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CERTAIN INFORMATION UNDER SECTION 17F RE: DOCKET NOS. 0412, 0413, 0414, 0417 AND 0418 PERTAINING TO LIST OF CITY PERSONNEL AND ALL BOARDS, COMMISSIONS AND AUTHORITIES (DOCKET NO. 1412)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

August 27, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

In response to 17F requests filed by your Honorable Body on February 25,2015:

Re: List of active employees as of June 30, 2014 with the name, title, department, annual salary, hiring date, gender, race and residency and a list of all new hires, promotions, and terminations by the name, title, department, annual salary, hiring date, gender, race and residency between April, 2014 to June 30, 2014 (Docket # 0412)

Re: List of active employees as of March 31, 2014 with the name, title, department, annual salary, hiring date, gender, race and residency and a list of all new hires, promotions, and terminations by the name, title, department, annual salary, hiring date, gender, race and residency between January 1, 2014 to March 31, 2014 (Docket # 0413)

Re: List of all boards, commissions and authorities for the City of Boston by name, date established, enabling legislation, name, title, race, gender, address and term (Docket # 0414)

Re: List of active employees as of December 31, 2014 with the name, title, department, annual salary, hiring date, gender, race and residency and a list of all new hires, promotions, and terminations by the name, title, department, annual salary, hiring date, gender, race and residency between October 1, 2014 to December 31. 2014 (Docket # 0417)

Re: List of active employees as of September 30, 2014 with the name, title, department, annual salary, hiring date, gender, race arid residency and a list of all new hires, promotions, and terminations by the name, title, department, annual salary, hiring date. gender, race and residency between July 1, 2014 to September 30, 2014 (Docket # 0418)

Please find the attached responses.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

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CERTAIN INFORMATION UNDER SECTION 17F RE: DOCKET NOS. 1234, 1235 AND 1236 PERTAINING TO LIST OF HOMELESS AND RECOVERY SERVICES (DOCKET NO. 1413)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

August 27, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

In response to 17F requests filed by your Honorable Body on July 15, 2015

Re: Steps being taken to eliminate disparities in facilities and services based on gender concerning homeless and recovery clients (Docket # 1234)

Re: Steps being taken to eliminate disparities in facilities and services based on gender concerning programming (Docket # 1235)

Re: Steps being taken to eliminate disparities in facilities and services regarding recovery clients (Docket # 1236)

Please find the attached responses.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

(Annexed herin are the documentation referred to.)

Placed on file.

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ORDINANCE AMENDING CITY OF BOSTON CODE OF ORDINANCES CHAPTER 2-8.1, SALARY OF CITY COUNCILORS AND CITY OF BOSTON CODE OF ORDINANCES 2·7.11, SALARY OF MAYOR (DOCKET NO. 1414)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

August 31, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I hereby transmit for your approval an Order amending City of Boston Code of Ordinances Chapter 2-8.1, Salary of City Councilors, and City of Boston Code of Ordinances Chapter 2-7.11, Salary of the Mayor.

Over the past 8 months, the City of Boston Compensation Advisory Board has been meeting as a group to assess and analyze the level of compensation for the City's elected officials, as part of their charge under City Code 5-10A. Following the completion of their analysis, the members of the Board have issued a set of recommen-

dations. The purpose of these amendments is to adj ust the level of compensation for the City's elected officials pursuant to that recommendation.

I urge your Honorable Body to act favorably on the proposed amendments without delay.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

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AMENDMENTS TO CHAPTER 2 OF THE CITY OF BOSTON CODE, ORDINANCES, SECTION 2M 7.11, SALARY OF THE MAYOR OF BOSTON, AND SECTION 2-8.1, SALARY OF THE CITY COUNCIL.

Be it ordained by the City Council of Boston as follows:

SECTION 1: City of Boston Code, Ordinances, Chapter 11, Section 2-7.11 is hereby amended by striking the first sentence, and inserting in place thereof the following sentence:

"The Mayor shall be paid an annual salary not to exceed one hundred and ninety-nine thousand ($199,000.00) dollars."

SECTION 2: City of Boston Code, Ordinances, Chapter 11, Section 2-8.1 is hereby amended by striking the words "eighty-seven thousand five hundred ($87,500.00) dollars" and inserting in place thereof the following phrase:

"Ninety-nine thousand five hundred ($99,500.00) dollars."

Section 1 of this ordinance shall take effect on the first Tuesday of January, following the next mooicipal election at which a Mayor is elected.

Section 2 of this ordinance shall take effect on the first Tuesday of January, following the next municipal election in which members of the Boston City Council are elected.

Referred to the Committee on Government Operations.

ORDINANCE TO BAN POSSESSION, SALE OR DISPLAY OF ANY TOY OR IMITATION FIREARM THAT SUBSTANTIALLY DUPLICATES OR CAN REASONABL Y BE PERCEIVED TO BE AN ACTUAL FIREARM FROM PUBLIC SPACES IN CITY OF BOSTON (DOCKET NO. 1415)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

August 31, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I hereby transmit for your approval an Ordinance banning the possession, sale or display of any toy or imitation firearm that substantially duplicates or can reasonably be perceived to be an actual firearm, from public spaces in the City of Boston.

The authentic look of many replica handguns is increasingly becoming a public safety risk in the City of Boston. The inability of both residents and experienced police officers to decipher an actual firearm from an imitation firearm could have devastating consequences. With the prevalence of imitation firearms in our communities, it is imperative that we take steps to better educate residents, and particularly our youth, about the inherent dangers associated with these devices.

I urge your Honorable Body to act favorably on the proposed Ordinance without delay.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

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AN ORDINANCE REGULATING REPLICA FIREARMS IN THE CITY OF BOSTON.

Be it ordained by the City Council of Boston as follows:

SECTION 1. City of Boston Code, Ordinances, Chapter XVI is hereby amended by inserting after Section 16-5A the following language:

16-5B REGULATING REPLICA FIREARMS IN THE CITY OF BOSTON.

16-5B.1 Definitions.

As used herein, the following word shall have the following meanings:

Replica firearm shall mean any toy, imitation, facsimile or replica pistol, revolver, shotgun, rifle, air refile, B-B gun, pellet gun, machine gun, or other similar simulated weapon which because of its color, size, shape, or other characteristics, can reasonably be perceived to be a real firearm capable of firing a bullet or other projectile.

16-5B.2 Regulation.

No person shall sell, offer to sell, possess, use, display or give away, any replica firearm on a public property unless:

A. The entire exterior surface of the imitation fireann is colored white, bright red, bright orange, bright yellow, bright blue, bright pink, or bright purple, either singly or as the predominant color in combination with other colors in any pattern; or

B. The imitation firearm is constructed entirely of transparent or translucent materials which permits unmistakable observation of the imitation firearm's complete contents; and

C. The barrel of the imitation firearms, other than the barrel of a water gun, is closed with a blase orange plug, permanently affixed, of the same material of which the imitation firearm is made, for a distance of not less than one-half inch from the front end of said barrel; and

D. The imitation firearm had legibly stamped thereon, the name of the manufacturer or some trade name, mark or brand by which the manufacturer can be readily identified; and

E. The imitation firearm does not have a laser pointer attached

16-5B.3 Enforcement.

If any individual under 18 years of age is found with a replica firearm by a member of the Boston Police Department, the officer shall contact his or her parent or guardian to inform them that the individual has been found with a replica firearm on public property. Parents or guardians shall be informed that they will be able to pick up the replica firearms at the district station after twenty-four hours. The officer shall confiscate the replica firearm and bring

it to the district station for holding.

If the individual is over 18 years of age, the officer shall confiscate the replica firearm(s) and inform the individual that they can pick the item(s) up at the district station after 24 hours.

16-5B.4 Penalties.

Any individual found in violation of any provision of this Section in a second or subsequent instance shall forfeit the weapon, contraband, or dangerous device giving rise to the violation of such section and be subject to a fine of Fifty Dollars ($50.00).

Referred to the Committee on Government Operations.

ABSENCE OF THE MAYOR
(Docket No. 1416)

Notice was received from the Mayor of his absence from the City from 8:00 A.M. Tuesday, August 11, 2015 until 1:30 P.M. Tuesday, August 11 ,2015.

Placed on file.

ABSENCE OF THE MAYOR
(DOCKET NO. 1417)

Notice was received from the Mayor of his absence from the City from Saturday, August 15, 2015 until Sunday, August 16, 2015.

Placed on file.

ABSENCE OF THE MAYOR
(DOCKET NO. 1418)

Notice was received from the Mayor of his absence from the City from Sunday, August 16, 2015 until Wednesday, August 19, 2015.

Placed on file.

ABSENCE OF THE MAYOR
(DOCKET NO. 1419)

Notice was received from the Mayor of his absence from the City from Wednesday, August 19, 2015 until Tuesday, August 25, 2015.

Placed on file.

APPOINTMENT BY THE MAYOR
(DOCKET NO. 1420)

Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of Paul Donnelly, as a member of the Beacon Hill Architectural Commission, for a term expiring, May 1, 2019.

Placed on file.

NOTICE RECEIVED FROM COMMISSION ON AFFAIRS OF ELDERLY OF INCREASE IN PARTICIPANTS IN "SENIOR CITIZEN PROPERTY TAX WORK-OFF ABATEMENT" PROGRAM (DOCKET NO. 1421)

Notice was received from the Commission on Affairs of the Elderly of the increase in participants in the "Senior Citizen Property Tax Work-Off Abatement" program.

Placed on file.

COMMUNICATION RECEIVED FROM CITY CLERK OF FILING BY BRA OF REPORT AND DECISION ON APPLICATION FOR PARCELS IB AND IC CHAPTER 121A PROJECT (DOCKET NO. 1422)

Communication was received from the City Clerk of the filing by the Boston Redevelopment Authority of the Report and Decision on the Application for the Parcels IB and IC Chapter 121A Project.

Placed on file.

COMMUNICATION RECEIVED FROM CITY CLERK OF FILING BY BRA OF FOURTH AMENDMENT TO REPORT AND DECISION ON COTTAGE BROOK APARTMENTS CHAPTER 121A PROJECT (DOCKET NO. 1423)

Communication was received from the City Clerk of the filing by the Boston Redevelopment Authority of the Fourth Amendment to the Report and Decision on the Cottage Brook Apartments Chapter 121A Project.

Placed on file.

COMMUNICATION RECEIVED FROM CITY CLERK OF FILING BY BRA OF THIRD AMENDMENT TO REPORT AND DECISION ON RESTORATION HOUSING CHAPTER 121A PROJECT (DOCKET NO. 1424)

Communication was received from the City Clerk of the filing by the Boston Redevelopment Authority of the Third Amendment to the Report and Decision on the Restoration Housing Chapter 121A Project.

Placed on file.

ABSENCE OF THE MAYOR
(DOCKET NO. 1425)

Notice was received from the Mayor of his absence from the City from Tuesday, August 25, 2015 until Saturday, August 29, 2015.

Placed on file.

COMMUNICATION RECEIVED FROM SALLY D. GLORA, CITY AUDITOR, TRANSMITTING FY2016 PAYROLL ALLOTMENT SCHEDULES FOR ALL CITY DEPARTMENTS (DOCKET NO. 1426)

Communication was received from Sally D. Glora, City Auditor; transmitting the Fiscal Year 2016 Payroll Allotment schedules for all City Departments.

Placed on file.

REPORT ON ORDER FOR CONFIRMATION OF APPOINTMENT OF CAROL DOWNS AS MEMBER OF BOSTON REDEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT INDUSTRIAL CORPORATION FOR TERM EXPIRING SEPTEMBER 17, 2017 (DOCKET NO. 1278)

Councilor LAMATT INA, on behalf of the Committee on Economic Development, Planning and Labor, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 1278, message of the Mayor and order for the confirmation of the appointment of Carol Downs as a member of the Boston Redevelopment Authority and Economic Development Industrial Corporation for a term expiring September 17, 2017 (referred August 12) - recommending the appointment ought to be confirmed.

The report was accepted; the appointment was confirmed.

REPORT ON ORDER FOR CONFIRMATION OF APPOINTMENT OF PRISCILLA ROJAS AS MEMBER OF BOSTON REDEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT INDUSTRIAL CORPORATION FOR TERM EXPIRING SEPTEMBER 17, 2017 (DOCKET NO. 1279)

Councilor LAMATTINA, on behalf of the Committee on Economic Development, Planning and Labor, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 1279, message of the Mayor and order for the confirmation of the appointment of Priscilla Rojas as a member of the Boston Redevelopment Authority and Economic Development Industrial Corporation for a term expiring September 17, 2017 (referred August 12) - recommending the appointment ought to be confirmed.

The report was accepted; the appointment was confirmed.

REPORT ON ORDINANCE TO AMEND CITY OF BOSTON CODE, ORDINANCES, CHAPTER VII, SECTION 7.4, TO PROHIBIT USE OF SMOKELESS TOBACCO AND OTHER TOBACCO PRODUCTS AT SITES FOR PROFESSIONAL AND AMATEUR BASEBALL AND OTHER SPORTING EVENTS (DOCKET NO. 1273)

Councilor FLAHERTY, on behalf of the Committee on Government Operations, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 1273, message of the Mayor and ordinance to amend the City of Boston Code, Ordinances, Chapter VII, Section 7.4, to prohibit the use of smokeless tobacco and other tobacco products at sites for professional and amateur baseball and other sporting events (referred August 12) - recommending passage of the ordinance.

The report was accepted; the ordinance was passed.

REPORT ON ORDINANCE TO AMEND CITY OF BOSTON CODE, ORDINANCES, CHAPTER XVI, SECTION 16, RECREATIONAL VEHICLES (DOCKET NO. 1274)

Councilor FLAHERTY, on behalf of the Committee on Government Operations, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 1274, message of the Mayor and ordinance to amend the City of Boston Code, Ordinances, Chapter XVI, Section 16, recreational vehicles (referred August 12) - recommending passage of the ordinance.

The report was accepted; the ordinance was passed.

ORDER FOR HEARING REGARDING CREATION OF EDUCATIONAL COMPONENT IN BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS REGARDING WHAT CHILDREN SHOULD DO WHEN THEY SEE NEEDLE OR OTHER DRUG PARAPHERNALIA (DOCKET NO. 1291)

This matter which was recently heard for possible action was remanded back to the Committee on Education.

REPORT ON PETITION OF HILTON GARDEN INN SHUTTLE FOR LICENSE TO OPERATE MOTOR VEHICLES FOR CARRIAGE OF PASSENGERS FOR HIRE OVER CERTAIN STREETS IN BOSTON (DOCKET NO. 1287)

Councilor MCCARTHY, on behalf of the Committee on City, Neighborhood Services and Veterans Affairs, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 1287, Petition of Hilton Garden Inn Shuttle for a license to operate motor vehicles for the carriage of passengers for hire over certain streets in Boston (referred August 12) - recommending passage of the petition.

The report was accepted; the petition was passed.

PETITION FOR SPECIAL LAW RE: ACT DIRECTING CITY OF BOSTON POLICE DEPARTMENT TO WAIVE MAXIMUM AGE REQUIREMENT FOR POLICE OFFICERS FOR ROBERT J. BUTTS, III (DOCKET NO. 1427)

Councilor BAKER offered the following:

That a petition to the General Court, accompanied by a bill for a special law relating to the City of Boston to be filed with an attested copy of this order be, and hereby is, approved under Clause 1 of Section 8 of Article II, as amended, of the Articles of Amendment to the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, to the end that legislation be adopted precisely as follows, except for clerical or editorial changes of form only:

PETITION FOR A SPECIAL LAW RE:

AN ACT DIRECTING THE CITY OF BOSTON POLICE DEPARTMENT TO WAIVE THE MAXIMUM AGE REQUIREMENT FOR POLICE OFFICERS FOR ROBERT J. BUTTS, III

Section 1.

Notwithstanding any general or special law to the contrary, including the provisions of Chapter 43 of the Acts of 2007, the City of Boston Police Department shall waive the maximum age requirement for original appointment of police officers for Robert J. Butts, III. If Robert J. Butts, III meets all other requirements set forth by the Boston Police Department, he shall be eligible to have his name certified for original appointment to the position of police officer.

Section 2.

The provisions of this act shall take effect immediately upon passage.

On motion of Councilor BAKER, the rules were suspended; the petition was passed.

ORDINANCE AMENDING SALARY CATEGORIES FOR CERTAIN OFFICES (DOCKET NO. 1428)

Councilor LINEHAN offered the following:

NOW THEREFORE,
Be it ordained by the City Council of Boston, as follows:

Section 1.

City of Boston Code, Ordinances, Chapter 2-7.11 is hereby amended by striking the words "One Hundred Seventy Five Thousand ($175,000.00)" and inserting in place thereof the words "Two Hundred Ten Thousand ($210,000.00)".

Section 2.

City of Boston Code, Ordinances, Chapter 2-8.1 is

hereby amended by striking the words "Eighty Seven Thousand Five Hundred ($87,500.00)" and inserting in place thereof the words "One Hundred Five Thousand ($105,000.00)".

Section 3.

The provisions of this ordinance shall take effect on January 1, 2016.

Referred to the Committee on Government Operations.

ORDER FOR HEARING TO CONDUCT COMPREHENSIVE REVIEW OF RE-ENTRY RESOURCES AND DISPARATE IMPACT OF BLACK AND LATINO MALES IN BOSTON (DOCKET NO. 1429)

Councilor JACKSON offered the following:

WHEREAS, The Bureau of Justice Statistics found a high rate of recidivism among released inmates; and,

WHEREAS, Studies found that a disproportionate number of inmates caught in the cycle of recidivism are Black and Latino males; and,

WHEREAS, A necessary component of breaking the cycle of recidivism and improving public safety is providing inmates the necessary support programs, including educational, counseling and case management, designed to prepare them for successful reintegration into the community as law-abiding and productive community members; and,

WHEREAS, Another necessary component of breaking the cycle of recidivism is having adequate re-entry resources, including health care, housing and employment training and placement; and,

WHEREAS, It is critical to collectively commit to solving the increasing problem of violence in Boston, address the issue of recidivism comprehensively, and take this opportunity to reframe and revisit the issues with a sense of purpose; and, WHEREAS,

It is critical for the City Council to conduct a comprehensive review of the re-entry programs and resources to help reduce recidivism especially within the disproportionately impacted group; and, NOW

THEREFORE, BE IT ORDERED, That the appropriate committee of the Boston City Council hold a hearing to review and discuss re-entry programs and resources to improve the recidivism reduction rate and that representatives from the Suffolk County Sheriffs Department, the Boston Police Department, the Suffolk County District Attorney's Office, Committee for Public Counsel Services, Boston Public Health Commission, Department of Transitional Assistance, the Women's Lunch Place and other interested parties be invited to attend and testify.

Referred to the Special Committee on the Status of Black and Latino Men and Boys.

RESOLUTION URGING UTILITY REGULATORS TO ENSURE THAT BOSTON RESIDENTS HAVE TO ACCESS TO FIOS (DOCKET NO. 1430)

Councilor O'MALLEY, MCCARTHY, LINEHAN, BAKER, CIOMMO, FLAHERTY, LAMATTINA, MURPHY, PRESSLEY, WU, ZAKIM, JACKSON and YANCEY offered the following:

WHEREAS: Access to reliable, high-speed Internet technology is essential to supporting Boston's economic growth and enhancing the lives of its residents; and

WHEREAS: Fiber optic technology is the most reliable and efficient way to transmit data to businesses and residences and would allow Boston to stay competitive in the business, education, science and technology sectors; and

WHEREAS: Verizon has focused its expansion of the FiOS network in affluent communities surrounding Boston and across Massachusetts leaving the residents of Boston's neighborhoods and Boston's businesses unable to access the same state-of-the-art services; and

WHEREAS: This practice has deepened the digital divide and has increased the disparity in access to intellectual capital and economic opportunity; and

WHEREAS: Competition from fiber optic technology could drive down the cost for consumers and boost the speed of other Internet connectivity options; and

WHEREAS: Deregulation and monopoly control have led to a significant downgrading in traditional landline service in recent years; and

WHEREAS: State utilities regulators have enabled this problem by surrendering effective service quality regulation under the theory that "market competition" would produce the best results; and

WHEREAS: So-called market competition has resulted in less competition, higher prices and lower quality service and residents in localities where FiOS is not available are forced to pay monopoly prices for an inferior product; and

WHEREAS: High-speed internet has gone from being a luxury item to a basic necessity in the past two decades as Verizon and other telecom giants have continued to abandon the traditional copper network; THEREFORE BE IT

RESOL VED: That the Boston City Council strongly urges the utility regulators of Massachusetts to insist that high speed Internet and cable services be included among providers' "basic services" and work to ensure that Boston residents have access to the newest and most efficient telecommunications technology available.

Referred to the Committee on City, Neighborhood Services and Veterans Affairs.

ORDER FOR HEARING REGARDING CREATION OF APPETITE FOR ARTS PROGRAM TO CONNECT LOCAL ARTISTS WITH RESTAURANTS (DOCKET NO. 1431)

Councilor WU, PRESSLEY, O'MALLEY, JACKSON, FLAHERTY, CIOMMO, BAKER, MCCARTHY, YANCEY and LINEHAN offered the following:

WHEREAS: The City of Boston is home to a vast and emerging local arts and culture community as well as a thriving food and beverage industry; and

WHEREAS: Local restaurants provide an ideal setting for resident interactions and community engagement; and

WHEREAS: Arts and culture contributes to the vibrancy of neighborhoods, celebrates diversity, and invokes civic pride; and

WHEREAS: Being connected to local restaurants provides artists with opportunities for exposure, and to display and sell artwork; and

WHEREAS: Restaurants often use artwork as decor for ambiance and positive dining experiences, and have an interest in connecting with local artists whose work would appeal to patrons; and

WHEREAS: The City of Boston could facilitate these connections, thereby supporting neighborhood restaurants and local artists, by offering and/or publicizing a simple online platform; Now

THEREFORE BE IT ORDERED, That the appropriate committee of the Boston City Council hold a hearing to discuss the viability and impact of an "Appetite for Arts" program that would connect Boston artists to local restaurant venues; and representatives from the Mayor's Office of Arts and Culture, Department of Innovation and Technology and any interested parties be invited to attend.

Referred to the Committee on Arts and Culture.

ORDER FOR HEARING TO DISCUSS EXTENDING

METERED PARKING PRIVILEGES TO VETERANS WITH PURPLE HEART LICENSE PLATES IN BOSTON (DOCKET NO. 1432)

Councilor WU, MURPHY, O'MALLEY, MCCARTHY, LAMATTINA, JACKSON, FLAHERTY, CIOMMO, BAKER, LINEHAN, YANCEY and PRESSLEY offered the following:

WHEREAS: The Commonwealth of Massachusetts like other states offers a Purple Heart license plate for Veterans who have been awarded a Purple Heart for being wounded in the line of duty; and

WHEREAS: Obtaining this type of vanity plate requires documentation of the Purple Heart award as well as honorable discharge; and

WHEREAS: In the City of Boston, the Mayor's office of Veterans Services offers many resources and benefits to our residents who have served our country; and

WHEREAS: Massachusetts General Laws already exempts drivers with disabled veteran license plates or disabled person license plates from paying parking meter fees; and

WHEREAS: Extending parking privileges to our Purple Heart veterans at metered locations throughout Boston is just a small way to recognize them for their service to our country; and

THEREFORE BE IT ORDERED, That the appropriate committee of the Boston City Council hold a hearing to discuss the feasibility of extending the parking meter exemption to veterans with Purple Heart license plates in the City of Boston, and that the Boston Transportation Department and the Mayor's office of Veterans Services and any other interested parties shall be invited to attend.

Referred to the Committee on City, Neighborhood Services and Veterans Affairs.

ORDER FOR HEARING TO DISCUSS INCENTIVIZING ONSITE CHILD CARE IN NEW COMMERCIAL DEVELOPMENTS IN THE CITY OF BOSTON (DOCKET NO. 1433)

Councilor WU, PRESSLEY, O'MALLEY, LAMATTINA, JACKSON, FLAHERTY, LINEHAN and YANCEY offered the following:

WHEREAS: Boston is undergoing a period of strong economic growth attracting new businesses, and increased commercial development; and

WHEREAS: Increasing numbers of employees are struggling to secure affordable quality child care so that they may stay in the workforce, with 64% of mothers with children under 6 years old remaining in the workforce, with 60% of two-parent families having both parents working; and with almost 70% of women who are single mothers in the workforce; and

WHEREAS: Child care is one of the biggest expenses that a family faces, with Child Care Aware of America finding that the average monthly fee for an infant in child care is more expensive than the average cost of feeding a family of four, and coordinating the logistics of child care away from home or work adds to this financial and emotional stress; and

WHEREAS: Having child care available at work can be an economic benefit for employers, with studies having shown reduced turnover and absenteeism for workers with access to on-site child care; and

WHEREAS: Encouraging new commercial developments to include child care facilities on-site would help families, employers, and children;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDERED, That the appropriate committee of the Boston City Council hold a hearing to discuss incentivizing the co-location of on-site child care facilities in any new commercial development in Boston; and that the Mayor's Office of Economic Development, the Boston Redevelopment Authority, the Mayor's Office of Women's Advancement, and any other interested parties shall be invited to attend.

Referred to the Committee on Economic Development, Planning and Labor.

ORDER FOR HEARING REGARDING ENFORCEMENT OF "NO MORE THAN FOUR" ZONING AMENDMENT (DOCKET NO. 1434)

Councilors CIOMMO, ZAKIM, LINEHAN, FLAHERTY, MURPHY, O'MALLEY, WU and YANCEY offered the following:

WHEREAS, Ensuring safe and healthy housing for undergraduate students is a critical priority for the City of Boston; and

WHEREAS, The "Student Zoning Amendment" to the Boston Zoning Code prohibits 5 or more full-time, undergraduate students from occupying a single housing unit in Boston; and

WHEREAS, The City's Inspectional Services Department ("ISD") is charged with enforcement of the "Student Zoning Amendment" and the Boston Zoning Code; and

WHEREAS, ISD is also charged with enforcement of the State Sanitary Code and Rental Registration Ordinance to ensure safe and healthy housing for all of Boston's residents; and

WHEREAS, Utilizing the City's Rental Housing Registry, 2015 University Accountability Ordinance Reports and Problem Properties data, ISD identified 600 units potentially in violation of the "Student Zoning Amendment," obtained consent to inspect 146 of these units, issued numerous Sanitary and Building Code violations but no "Student Zoning" violations, THEREFORE BE IT

ORDERED, That tlle appropriate Committee of the Boston City Council hold a hearing to discuss how the City of Boston can more effectively ensure safe and healthy housing through enforcement of the State Sanitary Code, Rental Registration Ordinance, and "Student Zoning Amendment," and that ISD representatives and other interested parties be invited to testify.

Referred to the Committee on City, Neighborhood Services and Veterans Affairs.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES (DOCKET NO. 1435)

Councilor LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, August 29, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, December 11, 2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Annie Qin, Administrative Asst., $2,136.74, full time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

LATE-FILED MATTERS

The Chair stated that in absence of objection, four late-filed matters would be added to the Agenda.

No objection being heard, the following matters were added:

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES (DOCKET NO.1495)

Councilor LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, September 12, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday,

December 11 ,2015:
BiWeekly Payroll:
Herby Lindor, Secretary, $480.00, part time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

APPOINTMENT BY THE MAYOR
(DOCKET NO. 1496)

Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of Katherine Hammer as the Director of the Office of Budget Management effective August 31, 2015.
Placed on file.

APPOINTMENT BY THE MAYOR
(DOCKET NO.1497)

Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of Christine Pulgini, Esquire, as the Interim Executive Director of the Mayor's Office of Consumer Affairs and Licensing effective August 31, 2015 for a period of sixty days therefrom.
Placed on file.

APPOINTMENT BY THE MAYOR
(DOCKET NO. 1498)

Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of Francis Doyle as a member of the Residency Policy Commission.
Placed on file.

MESSAGE DISPROVING ORDINANCE AMENDING CITY OF BOSTON CODE (SALARY OF CITY COUNCILORS) (DOCKET NO. 0101)

Councilor LINEHAN called Docket No. 0101 from the Assignment Sheet.

No objection being heard, the matter was before the body.

On motion of Councilor LINEHAN, the ordinance was placed on file.

CONSENT AGENDA

The Chair moved adoption of a Consent Agenda in which the following-named Councilors offered resolutions of a condolence or congratulatory nature as set forth after each Councilor's name:

Councilor McCarthy: In memory of E. Joyce Munger (Docket No. 1436)

Councilor Ciommo: Recognizing six recipients of the 2015 St. Elizabeth's Medical Center Scholarship (Docket No. 1437) Congratulating Jean Powes and Theodora Keiber (Docket No. 1438) Recognizing Gabriella D'Ambrosio (Docket No. 1439)

Councilor Zakim: In memory of Dr. Carolyn Kaelin (Docket No. 1440)

Councilor LaMattina: In memory of Paul Piantedosi (Docket No. 1441)

Councilor Pressley: Recognizing Ximena Cordoba (Docket No. 1442)

Councilor Ciommo: In memory of Robert "Bob" Alexander (Docket No. 1443)

Councilor LaMattina: Recognizing Rosalba Aguillon (Docket No. 1444) Recognizing Jaime Alejandro Guerrero Ramirez (Docket No. 1445) Recognizing Delio Guzman (Docket No. 1446) Recognizing Jessie Marshall (Docket No. 1447)

Councilor Wu: Recognizing NAAAP Boston for its commitment to empower Asian American leaders and its efforts in promoting Asian culture through Boston Asia Fest (Docket No. 1448)

Councilor O'Malley: In memory of Daniel P. O'Neil (Docket No. 1449)

Councilor Wu: Recognizing Thomas MacDonald (Docket No. 1450) Recognizing Rustin Hiatt (Docket No. 1451)

Councilor O'Malley: In memory of Catherine M. Leonard-McLean (Docket No. 1452)

Councilor Flaherty: Congratulating Barry W. Sullivan (Docket No. 1453) Recognizing Ruvena Rose Marie King (Docket No. 1454)

Councilor O'Malley: In memory of Jack Mahoney (Docket No. 1455)

Councilor LaMattina: In memory of Agustus "Gus" Gatti (Docket No. 1456) Recognizing Dr. John Button (Docket No. 1457) Recognizing John Kelly (Doeket No. 1458) Recognizing Victor Brogna (Docket No. 1459)

Councilor Murphy: Congratulating Bob Susi (Docket No. 1460) Congratulating Daniel J. O'Connor (Docket No. 1461)

Councilor Pressley: Recognizing Daniel Alemu (Docket No. 1462) Recognizing Heglichs W. Perez (Docket No. 1463)

Councilor McCarthy: In memory of James S. Hamrock (Docket No. 1464)

Councilor Zakim: Recognizing Robert Taylor III (Docket No. 1465)

Councilor LaMattina: Recognizing Juan Carlos Lovato Mejia (Docket No. 1466) Recognizing Andres Giraldo (Docket No. 1467) Recognizing Hernan Choque (Docket No. 1468) Recognizing Adalberto Santiago (Docket No. 1469)

Councilor O'Malley: In memory of Alberto Rivera (Docket No. 1470)

Councilor Yancey: In memory of Winston S. Rodriquez (Docket No. 1471) In memory of Dianne George (Docket No. 1472)

Councilors Jackson and Yancey: Recognizing Florida Agricultural and Mechanical University (Docket No. 1473)

Councilor Jackson: Recognizing Sam's House (Docket No. 1474) Councilors Linehan and Flaherty: In memory of Mary C. King (Docket No. Councilor McCarthy: In memory of John Prata (Docket No. 1476) In memory of George J. Smith (Docket No. 1477)In memory of Jeremy Eschelbacher (Docket No. 1478)

Councilor Pressley: Recognizing 23 individuals for their dedication to personal development and successful completion of the GIRLS RULE/ EMPOWERMENT Mentoring Program (Docket No. 1479)

Councilor LaMattina: In memory of Salvatore Trovato (Docket No. 1480)

Councilor Linehan: In memory of Miehael J. Connors (Docket No.

Councilors Linehan and Flaherty: In memory of Ronald E. Tobias (Docket No. 1482) Councilor Ciommo: Recognizing Candy Lewis (Docket No. 1483)

Councilor Jackson: Congratulating The House Slam (Docket No. 1484)

Councilor Yancey: Recognizing Nicola Sacco and Bartolomeo Vanzetti Commemoration Day (Docket No. 1485) Recognizing Calvin Davis (Docket No. 1486) Recognizing Leonard "Leon" Coleman (Docket No. 1487) Recognizing Hiram Grand Lodge (Docket No. 1488) Recognizing John Wesley Carlos (Docket No. 1489) Recognizing Jemma Jordan (Docket No. 1490) Recognizing seven people and organizations for their assistance as Judges in the 42nd Annual Boston Caribbean Carnival (Docket No. 1491)

Councilor Flaherty: Recognizing Jose Huaman Turpo (Docket No. 1492)

Councilor Jackson offered the following; Recognizing Dorothea Jones (Docket No. 1493) Recognizing the twenty people for their dedication and assistance to The Elevate Boston Foundation, INC (Docket No. 1494)

The matters contained within the Consent Agenda were severally adopted.

NEXT MEETING

Adjourned at 1:08 p.m. on motion of President Linehan and in memory of Darwin Adilas, Ashley Berryman, Rassaun Nichols, Angel Oller, Andrew Reed, Amelia Boynton Robinson, Julian Bond, Joe Chaisson, Carl Hosea, Mary C. King, Ronald E. Tobias, Michael J. Connors, James Sablone, Salvatore Travato, Yves Dambreville, Daniel O'Neil, Catherine Leonard-Mclean, Jack Mahoney, Robert "Bob" Alexander, Louis Stokes, Eileen Grace and William Cunningham, to meet again on Wednesday, September 16, 2015 at 12:00 p.m.

Note: All debate of City Council eliminated from proceedings in accordance with Chapter 447, Acts of 1947.

CITY OF BOSTON

Proceedings of the Boston City Council

Wednesday, September 16, 2015

Regular meeting of the City Council held in the Christopher A. Iannella Chamber, City Hall, at 12:08 p.m. President Linehan in the Chair.

INVOCATION

Pastor Kim Odom, True Vine Church, delivered the invocation, and the meeting was opened with the pledge of allegiance to the flag.

PRESENTATION BY COUNCILOR MURPHY

Councilor MURPHY offered a resolution to the Lord Mayor of Belfast, Arder Carson, who is in Boston for the second time in five months, his first visit being in April of this year. Lord Mayor Carson is the equivalent of Council President of sixty councilors and was a witty soul recognizing the connection that Ireland and Boston has.

Councilor MURPHY announced that September 16th is now declared as Lord Mayor of Belfast, Arder Carson Day in the City of Boston.

STATEMENT OF PRESIDENT LINEHAN

Council President LINEHAN wanted to recognize the Congressional Medal of Honor Society recipients who were up at the State House today and not able to attend the meeting here at the Council. He mentioned he would personally recognize them at a later time and mentioned out of the 78 living recipients, 43 members are presently visiting the City of Boston.

STATEMENT OF PRESIDENT LINEHAN

President LINEHAN moved to adopt the minutes from the September 2, 2015 meeting. **Motion prevailed.**

ORDER AUTHORIZING POLICE DEPARTMENT TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND DONATION FROM NATIONAL INSURANCE CRIME BUREAU OF FOUR (4) 2015 HONDA ACCORD SPORTS TIRES AND RIMS MATERIALS WILL BE USED ON BAIT VEHICLE AS PART OF AUTO THEFT UNIT'S INVESTIGATION INTO TIRE THEFT SERIES IN CITY (DOCKET NO. 1499)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

September 10, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I herewith submit for your approval, an Order to accept and expend for the benefit of the City of Boston, a donation from the National Insurance Crime Bureau of four (4) 2015 Honda Accord Sport tires and rims. The materials will be used on a bait vehicle as part of the Auto Theft Unit's investigation into a Tire Theft Series in the City. The deployment of the tires and rims on a bait vehicle will address complaints from the community relative to theft and will further the Department's overall goal of community policing.

I urge your Honorable Body to adopt this Order as soon as possible so that the City of Boston may accept the four (4) 2015 Honda Accord Sport tires and rims expeditiously and use it for the purpose for which it was granted.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

AN ORDER ACCEPTING A DONATION OF TIRES FROM NATIONAL INSURANCE CRIME BUREAU.

ORDERED: That the Boston Police Department, be and hereby is authorized, in accordance with Section 53A 1/2 of Chapter 44 of the Massachusetts General Laws to accept as a gift a donation from the National Insurance Crime Bureau of four (4) 2015 Honda Accord Sport tires and rims, to be deployed as on a bait vehicle during investigations of tire theft.

The rules were suspended; the order was passed.

ORDER AUTHORIZING POLICE DEPARTMENT TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND DONATION FROM NATIONAL INSURANCE CRIME BUREAU OF FOUR (4) GPD MODEL SC308-1010 DEVICES ENCLOSED WITHIN PELICAN CASES. DEVICE WILL BE DEPLOYED IN BAIT RIMS AND USED BY AUTO THEFT UNIT DURING INVESTIGATIONS TO ADDRESS COMPLAINTS FROM COMMUNITY RELATIVE TO THIS TYPE OF THEFT AND WILL FURTHER DEPARTMENT'S OVERALL GOAL OF COMMUNITY POLICING (DOCKET NO. 1500)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

September 9, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I herewith submit for your approval, an Order to accept and expend for the benefit of the City of Boston, a donation from the National Insurance Crime Bureau of four (4) GPS Model SC308-1010 devices enclosed within cases. The devices will be deployed in bait rims and used by the Auto Theft Unit during investigations to address complaints from the community relative to this type of theft and will further the Department's overall goal of community policing.

I urge your Honorable Body to adopt this Order as soon as possible so that the City of Boston may accept the four (4) GPS devices expeditiously and use them fOf the purpose for which they were granted.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

ORDER ACCEPTING DONATION OF GPS | DEVICES FROM NATIONAL INSURANCE CRIME BUREAU.

ORDERED: That the Boston Police Department, be and hereby is authorized, in accordance with Section 53A 1/2 of Chapter 44 of the Massachusetts General Laws to accept as a gift a donation from the National Insurance Crime Bureau of four (4) GPS Model SC308-1 010 devices enclosed within cases. The devices will be deployed in bait rims and used by the Auto Theft Unit during investigations.

The rules were suspended; the order was passed.

ABSENCE OF THE MAYOR
(DOCKET NO. 1501)

Notice was received from the Mayor of his absence from the City from 8:00 a.m. until 3:00 p.m. Thursday, September 3rd, 2015.

Placed on file.

COMMUNICATION WAS RECEIVED FROM KEEGAN WERLIN LLP, RE: NSTAR ELECTRIC COMPANY, EFSB 14-041 D.P.U. 14-153/14-154 (DOCKET NO. 1502)

Communication was received from Keegan Werlin LLP, re: NSTAR Electric Company, EFSB 14-04/D.P.U. 14-153/14-154.

Placed on file.

ORDER FOR HEARING TO DISCUSS ONGOING AND PLANNED IMPROVEMENTS TO BOSTON'S CYCLING INFRASTRUCTURE (DOCKET NO. 1298)

This matter which was recently heard for possible action, was remanded back to the **Committee on City, Neighborhood Services and Veterans Affairs.**

ORDER FOR HEARING REGARDING RECESS AND RECREATIONAL ACTIVITIES IN BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS (DOCKET NO. 1503)

Councilors JACKSON, YANCEY, MURPHY, O'MALLEY, LINEHAN, CIOMMO, FLAHERTY, MCCARTHY, WU, ZAKIM, PRESSLEY, BAKER and LAMATTINA, offered the following:

WHEREAS: Massachusetts elementary school students are required to spend no less than 900 hours in structured learning time each academic year; and

WHEREAS: The Massachusetts General Laws define physical education as one of the "other subjects" that counts towards those 900 hours, but exclude recess from courses that may be lumped under the title "structured learning time"; and

WHEREAS: Unstructured play time, or recess, is an opportunity for children to engage their imaginations, negotiate with their peers, exercise and observe the world with minimal adult interventions; and

WHEREAS: The creative faculties and pro-social skills developed on the playground can transition to the classroom; and

WHEREAS: The elimination of daily recess from the school day has coincided with national and local trends of increased standardized testing at the elementary school level and steadily rising rates of obesity among children; and

WHEREAS: Childhood obesity rates in Boston hover at 39.5%, despite statewide declines; and

WHEREAS: Black and Latino students living in large cities and attending public school are least likely to be granted unstructured play time in the course of a school day and are disproportionately suspended, expelled or arrested for poor behavior; and

WHEREAS: Research from the Institution of Education Science's What Works Clearinghouse and the Centers for Disease Control suggests that there may be a correlation between regular scheduled recesses and improved classroom behavior; and

WHEREAS: A joint study by Stanford University and Mathematica Policy Research notes that the positive effects reported by schools that hosted Playworks, a nonprofit that designs physical activities and recess for elementary students, including quicker transitions between lessons and decreased bullying were observed by adults but not students; and

WHEREAS: It is generally accepted that for adults and children, holding breaks facilitates long-term memory development and short term concentration; and, NOW THEREFORE BE IT

ORDERED: That the appropriate committee of the Boston City Council hold a hearing to discuss recess and other recreational activities available to Boston Public School students during the school day and invite Playworks, Boston Public Schools, parents and all interested parties to attend and testify.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

ORDER FOR HEARING TO EXAMINE CREATION AND IMPLEMENTATION OF FATHERS NOW PROGRAM (DOCKET NO. 1504)

Councilors JACKSON, O'MALLEY, PRESSLEY, WU, YANCEY, ZAKIM, LAMATTINA, BAKER, LINEHAN, FLAHERTY and CIOMMO offered the following:

WHEREAS, The Bureau of Justice Statistics found that approximately half of state incarcerated men were fathers; and more than six in ten fathers in state and federal prisons were Black or Latino; and,

WHEREAS, The Child Welfare League of America found that children with incarcerated parents were more likely to live in poverty, had lower school performances, higher teenage pregnancy rates and higher dropout rates; and,

WHEREAS, 95% of the Massachusetts incarcerated population is male; and,

WHEREAS, Massachusetts spends $53,000 a year to incarcerate a single person; and,

WHEREAS,

The average male sentence in Massachusetts is 3.6 years; and,

WHEREAS, The Fathers Now program of Newark, New Jersey seeks to reunite formerly incarcerated fathers with their children; and,

WHEREAS, The Fathers Now program offers fathers parenting, financial literacy, health and wellness, and resume and interview classes and counseling; and,

WHEREAS, The recidivism rate of the Fathers Now graduates is 6%; whereas, the recidivism rate for Newark, NJ is 64%; and,

WHEREAS, It is critically important to decrease the recidivism rate in Boston especially for those within the incarcerated groups of males that are consistently disproportionately higher than the general population and reunite fathers with their children; and, NOW

THEREFORE, BE IT ORDERED, That the appropriate committee of the Boston City Council hold a hearing to examine this matter and representatives from the Fatherhood Project at Massachusetts General Hospital, the Suffolk County Sheriff's Department and other interested parties be invited to attend and testifY.

Referred to the Special Committee on Status of Black and Latino Men and Boys.

ORDER REQUESTING CERTAIN INFORMATION UNDER SECTION 17F: RE: LIST OF ALL BOARDS, COMMISSIONS & AUTHORITIES FOR CITY OF BOSTON BY NAME, DATE ESTABLISHED, ENABLING LEGISLATION, NAME, TITLE, RACE, GENDER, ADDRESS & TERM (DOCKET NO. 1506)

Councilor Yancey offered the following:

ORDERED: That, under the provisions of Section 17F of Chapter 376 the Acts of 1951, as amended, and under any other applicable provision of law, His Honor, the Mayor, be, and hereby Is, requested to obtain and deliver to the City Council, within one week of the receipt hereof, the following information:

1. List of all Boards, Commissions and Authorities for the City of Boston by name, date established and enabling legislation on an excel spreadsheet.

2. List of all Board, Commission and Authority members by name, title, race, gender, address and be on on an excel spreadsheet.

On motion of Councilor YANCEY, the rules were suspended; the order was passed.

ORDER REQUESTING CERTAIN INFORMATION UNDER SECTION 17F: RE: LIST OF ACTIVE EMPLOYEES AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2014 WITH NAME, TITLE, DEPARTMENT, ANNUAL SALARY, HIRING DATE, GENDER, RACE AND RESIDENCY AND LIST OF ALL NEW HIRES, PROMOTIONS AND TERMINATION BY NAME, TITLE, DEPARTMENT, ANNUAL SALARY, HIRING DATE, GENDER, RACE AND RESIDENCY BETWEEN OCTOBER 1, 2014 TO DECEMBER 31, 2014 (DOCKET NO. 1507)

Councilor Yancey offered the following:

ORDERED: That, under the provisions of Section 17F of Chapter 376 the Acts of 1951, as amended, and under any other applicable provision of law, His Honor, the Mayor, be, and hereby is, requested to obtain and deliver to the City CounCil, within one week of the receipt hereof, the following Information:

1. List of all active employees as of December 31, 2014 with the name, title, department, annual salary, hiring date, gender, race and residency on an excel spreadsheet.

2. List of all new hires by name, title, department, annual salary, hiring date, gender, race and residency between October 1,2014 to December 31, 2014 on an excel spreadsheet.

3. List of all promotions by name, title, department, annual salary, hiring date, gender, race and residency between October 1, 2014 to December 31, 2014 on an excel spreadsheet.

4. List of all terminations by name, title, department, annual salary, hiring date, gender, race and residency between October 1,2014 to December 31, 2014 on an excel spreadsheet.

On motion of Councilor YANCEY, the rules were suspended; the order was passed.

ORDER REQUESTING CERTAIN INFORMATION UNDER SECTION 17F: LIST OF ACTIVE EMPLOYEES AS OF JUNE 30, 2014 WITH NAME, TITLE, DEPARTMENT, ANNUAL SALARY, HIRING DATE, GENDER, RACE AND RESIDENCY AND LIST OF ALL NEW HIRES, PROMOTIONS AND TERMINATIONS BY NAME, TITLE, DEPARTMENT, ANNUAL SALARY, HIRING DATE, GENDER, RACE AND RESIDENCY BETWEEN APRIL 1,2014 TO JUNE 30, 2014 (DOCKET NO. 1508)

Councilor Yancey offered the following:

ORDERED: That, under the provisions of Section 17F of Chapter 376 the Acts of 1951, as amended, and under any other applicable provision of law, His Honor, the Mayor, be, and hereby is, requested to obtain and deliver to the City CounCil, within one week of the receipt hereof, the following information:

1. List of all active employees as of June 30,2014 with the name, title, department, annual salary, hiring date, gender, race and residency on an excel spreadsheet.

2. List of all new hires by name, title, department, annual salary, hiring date, gender, race and residency between April 1, 2014 to June 30, 2014 on an excel spreadsheet.

3. List of all promotions by name, title, department, annual salary. hiring date, gender, race and residency between April 1, 2014 to June 30, 2014 on an excel spreadsheet.

4. List of all terminations by name, title, department, annual salary, hiring date, gender, race and residency between April 1, 2014 to June 30, 2014 on an excel spreadsheet.

On motion of Councilor YANCEY, the rules were suspended; the order was passed.

ORDER REQUESTING CERTAIN INFORMATION UNDER SECTION 17F: LIST OF ACTIVE EMPLOYEES AS OF JUNE 30, 2015 WITH NAME, TITLE, DEPARTMENT, ANNUAL SALARY, HIRING DATE, GENDER, RACE AND RESIDENCY AND LIST OF ALL NEW HIRES, PROMOTIONS AND TERMINATIONS BY NAME, TITLE, DEPARTMENT, ANNUAL SALARY, HIRING DATE, GENDER, RACE AND RESIDENCY BETWEEN APRIL 1, 2015 TO JUNE 30, 2015 (DOCKET NO. 1509)

Councilor Yancey offered the following:

ORDERED: That, under the provisions of Section 17F of Chapter 376 the Acts of 1951, as amended, and under any other applicable provision of law, His Honor, the Mayor, be, and hereby is, requested to obtain and deliver to the City Council, within one week of the receipt hereof, the following information:

1. List of all active employees as of June 30, 2015 with the name, title, department, annual salary, hiring date, gender, race and residency on an excel spreadsheet.

2. List of all new hires by name, title, department. annual salary, hiring date, gender, race and residency between April 1, 2015 to June 30, 2015 on an excel spreadsheet

3. List of all promotions by name, title, department, annual salary, hiring date, gender, race and residency between April 1, 2015 to June 30,2015 on an excel spreadsheet.

4. List of all terminations by name, title, department, annual salary, hiring date, gender, race and residency between April 1, 2015 to June 30, 2015 on an excel spreadsheet.

On motion of Councilor YANCEY, the rules were suspended; the order was passed.

ORDER REQUESTING CERTAIN INFORMATION UNDER SECTION 17F: LIST OF ACTIVE EMPLOYEES AS OF SEPTEMBER 30, 2014 WITH NAME, TITLE, DEPARTMENT, ANNUAL SALARY, HIRING DATE, GENDER, RACE AND RESIDENCY AND LIST OF ALL NEW HIRES, PROMOTIONS AND TERMINATIONS BY NAME, TITLE, DEPARTMENT, ANNUAL SALARY, HIRING DATE, GENDER, RACE AND RESIDENCY BETWEEN JULY 1, 2014 TO SEPTEMBER 30,

2014 (DOCKET NO. 1510)

Councilor Yancey offered the following:

ORDERED: That, under the provisions of Section 17F of Chapter 376 the Acts of 1951, as amended, and under any other applicable provision of law, His Honor, the Mayor, be, and hereby is, requested to obtain and deliver to the City Council, within one week of the receipt hereof, the following Information:

1. List of all active employees as of September 30, 2014 with the name, title. department, annual salary, hiring date, gender, race and residency on an excel spreadsheet.

2. List of all new hires by name, title, department, annual salary, hiring date, gender, race and residency between July 1, 2014 to September 30, 2014 on an excel spreadsheet.

3. List of all promotions by name, title, department. annual salary, hiring date, gender, race and residency between July 1,2014 to September 30,2014 on an excel spreadsheet.

4. List of all terminations by name, title, department, annual salary, hiring date, gender, race and residency between July 1,2014 to September 30, 2014 on an excel spreadsheet.

On motion of Councilor YANCEY, the rules were suspended; the order was passed.

ORDER REQUESTING CERTAIN INFORMATION UNDER SECTION 17F: LIST OF ACTIVE EMPLOYEES AS OF MARCH 31, 2014 WITH NAME, TITLE, 17 DEPARTMENT, ANNUAL SALARY, HIRING DATE, GENDER, RACE AND RESIDENCY AND LIST OF ALL NEW HIRES, PROMOTIONS AND TERMINATIONS BY NAME, TITLE, DEPARTMENT, ANNUAL SALARY, HIRING DATE, GENDER, RACE AND RESIDENCY BETWEEN JANUARY 1, 2014 TO MARCH 31, 2014 (DOCKET NO. 1511)

Councilor Yancey offered the following:

ORDERED: That, under the provisions of Section 17F of Chapter 376 the Acts of 1951, as amended, and under any other applicable provision of law, His Honor, the Mayor, be, and hereby is, requested to obtain and deliver to the City Council, within one week of the receipt hereof, the following information:

1. List of all active employees as of March 31, 2014 with the name, title, department, annual salary, hiring date, gender, race and residency on an excel spreadsheet.

2. List of all new hires by name, title, department, annual salary, hiring date, gender, race and residency between January 1, 2014 to March 31, 2014 on an excel spreadsheet.

3. List of all promotions by name, title, department, annual salary, hiring date, gender, race and residency between January 1, 2014 to March 31, 2014 on an excel spreadsheet.

4. List of all terminations by name, title, department, annual salary, hiring date, gender, race and residency between January 1, 2014 to March 31, 2014 on an excel spreadsheet.

On motion of Councilor YANCEY, the rules were suspended; the order was passed.

ORDER REQUESTING CERTAIN INFORMATION UNDER SECTION 17F: LIST OF ACTIVE EMPLOYEES AS OF MARCH 31, 2015 WITH NAME, TITLE, DEPARTMENT, ANNUAL SALARY, HIRING DATE, GENDER, RACE AND RESIDENCY AND LIST OF ALL NEW HIRES, PROMOTIONS AND TERMINATIONS BY NAME, TITLE, DEPARTMENT, ANNUAL SALARY, HIRING DATE, GENDER, RACE AND RESIDENCY BETWEEN JANUARY 1, 2015 TO MARCH 31, 2015 (DOCKET NO. 1512)

Councilor Yancey offered the following:

ORDERED: That, under the provisions of Section 17F of Chapter 376 the Acts of 1951, as amended, and under any other applicable provision of law, His Honor, the Mayor, be, and hereby Is, requested to obtain and deliver to the City Council, within one week of the receipt hereof, the following Information:

1. List of all active employees as of March 31, 2015 with the name, title, department, annual salary, hiring date, gender, race and residency on an excel spreadsheet.

2. List of all new hires by name, title, department, annual salary, hiring date, gender, race and residency between January 1, 2015 to March 31, 2015 on an excel spreadsheet.

3. List of all promotions by name, title, department, annual salary, hiring date, gender, race and residency between January 1, 2015 to March 31, 2015 on an excel spreadsheet.

4. List of all terminations by name, title, department, annual salary, hiring date, gender, race and residency between January 1, 2015 to March 31, 2015 on an excel spreadsheet.

On motion of Councilor YANCEY, the rules were suspended; the order was passed.

ORDER REQUESTING CERTAIN INFORMATION UNDER SECTION 17F FROM MAYOR REGARDING STEPS BEING TAKEN TO ELIMINATE DISPARITIES IN FACILITIES AND SERVICES BASED ON GENDER CONCERNING HOMELESS AND RECOVERY CLIENTS. FOURTEEN DETAILED QUESTIONS (DOCKET NO. 1513)

Councilor Yancey offered the following:

ORDERED: That under the provisions of section 1.17F of Chapter 376 of the Acts of 1951, as amended, and any other applicable provision of law, His Honor, the Mayor, be, and hereby is, requested to obtain and deliver to the City Council, within one week of the receipt hereof, the following information:

Please provide the steps being taken to eliminate disparities in facilities and services based on gender concerning homeless and recovery clients. Please include the following information:

1. How many calls has the Mayor's Office and Mayor's Hotline received requesting emergency shelter and/or medical detox programming?

2. How many clients were displaced due to the Long Island Bridge closing?

3. Has every dislocated client been accounted for?

4. Describe how the city tracks clients.

5. Where are the clients now?

6. Were there any fatalities? If so, how many?

7. Describe the needs re-assessment/re-evaluation process for relocation.

8. Please provide the number of individuals who were fast tracked through the housing system due to disaster level re-homelessness.

9. What was the process to help those displaced get a bed?

10. What happened to the HIV/AIDS clients?

11. What happened to domestic violence victims?

12. Describe the lottery system. What happens if you do not make it in the lottery?

13. Is there an emergency shelter clearing house for clients to use in order to find beds?

14. How many clients received permanent housing?

On motion of Councilor YANCEY, the rules were suspended; the order was passed.

ORDER REQUESTING CERTAIN INFORMATION UNDER SECTION 17F FROM MAYOR REGARDING STEPS BEING TAKEN TO ELIMINATE DISPARITIES IN FACILITIES AND SERVICES BASED ON GENDER CONCERNING PROGRAMMING. SIX DETAILED QUESTIONS (DOCKET NO. 1514)

Councilor Yancey offered the following:

ORDERED: That under the provisions of section 1.17F of Chapter 376 of the Acts of 1951, as amended, and any other applicable provision of law, His Honor, the Mayor, be, and hereby is, requested to obtain and deliver to the City Council, within one week of the receipt hereof, the following information:

Please describe the steps being taken by the City of Boston to eliminate disparities in facilities and services based on gender concerning programming. Please include the following information:

1. How many programs were there on Long Island?

2. Please provide the names and locations of the relocated programs.

3. Describe the healthcare for the homeless. Please include the following information: criteria for acceptance for long-term and short-term health conditions; length and terms of stay; service provisions to get clients to the next step such as rehabilitation, shelter, transitional housing; after care process; and, process to feed clients into the emergency shelter system.

4. Are any transitional units or apartments set aside?

5. Was there a disaster rapid response re-housing management team focused on homeless clients?

6. Is there a rapid response team now?

On motion of Councilor YANCEY, the rules were suspended; the order was passed.

ORDER REQUESTING CERT AIN INFORMATION UNDER SECTION 17F FROM THE MAYOR REGARDING STEPS BEING TAKEN TO ELIMINATE DISPARITIES IN FACILITIES AND SERVICES REGARDING RECOVERY CLIENTS. FOUR DETAILED QUESTIONS (DOCKET NO. 1515)

Councilor Yancey offered the following:

ORDERED: That under the provisions of section 1.17F of Chapter 376 of the Acts of 1951, as amended, and any other applicable provision of law, His Honor, the Mayor, be, and hereby is, requested to obtain and deliver to the City Council, within one week of the receipt hereof, the following information:

Please describe the steps being taken by the City of Boston to eliminate disparities in facilities and services regarding recovery clients. Please include the following information:

1. Are relapses considered part of the recovery process? If so, how are relapses dealt with?

2. How many overdoses have occurred since the closing of the Long Island Bridge and the programs and shelters at Long Island? How many deaths have occurred? How many requests for Narcan?

3. Was there a disaster rapid response medical detox management team focused on ensuring immediate accessible continuity of detox programming?

4. Is there a rapid response team now?

On motion of Councilor YANCEY, the rules were suspended; the order was passed.

ORDER FOR HEARING TO DISCUSS STATUS OF EARLY EDUCATION AND CARE WORKFORCE AND POTENTIAL IMPACTS OF PRE-K EXPANSION ON EXISTING COMMUNITY -BASED EARLY EDUCATION AND CARE PROVIDERS IN CITY OF BOSTON (DOCKET NO. 1516)

Councilors PRESSLEY, JACKSON, O'MALLEY, WU, YANCEY, ZAKIM, MURPHY, MCCARTHY, LAMATTINA, CIOMMO, BAKER, LINEHAN and FLAHERTY offered the following:

WHEREAS, Early education and care is critical to children's cognitive development and building a strong foundation for future learning; and

WHEREAS, In Massachusetts, the early education and care industry generates roughly 1.5 billion dollars in economic activity, and has served as a reliable way for parents looking to return to the workforce to do so while ensuring care for their own children; and

WHEREAS, There are more than one thousand early education and care providers in Boston that, according to a 2009 report by Boston EQUIP, employ a diverse workforce comprised of 6.5% Asian, 38.5% African American, 25.2% Latino, 25.9% White and 2.3% Multiracial providers and teachers; and

WHEREAS, The early education and care workforce is critical to ensuring a pathway to quality education for children, and advanced education and professional development for providers helps ensure positive outcomes; and

WHEREAS, Providers struggle with low pay, poor benefits, and great challenges navigating and financing their continued education; and

WHEREAS, Low wages and lack of professional development opportunities lead to a high turnover rate (30%) within the industry, and workforce turnover is disruptive for both employers and developing children; and

WHEREAS, As the city aims to expand access to prekindergarten seats, there may be unintended consequences for existing community-based early education and care facilities who provide care for infants and toddlers as well as afterschool-age children. THEREFORE BE IT

ORDERED, That the appropriate committee of the Boston City Council hold a hearing to discuss the impacts of increasing access to pre-kindergarten seats on existing community-based early education and care facilities and ways the City of Boston can protect and professionalize the early education and care workforce; and that representatives from ChiefofEducation, the Women's Commission and other interested parties be invited to testify.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

RESOLUTION FOR ADOPTION OF METRO BOSTON HAZARD MITIGATION PLAN (DOCKET NO. 1517)

Councilors MURPHY, FLAHERTY, CIOMMO, MCCARTHY, O'MALLEY, PRESSLEY, WU, LINEHAN, JACKSON and BAKER offered the following:

WHEREAS, the City of Boston in coordination with the Metropolitan Area Planning Council prepared the Metro Boston Hazard Mitigation Plan pursuant to guidelines and regulations of the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) and Massachusetts Emergency Management Agency (MEMA).

WHEREAS, the Metro Boston Hazard Mitigation Plan contains recommendations for several potential projects to mitigate impacts from natural haz.ards;

WHEREAS, FEMA has issued conditional approval of the Metro Boston Hazard Mitigation Plan;

WHEREAS, MEMA requires localities to adopt formally their respective Natural Hazard Plans; and

WHEREAS, adoption of the Metro Boston Hazard Mitigation Plan by the Boston City Council will make the City of Boston eligible for FEMA grant programs including Pre-Disaster Mitigation Assistance, Flood Mitigation Assistance, and the Hazard Mitigation Grant Program.

ORDERED, BE IT RESPOL VED that the Boston City Council hereby adopts the Metro Boston Natural Hazards Mitigation Plan as submitted by the Metropolitan Area Planning Council to the City of Boston.

On motion of Councilor MURPHY, the rules were suspended; the resolution was adopted.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES (DOCKET NO.1518)

President LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, September 12,2 015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, December 11, 2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Kathryn Vicino, Administrative Asst., $1,153.86, full time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES
(DOCKET NO. 1519)

Councilor LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, September 12, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, December 11, 2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:

Ivon Alvarez	Secretary	$677.78	part time
Walter Apperwhite	Secretary	$2,038.48	full time
Jill Baker	Administrative Asst.	$769.24	part time
Andrew Baldizon	Secretary	$600.00	part time
Lee Blasi	Secretary	$2,653.86	full time
Justin Brown	Secretary	$1,576.94	full time
Katherine Carangelo	Secretary	$1,653.86	full time
Nicholas G. Carter	Secretary	$1,461.54	full time
Chelsey Cartwright	Secretary	$1,462.00	full time
Robyn Casper	Secretary	$1,634.62	full time
James W. Chan	Secretary	$2,296.16	full time
Elaine M. Cloherty	Secretary	$1,923.08	part time
Henry Cohen	Secretary	$1,923.08	full time
Amanda Curley	Secretary	$1,730.78	full time
Judith E. Evers	Secretary	$480.00	part time
Maria Farrell	Secretary	$600.00	part time
Thomas Francis	Secretary	$769.22	part time
Jacqueline Franks	Secretary	$576.80	part time
Lynnette M. Frazier	Administrative Asst.	$2,461.54	full time
Amy Frigulietti	Administrative Asst.	$3,076.94	full time
Kamisha Green	Secretary	$432.00	part time
Mark Handley	Secretary	$2,711.56	full time
Shaikh Hasib	Secretary	$1,634.62	full time
Kyndal Henicke	Secretary	$1,692.32	full time
Camilo Hernandez	Secretary	$1,200.00	part time
Jared Hogan	Administrative Asst.	$1,212.00	full time
James Jackson	Secretary	$1,078.00	full time
Tricia Kalayjian	Administrative Asst.	$576.94	part time
Janet L. Knott	Administrative Asst.	$2,115.40	full time
Addison Koelle	Secretary	$1,615.40	full time
Berdadette Lally	Administrative Asst.	$2,000.00	part time
Herby Lindor	Secretary	$480.00	part time
William MacGregor	Secretary	$2,423.08	full time
Stephen Maguire	Secretary	$1,653.86	full time
Clancy Main	Secretary	$1,576.94	full time
Joseph M. McEachern	Secretary	$769.24	part time
Jennifer McGivern	Secretary	$250.00	part time
Samuel Miller	Secretary	$674.00	part time
Kara Nagle	Secretary	$1,406.00	full time
Deborah O'Leary	Secretary	$1,750.02	full time
Shane Pac	Secretary	$769.24	part time
Robert E. Powers	Secretary	$2,884.62	full time
Kara Nagle	Secretary	$1,406.00	full time
Nichelle Nicole Purvis	Secretary	$1,346.16	full time
Annie Qin	Administrative Asst.	$2,136.74	full time
Nichelle Sadler	Secretary	$2,730.78	full time
Daniel Sibor	Administrative Asst.	$2,615.40	full time

Mohona Siddique	Secretary	$1,692.31	full time
Michael A. Sinatra	Secretary	$1,923.08	full time
Vatsady Sivongxay	Secretary	$1,961.54	full time
Ryan Spitz	Administrative Asst.	$2,403.86	full time
Elizabeth Sullivan	Secretary	$2,807.70	full time
Paul Sullivan	Secretary	$692.32	part time
James Sutherland	Secretary	$900.00	part time
Jessica A. Taubner	Secretary	$2,318.00	part time
Lori Toscano	Secretary	$480.00	part time
John Ulrich	Administrative Asst.	$1,976.94	full time
Kathryn Vicino	Administrative Asst.	$1,153.86	full time
David Vittorini	Secretary	$1,923.08	full time
Joseph T. Walsh	Secretary	$1,500.00	full time
Sophia Wang	Secretary	$1,538.46	full time
Gary Webster	Secretary	$1,923.08	full time
Eric White	Administrative Asst.	$1,540.00	full time
Vernee Wilkinson	Secretary	$300.00	part time
Kenneth W. Yarbrough	Secretary	$1,730.78	full time
Ron Cobb	City Messenger & Senior Legislative Asst.	$2,255.78	full time
Daisy De La Rosa	Central Staff Director	$3,334.62	full time
Kerry Jordan	Television Operations & Technology Manager	$2,451.94	full time
Juan Lopez	Research & Policy Director	$2,667.68	full time
Rachel Lake	Administrative & Technical Asst.	$1,538.48	full time
Cora F. Montrond	Senior Legislative Asst. & Budget Analyst	$2,255.78	full time
Christine O'Donnell	Compliance Director & Staff Counsel	$3,202.02	full time
Lorraine Schettino	Office Manager	$1,936.04	full time
Daniel Shea	Legislative Assistant	$1,883.06	full time
Kathleen Sullivan	Director of Legislative Budget Analysis	$3,315.00	full time
Yuleidy Valdez	Business Manager	$2,412.70	full time
Corinne Walsh	Senior Legislative Asst. & Budget Analyst	$2,157.70	full time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES
(DOCKET NO. 1520)

President LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, September 19, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, December 19,2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Lorraine Fowlkes, Secretary, $2,000.00, full time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

CONSENT AGENDA

The Chair moved adoption of a Consent Agenda in which the following-named Councilors offered resolutions of a condolence or congratulatory nature as set forth after each Councilor's name:

Councilor LaMattina: Recognizing Mary Small (Docket No. 1521) Recognizing Giacomo "Jackie" Fabbo (Docket No. 1522) Recognizing The Argueta Family (Docket No. 1523) In memory of James Sablone (Docket No. 1524)

Councilor Yancey: In memory of Yves Dambreville (Docket No. 1525) Recognizing Erik Vendt (Docket No. 1526)

Councilors Wu and Pressley: In support of Ethiopia Week (Docket No. 1527)

Councilor Jackson: Recognizing Jimmie Reeves (Docket No. 1528) Recognizing Clark Haith (Docket No. 1529)

Councilor Yancey: Congratulating 8 people on their centennial birthdays (Docket No. 1530) Recognizing Fernandez Express Car Wash (Docket No. 1531) Recognizing Mrs. Sarah E. Silcott (Docket No. 1532) Recognizing Illustrious Richard Felton, 33rd Most Worshipful Grand Master (Docket No. 1533)

Councilor Ciommo: In memory of Cathy Anne Meuse (Docket No. 1534) In memory of Marion C. O'Neill (Docket No. 1535)

Councilor Murphy: In memory of John F. Mitchell (Docket No. 1536)

Councilors Murphy and Ciommo: In memory of John Robert Flavin, Jr. (Docket No. 1537)

Councilor LaMattina: In memory of Jude James (Docket No. 1538) In memory of Frances E. Rowan (Docket No. 1539) In memory of Mary Reidy (Docket No. 1540) In memory of William Cunningham (Docket No. 1541)

Councilor Jackson: Recognizing the Annual South Street Dinner Appreciation Day (Docket No. 1542) Congratulating Sol Sidell (Docket No. 1543)

Councilor Baker: In Recognition of Coley McDonough (Docket No. 1544)

Councilor Yancey: In memory of Marcella A. Tatum (Docket No. 1545) In memory of William A. Moore (Docket No. 1546)

Councilor LaMattina: Recognizing eleven people for their contributions to the Salvadorian Community in Boston (Docket No. 1547)

Councilor Pressley: Recognizing Gloria Powers (Docket No. 1548)

Councilors Yancey and Baker: Recognizing Reverend J. George M. Walters-Sleyon, Rosa Clemente and Judge Arthur Louis Burnett, Sr. (Docket No. 1549)

The Chair stated that in the absence of objection, two late-filed matters would be added to the Consent Agenda.

No objection being heard, the following matters were added:

Councilor Linehan on behalf of all the Councilors: In appreciation of Congressional Medal of Honor Society and Medal of Honor Recipients.(Docket No. 1550)

Councilor Murphy: Declaring September 16, 2015 as Lord Mayor of Belfast, Arder Carson Day (Docket No. 1551)

The matters contained within the Consent Agenda were severally adopted.

NEXT MEETING

Adjourned at 1:00p.m. on motion of President Linehan and in memory of Ronald Mackie, Marion O'Neill, Cathy Anne Meuse, Frances E. Rowan, Mary Reidy, John F. Mitchell, John Robert Flavin, Jr., William Moore and Marcella Tatum, to meet agam on Wednesday, September 23, 2015 at 12:00 p.m.

Note: All debate of City Council eliminated from proceedings in accordance with Chapter 447, Acts of 1947.

CITY OF BOSTON

Proceedings of the Boston City Council

Wednesday, September 23, 2015

Regular meeting of the City Council held in theChristopher A. Iannella Chamber, City Hall, at 12:10 p.m. President Linehan in the Chair. Absent, Councilor Zakim.

INVOCATION

Reverend Dr. Conley Hughes, Concord Baptist Church, delivered the invocation, and the meeting was opened with the pledge of allegiance to the flag.

STATEMENT OF PRESIDENT LINEHAN

President LINEHAN moved to adopt the minutes from the September 16, 2015 meeting. **Motion prevailed.**

ORDER AUTHORIZING CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND $169,056 FOR FY15 U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT (HUD) FAIR HOUSING ASSISTANCE PROGRAM GRANT AWARDED TO BOSTON FAIR HOUSING COMMISSION TO SUPPORT TRAINING, ADMINISTRATIVE AND FY15 INVESTIGATORY WORK OF FAIR HOUSING ASSISTANCE PARTNERSHIP AGREEMENT (DOCKET NO. 1552)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

September 17, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I hereby transmit for your approval an Order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend FY15 U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development's (HUD) Fair Housing Assistance Program Grant funds awarded to the Boston Fair Housing Commission (BFHC). The funds totaling $169,056.00 are to be used for the BFHC's administrative ($27,500), training ($24,750), and FY15 investigatory work ($116,806), related to a Fair Housing Assistance Partnership agreement between HUD and BFHC.

I urge your Honorable Body to adopt this order as soon as possible so that the City of Boston may accept the funds expeditiously and expend them for the purposes for which these funds were granted.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE CITY TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND FY15 U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT'S FAIR HOUSING ASSISTANCE PROGRAM GRANT FUNDS AWARDED TO THE BOSTON FAIR HOUSING COMMISSION.

WHEREAS, the Boston Fair Housing Commission (BFHC) investigates complaints of Housing Discrimination, which requires ongoing training and administrative resources for the BFHC staff, Commissioners and Executive Director; and the BFHC is contracted by HUD to conduct housing discrimination investigations in the city of Boston on HUD's behalf, and is required seek ongoing trainings, and must comply with HUD's administrative requirements, therefore be it

ORDERED: that the Mayor, acting on behalf of the City of Boston be, and hereby is, authorized to accept and expend Fair Housing Assistance Program Grant funds in an amount of One Hundred Sixty-Nine Thousand Fifty-Six Dollars ($169,056.00) awarded to the Boston Fair Housing Commission for the BFHC's administrative ($27,500), training ($24,750) and FY15 investigatory work ($116,806) under its Fair Housing Assistance Partnership agreement with HUD.

Referred to the Committee on Housing.

ORDER AMENDING CHAPTER 16 OF CITY OF BOSTON CODE ORDINANCE, PERTAINING TO REGULATIONS OF ADVERTISING (DOCKET NO. 1553)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

September 18, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith for your approval an Order amending Chapter 16 of the City of Boston Code, Ordinances, pertaining to the regulations of advertising. The changes included therein will update signage regulations for free-standing signs, such as sandwich boards. Sandwich board signs are significant marketing tools for small and local businesses, which are a critical part of the economy in the City of Boston and which my Administration is strongly committed to supporting. It is important that there be consistency and equity in regulating the use of these advertising tools throughout all the different neighborhoods, business districts and subdistricts of our City.

The amendments delineated in the accompanying Order will remove a burden of permitting for businesses seeking to utilize free-standing signs, such as sandwich boards, as advertising tools to promote and grow their business, while also ensuring accessibility and safety for all pedestrians and passersby. These changes to regulations of advertising will institute uniformity and common sense enforcement across the City of Boston while also ensuring that sandwich board signs do not impede the safe passage of all pedestrians on our sidewalks.

I urge your Honorable Body to pass this Order at its earliest convenience, so that we may move forward with this important initiative to continue our efforts to streamline and modernize regulations for businesses and protect the safety and accessibility of sidewalks in the City of Boston.

Respectfully,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

CITY OF BOSTON

IN THE YEAR TWO THOUSAND FIFTEEN

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 16 OF THE CITY OF BOSTON CODE ORDINANCES, REGULATION OF ADVERTISING

WHEREAS, City of Boston Municipal Code Chapter 16 Section 12.3 contains permitting regulations for advertising signs and the City of Boston zoning code con-

tains signage regulations that varies in different neighborhoods, business districts, and subdistricts; and

WHEREAS, Free-standing signs. such as sandwich boards, serve as significant marketing tools for small and local businesses; and

WHEREAS, Small and local businesses are an important part in the economic vitality of the City of Boston; and

WHEREAS, To promote equity and consistency of signage regulations in the City of Boston;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED, The City of Boston Code, Ordinances, Chapter I6-I2.3, is hereby replaced as follows:

ADVERTISING

a. Distribution of Advertising and Vehicles. Except in accordance with a permit from the Commissioner of Public Works no person shall, for the purpose of advertising goods, wards or merchandise for sale, while on foot in any street, distribute to persons in any street any handbills, cards, circulars or papers other than newspapers, nor shall any person having the control of any vehicle used principally for advertising permit such vehicle to operate in any street north and east of Massachusetts Avenue. The Commissioner of Public Works shall establish, with respect to such advertising matter, such uniform rules governing the size of showcards, placards, handbills, cards, circulars and papers other than newspapers which may be distributed in the street as shall be reasonably necessary to prevent littering or other hazard to public safety. Each permit issued hereunder shall contain a copy of the rules relating thereto and shall be limited by its terms to the authorization of conduct permitted thereby and otherwise legal. No permit shall be required nor shall this ordinance operate to affect, interfere with or in any way abridge the right of persons on the street to carry or distribute non-commercial handbills, cards, circulars or papers other than newspapers.

b. Free-standing signs. No business establishment shall, for the purpose of advertising their own goods, wares, services or merchandise for sale, display any free-standing sign on the public walkway located outside the business unless the free-standing sign is in compliance with the following requirements:

(i) Massachusetts Architectural Access Board Regulations to ensure accessibility and prevent interference with public travel;

(ii) The sign does not exceed 24" x 36" in dimension;

(iii) The sign is not adhered or attached to any structures or fixtures;

(iv) The sign is constructed of weather resistant material;

(v) The sign is maintained in good condition;

(vi) The sign is placed on the public walkway only during the hours of operation of the related business;

(vii) The sign identifies the name, address, and telephone number of the business establishment and owner of the sign; if different;

(viii) The sign displays content limited to the business establishment's goods, wares, services or merchandise for sale at the location of the sign; and

(ix) The sign does not display advertisement of alcohol or tobacco products.

c. Penalties. The Commissioner of Public Works shall be authorized to remove any free-standing signs not in compliance with 16-12.3 (b).

Referred to the Committee on Government Operations.

APPOINTMENT BY THE MAYOR
(DOCKET NO. 1554)

Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of Joseph Orfant, as a member of the Boston Conservation Commission, to serve a term expiring on November 1, 2016.

Placed on file.

COMMUNICATION RECEIVED FROM COUNCILOR JOSH ZAKIM THAT HE WILL NOT BE IN ATTENDANCE AT BOSTON CITY COUNCIL MEETING ON WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 23, 2015 (DOCKET NO. 1555)

Communication was received from Councilor Josh Zakim that he will not be in attendance at the Boston City Council Meeting on Wednesday, September 23,2015.

Placed on file.

The following was read into the record by Clerk Feeney:

JOSH ZAKIM
BOSTON CITY COUNCILOR
DISTRICT 8

September 16, 2015

Dear President Linehan,

Please be advised that I will not be in attendance at the Boston City Council meeting on Wednesday, September 23, 2015 due to Yom Kippur.

Please ask the City Clerk to read this matter into the record.

Sincerely,

cc: City Clerk Maureen Feeney

Placed on file.

ABSENCE OF THE MAYOR
(DOCKET NO. 1556)

Notice was received from the Mayor of his absence from the City from 10:15 a.m. until 5:15p.m. on Friday, September 18, 2015.

Placed on file.

NOTICE RECEIVED FROM CITY CLERK IN ACCORDANCE WITH CHAPTER 6 OF ORDINANCES OF 1979 RE: ACTION TAKEN BY MAYOR ON PAPERS ACTED UPON BY CITY COUNCIL AT ITS MEETING OF AUGUST 12, 2015 (DOCKET NO. 1557)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the City Clerk

September 5, 2015

To the City Council.
Councilors:

In accordance with Chapter 6 of the Ordinances of 1979, I hereby notify you Of the following actions taken by the Mayor with regard to the papers acted upon by the City Council at its meeting of August 12, 2015 viz.

1175 Ordinance amending Chapter 16 of the City of Boston Code - ordinances, prohibiting the sale and use of synthetic cannablnoids and other dangerous chemical compounds.
Approved by the Mayor August 14, 2015

1276 Order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend grant not to exceed Three Hundred Thousand Dollars ($300,000.00) administered by the Rockefeller Philanthropy Advisors, Inc., on behalf of the 100 Resilient Cities Initiative to pay for salary and benefits of the position of Chief Resilience Officer for a period of two years.
Approved by the Mayor August 14, 2015

1277 Order authorizing the City to accept furniture and casework from The Fallon Cornerstone One MPD, LLC to the City of Boston Property Management Department to support municipal office upgrades.
Approved by the Mayor August 14, 2015

1280 Constable Bond Linda Castagna.
Approved by the Mayor August 14, 2015

Respectfully,
Maureen Feeney,
City Clerk.

Placed on file.

NOTICE RECEIVED FROM CITY CLERK IN ACCORDANCE WITH CHAPTER 6 OF ORDINANCES OF 1979 RE: ACTION TAKEN BY MAYOR ON PAPERS ACTED UPON BY CITY COUNCIL AT ITS MEETING OF SEPTEMBER 2, 2015 (DOCKET NO. 1558)

The following was received:
City of Boston
Office of the City Clerk

September 21, 2015

To the City Council.
Councilors:

In accordance with Chapter 6 of the Ordinances of 1979, I hereby notify you Of the following actions taken by the Mayor with regard to the papers acted upon by the City Council at its meeting of September 2,2015 viz.

1273 Ordinance to prohibit the use of smokeless tobacco and other tobacco products at sites for professional and amateur baseball and other sporting events. Filed in the Office of the City Clerk on August 10, 2015.
Approved by the Mayor September 9, 2015

1274 Ordinance amending CBC Ordinances, Chapter XVI, 16-59 (Recreational Vehicles). Filed in the Office of the City Clerk on August 10, 2015.
Approved by the Mayor September 9, 2015

1287 Petition of Hilton Garden Inn Shuttle, for a license to operate motor vehicles for the carriage of passengers for hire over certain streets in Boston.
Approved by the Mayor September 9, 2015

1427 Petition for a Special Law Re: An Act Directing the City of Boston Police Department to Waive the Maximum Age Requirement for Police Officers for Robert J. Butts, III.
Approved by the Mayor September 9, 2015

Respectfully,
Maureen Feeney,
City Clerk.

Placed on file.

COMMUNICATION RECEIVED FROM SALLY D. GLORA, CITY AUDITOR; TRANSMITTING REPORTS LISTING TRANSFERS MADE SOLELY FOR PURPOSE OF CLOSING ACCOUNTS FOR FISCAL YEAR 2015 (DOCKET NO. 1559)

Communication was received from Sally D. Glora, City Auditor; transmitting reports listing transfers made solely for the purpose of closing accounts for Fiscal Year 2015.
Placed on file.

ORDER FOR HEARING TO DISCUSS URBAN WILD PROTECTIONS FOR CERTAIN PARCELS OF LAND ALONG AMERICAN LEGION HIGHWAY (DOCKET NO. 1293)

This matter which was recently heard for possible action, was remanded back to the **Committee on Environment and Parks.**

ORDER FOR HEARING TO DISCUSS CITY'S NATURAL GAS LEAKS PROBLEM (DOCKET NO. 1174)

This matter which was recently heard for possible action, was remanded back to the **Committee on Environment and Parks.**

Councilors PRESSLEY, O'MALLEY, JACKSON, MCCARTHY, WU, LINEHAN, CIOMMO, FLAHERTY, and LAMATTINA offered the following:

RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF STATE LEGISLATION REGARDING DECENNIAL DIVISION OF WARDS AND PRECINCTS (DOCKET NO. 1560)

WHEREAS, The City of Boston is comprised of 22 wards and 255 precincts. with each varying in population from a few hundred residents to over 6,500 residents; and

WHEREAS, The City of Boston is experiencing a residential shift toward the northem neighborhoods which will further exacerbate the unequal population within current precinct boundaries; and

WHEREAS. Precincts that are too large create an impediment to voting in a timely manner; and

WHEREAS. Precincts that are too small waste city and state money on staffing and election administration resources: and

WHEREAS, Cities and towns in Massachusetts are required to draw new precinct lines every 10 years in order to make sure that each has an equal number of people: and

WHEREAS, The City of Boston has been exempt from this requirement for more than 50 years; and

WHEREAS, A decennial requirement to draw ward and precinct boundaries will save money while also ensuring equitable access to the democratic election process. THEREFORE BE IT

RESOLVED, That the Boston City Council supports the passage of House Bill 3321. All Act regarding Decennial division of wards and precincts in the city of Boston filed by State Representative Aaron Michlewitz and urges the legislature to enact the proposed petition.

Councilor MURPHY moved to offer an amendment.

The motion prevailed,

Councilor MURPHY offered the following amendment:

AMENDMENT OF COUNCI.LLOR STEPHEN J. MURPHY TO Docket # 1560

Docket # 1560 shall be amended by adding the following at the end thereof:

WHEREAS, the City Council approved the home rule petition for a special law re: decennial division of wards and precincts in the City of Boston on September 28, 2011.

Referred to the Committee on Government Operations.

LATE-FILED MATTERS

The Chair stated that in absence of objection, three late-filed matters would be added to the Agenda.

No objection being heard, the following matters were added:

ORDER FOR A BEARING REGARDING FREE WI-FI IN BOSTON HOUSING AUTHORITY SENIOR HOUSING DEVELOPMENTS (DOCKET NO. 1581)

Coucilors YANCEY, JACKSON, LAMATTINA, O'MALLEY, PRESSLEY, WU, LINEHAN, CIOMMO and FLAHERTY offered the following:

WHEREAS: The Internet has transformed daily life at home. in school, and around the workplace. making cheap and reliable Internet access a key concern for all Bostonians as more and more essential services have moved online; and.

WHEREAS: A "digital divide" has emerged between wealthier and poorer communities as traditional Internet service providers have failed to provide affordable high-speed Intemet access. especially in under served communities dominated by senior citizens and people of color; and,

WHEREAS: Senior citizens and persons with disahilities. particularly those living in Boston Housing Authority housing developments, are especially vulnerable to the proliferation of online-only services as they often lack the skills and access necessary to make that transition; and.

WHEREAS: The City of Boston already has substantial experience providing free and reliahle Internet access at nearly two-hundred access points across the city through its successful "Wicked Free WiFi" initiative~ and.

WHEREAS: The Walsh Administration has identified efforts to close the "digital divide" as essential for every Bostonian to have the same privileges and opportunities in the modern world. THEREFORE, BE IT

ORDERED: That the appropriate committee of the Boston City Council holds a hearing to examine the feasihility or providing free Wi·Fi in public senior housing developments. Representatives from the Boston Housing Authority, the Department of Innovation and Technology, Massachusetts Senior Action. South End Technology Center, other interested parties and the public shall he invited to attend.

Referred to the Committee on Housing.

ORDER FOR A HEARING REGARDING FREE WI-FI IN BOSTON HOUSING AUTHORITY FAMILY HOUSING DEVELOPMENTS (DOCKET NO. 1582)

Coucilors YANCEY, JACKSON, LAMATTINA. O'MALLEY, PRESSELY, WU, LINEHAN, CIOMMO and FLAHERTY offered the following:

WHEREAS: The Internet has transformed daily life at home, in school, and around the workplace, making cheap and reliable Internet access a key concern for all Bostonians as more and more essential services have moved online; and,

WHEREAS: A "digital divide" has emerged between wealthier and poorer communities as traditional Internet service providers have failed to provide affordable high-speed Internet access, especially in underserved communities dominated by senior citizens and people of color; and,

WHEREAS: Families living in Boston Housing Authority housing developments face unique struggles and barriers to opportunity exacerbated by lack of access to essential services more readily available in other communities, including high-speed Internet access; and,

WHEREAS: The City of Boston already has substantial experience providing free and reliable Intemet access at nearly t\vo-hundrcd access points across the city through its successful "Wicked Free Wi-Fi" initiative; and,

WHEREAS: The Walsh administration has identified efforts to close the "Idigital divide" as essential for every Bostonian to have the same privileges and opportunities in the modem world; therefore, he it

ORDERED: That the appropriate committee of the Boston City Council holds a hearing to examine the feasibility of providing free Wi-Fi in public family housing developments. Representatives from the Boston Housing Authority, Boston Housing Authority Resident Advisory Board, the Department of Innovation and Technology, The South End Technology Center, other interested parties and the public shall he invited to attend.

Referred to the Committee on Housing.

RESOLUTION CALLING FOR A MORATORIUM ON HIGH-STAKES STANDARDIZED TESTS IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS (DOCKET NO. 1583)

Councilors JACKSON, PRESSLEY, LINEHAN, LAMATTINA, MURPHY, MCCARTHY, BAKER, CIOMMO, FLAHERTY, YANCEY and O'MALLEY offered the following:

WHEREAS: Our future well-being relies on a high-quality public education system that prepares all students for college, careers, citizenship and lifelong learning: and

WHEREAS: Our school systems in Massachusetts and across the country have heen spending increasing amounts of time. money and energy on high-stakes use of tests and other assessments in which student performance on standardized assessments is used to make major decisions affecting individual students. educators. schools and districts; and

WHEREAS: The overreliance on high-stakes assessment in state and federal accountability systems is undermining educational quality and equity in U.S. public schools by hampering educators efforts to focus on the broad range of learning experiences that promote the innovation, creativity, problem-solving, collaboration, communication, critical thinking and deep subject matter knowledge that will allow students to thrive in a democracy and increasing global society; and

WHEREAS: It is widely recognized that standardized testing is an inadequate and otten unreliable measure of both student learning and educator effectiveness; and

WHEREAS: The overemphasis on standardized testing has caused considerable collateral damage in too many school including narrowing the curriculum. teaching to the test reducing a love of learning. pushing students often of school. driving excellent teachers out of the profession and undermining school climate: and

WHEREAS: High-Stakes standardized testing has

negative effects on students from all backgrounds. and especially for low-income students, English language learners. children of color. and those with disabilities: and

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED: That the Boston City Council supports locally developed. authentic assessments written by educators or tailored by them to meet the needs of individual students. and more time for educators to teach and students to Jearn: and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED: that the Boston Cltv Council calls on state and federal officials to immediately adopt a moratorium on all high-stakes use of standanized tests so that educators. parents and other members of our communities can work together to develop assessment systems that support positive teaching practices and better prepare students for lifelong learning: House Bill 340 before the Massachusetts General Court would impose such a moratorium on high·stakes use of standardized tests in Massachusetts.

Councilor MURPHY moved to amend the words "Boston City School Committee" to "Boston City Council:"

The motion prevailed.

On motion or Coundlor JACKSON, the resolution, as amended, was adopted.

CONSENT AGENDA

The Chair moved adoption of a Consent Agenda in which the following-named Councilors offered resolutions of a condolence or congratulatory nature as set forth after each Councilor's name:

Councilors Linehan and Flaherty: In memory of William "Billy" Hartford (Docket No. 1561)

Councilor Ciommo: Recognizing MOAR (Massachusetts Organization for Addiction Recovery) for 25 years of service to the people of the Commonwealth (Docket No. 1562) In memory of Garret McGowan (Docket No. 1563)

Councilor LaMattina: Recognizing Karla Trigueros (Docket No. 1564) Recognizing Jose Callejas (Docket No. (1565) Recognizing Mario Arevalo (Docket No. 1566) Recognizing Antonio Castro Aranda (Docket No. 1567) Recognizing Juanita Benitez (Docket No. 1568)

Councilor Yancey: Recognizing Ms. Barbara Collins (Docket No. 1569) Recognizing Mr. Jide Ogungbadero (Docket No.] 570) Recognizing Jose Alves (Docket No. 1571) Recognizing Luz Londono (Docket No. 1572) Recognizing Joe Myers (Docket No. 1573)

Congratulating Greater Boston Sickle Cell Disease Association, Inc. (Docket No. 1574) In memory of Marsha L. Knight (Docket No. 1575) Recognizing Victor Rodriguez (Docket No. 1576) Recognizing Pastor Ronald Stephenson (Docket No. 1577) Recognizing Lakia Chery (Docket No. 1578) Congratulating ESAC (Docket No. 1 579)

Councilor Murphy: Congratulating Lynette Jones-Carradine (Docket No. 1580)

The chair stated that in absence of objection, six late-file matters would be added to the Consent Agenda. No objection being heard the following matters were added:

Councilor Murphy: In memory of Janet Paleologos (Docket No.1584)

Councilor Linehan: In memory of William J. Donovan, Jr. (Docket No.1585)

Councilor Murphy: In memory of Edward K. Phillips (Docket No.1586)

Councilor Jackson: Congratulating Dr. Dexter Thomas (Docket No.1587) Congratulating Aaron Javon Mace (Docket No.1588)

Councilor O'Malley: In memory of Anne Nardone (Docket No.1589)

The matters contained within the Consent Agenda were severally adopted.

Adjourned at 1:14 p.m. on motion of President Linehan, in memory of Bob Shaughnessy, Garret McGowan, Jillian McLaughlin, Frederick Stearn, William "Billy" Hartford, William J. Donovan, Jr., Edward K. Phillips, Janet Paleologos, Anne Nardone, Marcella A. Tatum and Bella Bond, to meet again on Wednesday, September 30, 2015 at 12:00 p.m.

Note: All debate of City Council eliminated from proceedings in accordance with Chapter 447, Acts of 1947.

CITY OF BOSTON

Proceedings of the Boston City Council

Wednesday, September 30, 2015

Regular meeting of the City Council held in the Christopher A. Iannella Chamber, City Hall, at 12:09 p.m. President Linehan in the Chair.

INVOCATION

Pastor Omar Jarvis, Berea Seventh-day Adventist Church, delivered the invocation and the meeting was opened with the pledge of allegiance to the flag.

STATEMENT OF PRESIDENT LINEHAN

President LINEHAN moved to adopt the minutes from the September 23, 2015 meeting. **Motion prevailed.**

ORDER AUTHORIZING FIRE COMMISSIONER TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND GRANT OF $1,750,000 FROM COMMONWEATH OF MASSACHUSETTS EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF PUBLIC SAFETY AND SECURITY, DEPARTMENT OF FIRE SERVICES FOR BOSTON FIRE DEPARTMENT TRAINING DIVISION (DOCKET NO. 1590)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

September 23, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I hereby transmit for your approval an Order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend funds from the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Executive Office of Public Safety and Security, Department of Fire Services for the Boston Fire Department Training Division. This award is made for the sole purpose of supplementing City appropriations to maintain training operations, in the amount of One Million Seven Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars ($1,750,000.00).

I urge your Honorable Body to adopt this Order as soon as possible so that the City of Boston may accept the funds expeditiously and expend them for the purpose for which they were granted.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND FUNDS FROM THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF PUBLIC SAFETY AND SECURITY, DEPARTMENT OF FIRE SERVICES FOR THE BOSTON FIRE DEPARTMENT TRAINING DIVISION.

ORDERED: That the Fire Commissioner, acting on behalf of the City of Boston be, and hereby is authorized, pursuant to section 53A of chapter 44 of the Massachusetts General Laws, to accept and expend an award of One Million Seven Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars ($1,750,000.00) from the Commonwealth of Massachusetts Executive Office of Public Safety and Security, Department of Fire Services, for the Boston Fire Department Training Division.

Referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

ORDER AUTHORIZING POLICE COMMISSIONER TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND GRANT OF $252,062 FROM OFFICE FROM OFFICE OF JUVENILE JUSTICE DELINQUENCY PREVENTION (OJJDP) USED TO SUPPORT DEVELOPMENT OF ENHANCEMENT OF YOUTH VIOLENCE PREVENTION PLAN (DOCKET NO. 1591)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

September 24, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I hereby transmit for your approval an Order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend the Youth Violence Prevention Expansion and Enhancement Project grant in the amount of $252,062.00 from the Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention used to support the development and enhancement of the Youth Violence Prevention Plan.

I urge your Honorable Body to adopt this Order as soon as possible so that the City of Boston may accept the funds expeditiously and expend them for the purposes for which they were granted.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND THE FY15 YOUTH VIOLENCE PREVENTION EXPANSION & ENHANCEMENT PROJECT GRANT AWARDED BY THE OFFICE OF JUVENILE JUSTICE AND DELINQUENCY PREVENTION.

ORDERED: That the Police Commissioner, acting on behalf of the City of Boston be, and hereby is authorized, pursuant to section 53A of chapter 44 of the Massachusetts General Laws, to accept and expend the Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention Demonstration Program's Continuation award, not to exceed the amount of Two Hundred Fifty Two Thousand, Sixty Two Dollars ($252,062.00).

Referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

ORDER AUTHORIZING FIRE COMMISSIONER TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND GRANT OF $237,500 FROM COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS, EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF PUBLIC SAFETY AND SECURITY, DEPARTMENT OF FIRE SERVICES FOR BOSTON FIRE DEPARTMENT HAZMAT DIVISION. THIS AWARD IS MADE FOR SOLE PURPOSE OF SUPPLEMENTING CITY APPROPRIATIONS TO MAINTAIN HAZMAT MATERIALS RESPONSE TEAM OPERATIONS (DOCKET NO. 1592)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

September 23, 2015

To the City Council.

Dear Councilors:

I hereby transmit for your approval an Order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend funds from the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Executive Office of Public Safety and Security, Department of Fire Services for the Boston Fire Department Hazmat Division. This award is made for the sole purpose of supplementing City appropriations to maintain hazmat materials response team operations, in the amount of Two Hundred Thirty Seven Thousand Five Hundred Dollars ($237,500.00).

I urge your Honorable Body to adopt this Order as soon as possible so that the City of Boston may accept the funds expeditiously and expend them for the purpose for which they were granted.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

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AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND FUNDS FROM THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF PUBLIC SAFETY AND SECURITY, DEPARTMENT OF FIRE SERVICES FOR THE BOSTON FIRE DEPARTMENT HAZARDOUS MATERIAL RESPONSE TEAMS.

ORDERED: That the Fire Commissioner, acting on behalf of the City of Boston be, and hereby is authorized, pursuant to section 53A of chapter 44 of the Massachusetts General Laws, to accept and expend an award of Two Hundred Thirty Seven Thousand Five Hundred Dollars ($237,500.00) from the Commonwealth of Massachusetts Executive Office of Public Safety and Security, Department of Fire Services, for the Boston Fire Department Hazardous Material Response Teams.

Referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

ORDER AUTHORIZING POLICE COMMISSIONER TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND SUPPLEMENTAL FUNDING OF $70,000.12 FOR FY11 & FY14 COMMUNITY-BASED VIOLENCE PREVENTION DEMONSTRATION PROJECT GRANT FROM OFFICE OF JUVENILE JUSTICE AND DELINQUENCY PREVENTION (OJJDP) wmCH WILL BE USED TO IMPLEMENT EVIDENCE BASED STRATEGIES THAT WILL POSITIVELY IMPACT VIOLENT CRIME TRENDS (DOCKET NO. 1593)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

September 24, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I hereby transmit for your approval an Order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend supplemental funding to the FY2011 & FY2014 Community-based Violence Prevention Demonstration Project award in the amount of $70,000.12 from the Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention used to implement evidence based strategies that will positively impact violent crime trends.

I urge your Honorable Body to adopt this Order as soon as possible so that the City of Boston may accept the funds expeditiously and expend them for the purposes for which they were granted.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

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AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND THE SUPPLEMENTAL FUNDING FOR THE FY2011 AND THE FY2014 COMMUNITY-BASED VIOLENCE PREVENTION DEMONSTRATION PROJECT GRANT AWARDED BY THE OFFICE OF JUVENILE JUSTICE AND DELINQUENCY PREVENTION.

ORDERED: That the Police Commissioner, acting on behalf of the City of Boston be, and hereby is authorized, pursuant to section 53A of chapter 44 of the Massachusetts General Laws, to accept and expend the Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention's Community-Based Violence Prevention Demonstration Project grant award, not to exceed the amount of Seventy Thousand Dollars and Twelve Cents. ($70,000.12).

Referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

COMMUNICATION RECEIVED FROM COUNCILOR AYANNA PRESSLEY TRANSMITTING FINDINGS REGARDING DOCKET NOS. 0562 AND 0563 THE EMERGENCY IMPACT OF CLOSING LONG ISLAND HOMELESS AND TREATMENT FACILITIES (DOCKET NO. 1594)

Communication was received from Councilor Ayanna Pressley transmitting findings regarding Docket Nos. 0562 and 0563 concerning the emergency impact of closing Long Island homeless and treatment facilities.
Placed on file.

NOTICE RECEIVED FROM CITY CLERK IN ACCORDANCE WITH CHAPTER 6 OF ORDINANCES OF 1979 RE: ACTION TAKEN BY MAYOR ON PAPERS ACTED UPON BY CITY COUNCIL AT ITS MEETING OF SEPTEMBER 16, 2015 (DOCKET NO. 1595)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

September 23, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councillors:

In accordance with Chapter 6 of the Ordinances of 1979, I hereby notify you of the following actions taken by the Mayor with regard to the papers acted upon by the City Council at its meeting of September 16, 2015 viz.

1499 Order authorizing the Police Department to accept and expend a donation from the National Insurance Crime Bureau of four (4) 2015 Honda Accord Sports tires and rims. The materials will be used on a bait vehicle as part of the Auto Theft Unit's investigation into a Tire Theft Series in the City.
Approved by the Mayor September 21, 2015

1500 Order authorizing the Police Department to accept and expend a donation from the National Insurance Crime Bureau offour (4) GPD Model SC308-1010 devices enclosed within pelican cases. The device will be deployed in bait rims and used by the Auto Theft Unit during investigations to address complaints from community relative to this type of theft and will further the Department's overall goal of community policing.
Approved by the Mayor September 21, 2015

Respectfully,
Maureen Feeney,
City Clerk.

Placed on file.

REPORT ON ORDER AUTHORIZING FIRE COMMISSIONER TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND FUNDS FROM U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY FY14 STAFFING FOR ADEQUATE FIRE AND EMERGENCY RESPONSE ("SAFER") GRANT PROGRAM, FOR $12,778,650 FOR CITY OF BOSTON'S FIRE DEPARTMENT FOR PURPOSE OF HIRING AND SUSTAINING 75 FIREFIGHTERS WHO HAVE BEEN LOST THROUGH ATTRITION (DOCKET NO. 1405)

Councilor MURPHY, on behalf of the Committee on Public Safety, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 1405, message of the Mayor and order authorizing the Fire Commissioner to accept and expend funds from the U.S. Department of Homeland Security FY14 Staffing for Adequate Fire and Emergency Response ("SAFER") grant program, for Twelve Million Seven Hundred Seventy Eight Thousand Six Hundred and Fifty Dollars ($12,778,650.00), for the City of Boston's Fire Department for the purpose of hiring and sustaining, 75 firefighters who have been lost through attrition (referred September 2) - recommending passage of the order.

The report was accepted; the order was passed.

REPORT ON ORDER AUTHORIZING CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND GRANT OF $360,000 FROM MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF MENTAL HEALTH FOR PURPOSE OF PROVIDING ASSISTANCE AND REFERRALS TO INDIVIDUALS WITH MENTAL ILLNESS AND lOR EMOTIONAL DISTURBANCES UNDER MA DMH FY16 POLICE BEHAVIORAL HEALTH JAIL DIVERSION GRANT PROGRAM (DOCKET NO. 1407)

Councilor MURPHY, on behalf of the Committee on Public Safety, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 1407, message of the Mayor and order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend a grant of Three Hundred Sixty Thousand Dollars ($360,000.00) from the Massachusetts Department of Mental Health, for the purpose of providing assistance and referrals to individuals with Mental Illness and lor Emotional Disturbances under the MA DMH FY16 Police Behavioral Health Jail Diversion Grant Program (referred September 2) - recommending passage of the order.

The report was accepted; the order was passed.

REPORT ON ORDER AUTHORIZING CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND FUNDS OF $100,000 FROM CONTRIBUTIONS RECEIVED FROM INDIVIDUALS, ORGANIZATIONS AND LOCAL AND PRIVATE BUSINESSES FOR PURPOSES OF PROMOTING SAFETY, HEALTH AND WELLNESS INITIATIVES FOR BOSTON FIREFIGHTERS (DOCKET NO. 1409)

Councilor MURPHY, on behalf of the Committee on Public Safety, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 1409, message of the Mayor and order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend funds of One Hundred Thousand Dollars ($100,000.00) from contributions received from individuals, organizations, and local and private businesses for the purposes of promoting safety, health and wellness initiatives for Boston Firefighters (referred September 2) - recommending passage of the order.

The report was accepted; the order was passed.

REPORT ON AUTHORIZING CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND FUNDS OF $100,000 FROM CONTRIBUTIONS RECEIVED FROM INDIVIDUALS, ORGANIZATIONS AND LOCAL AND PRIVATE BUSINESSES FOR PURPOSES OF PROMOTING FIRE PREVENTION AND FIRE SAFETY EDUCATION (DOCKET NO. 1410)

Councilor MURPHY, on behalf of the Committee on Public Safety, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 1410, message of the Mayor and authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend funds of One Hundred Thousand Dollars ($100,000.00) from contributions received from individuals, organizations and local and private businesses for the purposes of promoting fire prevention and fire safety education (referred September 2) - recommending passage of the order.

The report was accepted; the order was passed.

ORDER FOR HEARING TO CONDUCT COMPREHENSIVE REVIEW OF RE-ENTRY RESOURCES AND DISPARATE IMPACT OF BLACK AND LATINO MALES IN BOSTON (DOCKET NO. 1429)

This matter which was recently heard for possible action was referred back to the **Special Committee on the Status of Black and Latino Men and Boys.**

RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF HOUSE BILL 2870: "AN ACT RELATIVE TO PROTECTING CONSUMERS OF GAS AND ELECTRICITY FROM PAYING FOR LEAKED AND UNACCOUNTED FOR GAS" (DOCKET NO. 1596)

Councilors O'MALLEY, ZAKIM, BAKER, CIOMMO, FLAHERTY, JACKSON, LAMATTINA, LINEHAN, MCCARTHY, MURPHY, PRESSLEY, WU and YANCEY, offered the following:

WHEREAS: Massachusetts House Bill 2870 is an "An Act Relative to Protecting Consumers of Gas and Electricity from paying for Leaked and Unaccounted for Gas (UFG)" which seeks to protect all gas and electricity customers, whether businesses, manufacturers, homeowners and municipalities or other gas users, from paying for UFG by prohibiting providers from including the cost of UFG, as well as the costs of reducing or remedying loss in the rate base; and

WHEREAS: According to H. 2870, "Unaccounted for gas or UPG is the difference between the total gas available from all sources that is acquired by a system type and the total gas accounted for as sales, net interchange or company use"; and

WHEREAS: H. 2870 covers leakage or loss by leakage or loss due to discrepancies from measuring or monitoring inaccuracies, variations of temperature or pressure, or both, and other circumstances; and

WHEREAS: The cost of UPG is typically passed on from providers of natural gas to users or consumers of gas; and

WHEREAS: Leaking gas in the ground is harmful to vegetation and can kill valuable shade trees by depriving roots of oxygen; and

WHERAS: Methane is a precursor to ozone formation that can decrease lung function and aggravate asthma; and

WHEREAS: H. 2870 will provide economic incentive to gas providers to develop improved technologies and practices for transportation, distribution and storage; THEREFORE BE IT

RESOLVED That the Boston City Council strongly supports House Bill 2870 and urges the Massachusetts Legislature to take action to support this measure to protect consumers and the environment.

On motion of Councilors O'MALLEY and ZAKIM, the rules were suspended; the resolution was adopted.

ORDER FOR HEARING TO DISCUSS CARE OF STREET TREES (DOCKET NO. 1597)

Councilors WU, BAKER, CIOMMO, FLAHERTY, JACKSON, LAMATTINA, LINEHAN, MCCARTHY, MURPHY, O'MALLEY, PRESSLEY, WU and YANCEY, offered the following:

WHEREAS: The City of Boston has been recognized and applauded for its many efforts to provide greenery and open space across all of its neighborhoods for all of its residents; and

WHEREAS: Many streets across the city have been enlivened and reinvigorated by the planting of public shade trees and other plants along islands, sidewalks, and medians; and

WHEREAS: Residents frequently submit questions, complaints, various concerns regarding street trees to their respective city councilors or through the Boston 311 constituent services portal; and

WHEREAS: Newly planted trees are especially vulnerable to the stresses of an urban environment and can benefit from partnerships between the City and residents to help young trees reach a mature state; and

WHEREAS: Boston currently has 29% tree canopy coverage across neighborhoods, and Greenovate Boston and the Grow Boston Greener campaign has a goal of increasing this coverage to 35% by 2030; therefore be it

ORDERED: That the appropriate committee of the Boston City Council holds a hearing to examine the policies and resources available for the selection, planting, care, and removal of trees on Boston streets. Representatives from the Parks Department, Greenovate Boston and other interested parties shall be invited to attend.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Parks.

RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF HOUSE BILL 2871: "AN ACT RELATIVE TO GAS LEAK REPAIRS DURING ROAD PROJECTS (DOCKET NO. 1598)

Councilors O'MALLEY, ZAKIM, BAKER, CIOMMO, FLAHERTY, JACKSON, LAMATTINA, LINEHAN, MCCARTHY, MURPHY, PRESSLEY, WU and YANCEY, offered the following:

WHEREAS: Massachusetts House Bill 2871 "An Act Relative to Gas Leak Repairs During Road Projects" would require the repair of all gas leaks when a road is opened up for a significant repair of the road or of any underground utility or other infrastructure; and

WHEREAS: H. 2871 calls on utility companies that provide gas to survey a project area for the presence of gas leaks; and

WHEREAS: H. 2871 would require all gas leaks to "be repaired within 12 months of the date the leak was classified"; and

WHEREAS: The bill would further require Grade I leaks, which are considered the most dangerous and pose the greatest threat, to be repaired immediately; and

WHEREAS: The legislation would require that the repair and replacement of gas leaks be provided to the "municipality or the commonwealth or other entity"; THEREFORE BE IT

RESOLVED: That the Boston City Council strongly supports House Bill 2871 and urges the Massachusetts Legislature to take action to support this measure to repair gas leaks during road projects.

On motion of Councilors O'MALLEY and ZAKIM, the rules were suspended; the resolution was adopted.

ORDER FOR HEARING REGARDING INCONSISTENCIES IN COMMUTER RAIL FARES AND EFFECT OF THIS POLICY ON LOCAL COMMUNITIES (DOCKET NO. 1599)

Councilor LINEHAN invoked Rule 12 to include Councilor MURPHY

Councilors MCCARTHY, WU, MURPHY, BAKER, CIOMMO, FLAHERTY, JACKSON, LAMATTINA, O'MALLEY, PRESSLEY and YANCEY offered the following:

WHEREAS, Commuter Rail fares are based on a 'Zone" and "Interzone" system with Zone IA servicing Greater Boston area and Zones 1-10 servicing communities outside of Boston; and

WHEREAS, Some Greater Boston Neighborhoods are in Zone 1 and there are inconsistencies and inequities in fares between stations in the same neighborhoods, some less than one half mile apart and fares from one station to the next more than double; and

WHEREAS, These fare differences place an unfair burden on Boston residents and their communities with overcrowding in some stations and long waits in others; and

WHEREAS, The difference in fares is also reflected in the use of Commuter Rail parking lots. In Hyde Park, where two lines are a quarter mile from each other, one parking lot is over filled and the other empty. This makes traffic congestion and parking on residential streets by commuters a constant problem for residents living in that section of the neighborhood; and

WHEREAS, In other areas such as Roslindale, which is Zone 1, the station is about a quarter mile from Forest Hills which is Zone 1A. The Forest Hills area is overburdened by commuters looking to park; and

WHEREAS, The MBTA has been slow to address these concerns,

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT ORDERED. That the appropriate committee of the Boston City Council hold a hearing to discuss fare rates and parking concerns and the impact on Boston neighborhoods. Representatives from Massachusetts Bay Transit Authority and other interested parties shall be invited to attend.

Referred to the Committee on City, Neighborhood Services and Veterans Affairs.

LATE-FILED MATTERS

The Chair stated that in absence of objection, two late-filed matters would be added to the Agenda.

No objection being heard, the following matters were added:

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEE (DOCKET NO. 1619)

Councilor LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, September 26, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, December 19, 2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Anthony Sharpe, Secretary, $480.00, part time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEE (DOCKET NO. 1620)

Councllor LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, September 26, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, December 19, 2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Clancy Main, Secretary, $1,730.78, full time
Deborah O'Leary, Secretary, $1,826.94, full time
Daniel Polanco, Secretary, $1,461.54, full time
Joseph T. Walsh, Secretary, $1,576.94, full time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF STATE LEGISLATION REGARDING DECENNIAL DIVISION OF WARDS AND PRECINCTS (DOCKET NO. 1560)

Councilor FLAHERTY called Docket No. 1560 from the Committee on Government Operations.

No objection being heard, the matter was before the body.

On motion of Councilor FLAHERTY, the rules were suspended; the resolution was adopted.

CONSENT AGENDA

The Chair moved adoption of a Consent Agenda in which the following-named Councilors offered resolutions of a condolence or congratulatory nature as set forth after each Councilor's name:

Councilor Yancey: Congratulating Deborah Agati (Docket No. 1600) Recognizing Ms. JacQuie Cairo-Williams (Docket No. 1601) Recognizing Mr. Ephraim Hunt (Docket No. 1602)
Councilors O'Malley and Baker: Congratulating Kathleen Joyce Sullivan (Docket No. 1603) Congratulating Mary Joyce McFadden (Docket No. 1604)
Councilor Wu: Recognizing the Republic of Sierra Leone Consulate Mission on its Hajj celebration and the hard work and contribution of the Sierra Leonean community to the City of Boston (Docket No. 1605)
Councilor O'Malley: Recognizing Col. George and Sharan McCall (Docket No. 1606) Recognizing Steve Lussier (Docket No. 1607)
Councilor Jackson: Congratulating Brookview House, Inc. on 25 years of serving homeless women and children (Docket No. 1608)
Councilor LaMattina: Recognizing Marcos Ramos (Docket No. 1609) In memory of Jillian M. McLaughlin (Docket No. 1610)
Councilors Linehan and Flaherty: In memory of Helen M. McDougall (1611) In memory of Edward V. Meagher (Docket No. 1612) In memory Chester "Chet" Gorny (Docket No. 1613)
Councilor Pressley: Congratulating Central Reform Temple on its 10th Anniversary and Recognizing its devoted service to residents across the City of Boston (Docket No. 1614)
Councilors Linehan and Zakim: Congratulating Dave Jacobs, Gen Tracy, and the Boston Courant for 20 years of publishing (Docket No. 1615)
Councilor Flaherty: Recognizing Julio Pabon (Docket No. 1616)
Councilor LaMattina: In memory of Frederick E. Stearn (Docket No. 1617)
Councilors O'Malley and Murphy: Recognizing Ann Murphy on her 85th Birthday and proclaiming October 3rd as Ann Murphy Day (Docket No. 1618)

The chair stated that in absence of objection, two late-file matters would be added to the Consent Agenda. No objection being heard the following matters were added:

Councilor Linehan: In memory of Robert J. "Bob" Callanan (Docket No. 1621)
Councilor O'Malley: In memory of Margaret "Rita" Hughes O'Sullivan (Docket No. 1622)

The matters contained within the Consent Agenda were severally adopted.

Adjourned at 1:24 p.m. on motion of President Linehan, in memory of Yvonne C. Grover, Mary Joyce Pringle, Mary L. Leonard, Robert J. "Bob" Callanan, Chester "Chet" Gorny, Edward V. Meagher, Helen M. McDougall, Margaret O'Sullivan, to meet again on Wednesday, October 7, 2015 at 12:00 p.m.

Note: All debate of City Council eliminated from proceedings in accordance with Chapter 447, Acts of 1947.

CITY OF BOSTON

Proceedings of the Boston City Council

Wednesday, October 7, 2015

Regular meeting of the City Council held in the Christopher A. Iannella Chamber, City Hall, at 12:08 p.m. President Linehan in the Chair.

INVOCATION

Reverend Linda Wood-Boyle, United Methodist Church, delivered the invocation and the meeting was opened with the pledge of allegiance to the flag.

PRESENTATION BY PRESIDENT LINEHAN AND COUNCILOR ZAKIM

President LINEHAN and Councilor ZAKIM presented resolutions to the Boston Courant publication for the celebration of their 20th anniversary.

STATEMENT OF PRESIDENT LINEHAN

President LINEHAN moved to adopt the minutes from the September 30, 2015 meeting. **Motion prevailed.**

COMMUNICATION RECEIVED FROM DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT ENERGY AND OPEN SPACE, REGARDING EMERGENCY GENERATOR POWER FOR TELECOMMUNICATIONS EQUIPMENT AT 35 NORTHAMPTON STREET (DOCKET NO. 1623)

Communication was received from the Department of Environment Energy and Open Space, regarding the emergency generator power for telecommunications equipment at 35 Northampton Street.

Placed on file.

ORDER TO DISCUSS GRANTING SOLAR PERSONAL RAPID TRANSIT, PERMISSION TO CONSTRUCT, OPERATE, REPAIR AND MAINTAIN IN CITY OF BOSTON (DOCKET NO. 1299)

This matter, which was recently heard for possible action, was referred to the **Committee on Environment and Parks.**

REPORT ON ORDER AUTHORIZING CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND GRANT OF $350,000 FROM COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF ENERGY AND ENVIRONMENTAL AFFAIRS, THROUGH MASSACHUSETTS OFFICE OF COASTAL ZONE MANAGEMENT, TO BE ADMINISTERED BY CITY OF BOSTON'S ENVIRONMENT DEPARTMENT (DOCKET NO. 1408)

Councilor O'MALLEY, on behalf of the Committee on Environment and Parks, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 1408, message of the Mayor and order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend a grant of Three Hundred and Fifty Thousand Dollars ($350,000.00) from the Commonwealth of Massachusetts Executive Office of Energy and Environmental Affairs, through the Massachusetts Office of Coastal Zone Management, to be administered by the City of Boston's Environment Department (referred September 2) - recommending the order ought to be passed.

The report was accepted; the order was passed.

ORDINANCE ESTABLISIDNG PROCEDURES FOR SAFE DISPOSAL OF NEEDLES, SYRINGES AND LANCETS IN CITY OF BOSTON (DOCKET NO. 1296)

This matter, which was recently heard for possible action, was referred to the **Committee on Government Operations.**

ORDER REGARDING TEXT AMENDMENT FOR BOSTON CODE MEDICAL MARIJUANA TREATMENT CENTERS (DOCKET NO. 0568)

This matter, which was recently heard for possible action, was referred to the **Committee on Economic Development, Planning and Labor.**

ORDER FOR HEARING TO DISCUSS RECRUITING AND RETAINING EDUCATORS OF COLOR WITHIN BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS (DOCKET NO. 0274)

This matter, which was recently heard for possible action, was referred to the **Committee on Education.**

ORDER FOR HEARING TO REVIEW RESULTS OF 2015 FENWAY PARKING ORDINANCE (DOCKET NO. 1624)

Councilors ZAKIM, FLAHERTY, JACKSON, LAMATTINA, LINEHAN, MCCARTHY, MURPHY, O'MALLEY, PRESSLEY, WU, YANCEY offered the following:

WHEREAS, The neighborhoods of Fenway, Kenmore Square, and Audubon Circle are vibrant residential communities in our City; and

WHEREAS, These neighborhoods are disproportionately impacted by residential parking issues due to their proximity to Fenway Park; and

WHEREAS, The fine for violating the City's Residential Parking program was $40 citywide, but the market rate for Fenway Park event parking greatly exceeded and continues to exceed this figure, previously leading to misaligned incentives and willful and excessive residential parking violations during Fenway Park events; and

WHEREAS, On April 8, 2015, the Boston City Council passed Docket 0267, which increased the fine for residential parking violations in the Fenway/Kenmore Residential Parking District during Fenway Park events from $40 to $100; and

WHEREAS, On April 9, 2015, Mayor Walsh signed this legislation into law; and

WHEREAS, This law is due to expire on December 31, 2015; THEREFORE BE IT

ORDERED, That the appropriate committee of the Boston City Council hold a hearing to receive data and analysis from the Boston Transportation Department regarding the Fenway/Kenmore Residential Parking District during Fenway Park events this calendar year, and to discuss the merits of making permanent the $100 fine; and that representatives of BID and the Fenway, Kenmore, and Audubon Circle communities, along with other interested parties, be invited to testify.

Referred to the Committee on City, Neighborhood Services and Veterans Affairs.

LATE-FILED MATTERS

The Chair stated that in absence of objection, three late-filed matters would be added to the Agenda.

No objection being heard, the following matters were added:

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEE
(DOCKET NO. 1652)

Councilor LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Tuesday, October 13, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, December 19, 2015:

BiWeekly Pavroll:
Jessica Morris, Secretary, $1,406.00, full time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

ORDER APPROVING HOME RULE PETITION TO GENERAL COURT ENTITLED "AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE QUOTE OF NUMBER OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES LICENSES GRANTED BY LICENSING BOARD FOR CITY OF BOSTON (DOCKET NO. 1653)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

October 7, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith for your approval a home rule petition to the General Court entitled, "An Act Relative to the Quota of Number of Alcoholic Beverages Licenses Granted by the Licensing Board for the City of Boston."

In 2014, the Massachusetts State Legislature granted the City of Boston an additional 75 liquor licenses over a three year period. The breakdown of these licenses is as follows:

- Fifteen non-transferable all alcohol licenses per year over the course of three years (total of 45) that are restricted to Main Street Districts and the neighborhoods of Dorchester, East Boston. Hyde Park, Jamaica Plain, Mattapan, Mission Hill, and Roxbury;
- Five non-transferable malt and wine licenses per year over the course of three years (total of 15) that are restricted to Main Street Districts and the neighborhoods of Dorchester, East Boston, Hyde Park, Jamaica Plain, Mattapan, Mission Hill, and Roxbury. These are non-transferable and revert back to the City; and
- Five transferable all alcohol licenses per year, over the course of three years (total of 15) that are not geographically restricted within the City.

A technicality in Chapter 287 of the Acts of 2014, however, prevented the City of Boston from receiving the five all alcohol non-restricted transferable licenses per year (total of 15), as approved and supported by the City and the Massachusetts Legislature. Therefore, this Act provides a technical correction that will allow the City to attain the 15 licenses that the Legislature intended for us to receive.

I urge your Honorable Body to adopt this Act expeditiously.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

ORDERED: That a petition to the General Court, accompanied by a bill for a special law relating to the City of Boston, to be filed with an attested copy of this Order be, and hereby is, approved under Clause (1) of Section eight of Article two, as amended, of the Amendments to the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts:

AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE QUOTA OF NUMBER OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES LICENSES GRANTED BY THE LICENSING BOARD FOR THE CITY OF BOSTON.

SECTION 1. Section 17 of Chapter 138 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2014 Official Edition, is hereby amended by striking out the first sentence of the fifth paragraph and inserting in place thereof the following:

The licensing board for the city of Boston may grant 660 licenses for the sale of all alcoholic beverages under section 12.

SECTION 2. The fifth paragraph of said section 17 of said chapter 138, as so appearing, is hereby further amended by striking out the figure "660", as appearing in Section 1, and inserting in place thereof the following figure:- 665.

SECTION 3. Section 1 shall take effect upon its passage.

SECTION 4. Section 2 shall take effect on September 1, 2016.

The rules were suspended; the order was passed.

ABSENCE OF THE MAYOR
(DOCKET NO. 1654)

Notice was received from the Mayor of his absence from the City on Wednesday, October 7th at 7:00 a.m. until Thursday, October 8th at 4:00 p.m.

Placed on file.

CONSENT AGENDA

The Chair moved adoption of a Consent Agenda in which the following-named Councilors offered resolutions of a condolence or congratulatory nature as set forth after each Councilor's name:

Councilors Baker and McCarthy: Recognizing Father Dan Finn's retirement from parish work and his new position at the Irish Pastoral Center at St. Brendan's Parish in Dorchester (Docket No. 1625

Councilors Jackson and McCarthy: Recognizing The Greek program for 20 years of promoting Hellenic culture and heritage (Docket No. 1626)

Councilor Ciommo: Recognizing Elizabeth Kirkjian-Henry (Docket No. 1627) Recognizing Jean Callahan (Docket No. 1628) Congratulating five people for their hard work and dedication to the 2015 Brian J. Honan Fellowship graduation (Docket No. 1629)

Councilor Zakim: Congratulating Xtend Barre Newbury Street (Docket No. 1630)

Councilor Linehan: In memory of Lucy Ann Farulla (Docket No. 1631)

Councilor McCarthy: Congratulating Benjamin Robert Geffken (Docket No. 1632)

Councilor LaMattina: Recognizing Joel Vasquez (Docket No. 1633) Recognizing Jaime Melara (Docket

No. 1634) Recognizing Christian Rodriguez (Docket No. 1635) Recognizing Susy Lopez (Docket No. 1636) Recognizing Fahely Magalbaes Nunez (Docket No. 1637)

Councilor O'Malley: In memory of Dr. James Richard Mahoney (Docket No. 1638)

Councilor McCarthy: In memory of John Mullaney (Docket No. 1639)

Councilor LaMattina: Recognizing Felice Vottorio Bezerevy (Docket No. 1640) Recognizing Central Assembly of God Church (Docket No. 1641) In memory of Mary L. Leonard (Docket No. 1642)

Councilors Linehan and Flaherty: in memory of Max W. Adams (Docket No. 1643)

Councilor Linehan: Congratulating the City of Boston Credit Union on the 100th Anniversary Celebration (Docket No. 1644)

Councilor Yancey: Recognizing National Association of Black Law Enforcement (Docket No. 1645) In memory of Nathaniel T. Julien (Docket No. 1646) Congratulating OrigiNations, Inc (Docket No. 1647) In memory of Ermine Riley (Docket No. 1648)

Councilor Pressley: Recognizing Rev. Fr. (Dr.) Jude Thaddeus Osunkwo (Docket No. 1649)

Councilor Linehan, Flaherty and Wu: In memory of Tony Nee (Docket No. 1650)

Councilor Ciommo: In memory of John "Jack" McLaughlin (Docket No. 1651)

The chair stated that in absence of objection, two late-file matters would be added to the Consent Agenda.

No objection being heard the following matters were added:

Councilor Linehan: Declaring October 10,2015 as Republic of China Day (Docket No. 1655)

Councilor Murphy: In memory of Paul J. McDonnell (Docket No. 1656)

The matters contained within the Consent Agenda were severally adopted.

Adjourned at 1:00 p.m. on motion of President Linehan in memory of Barbara J. Josoma, John "Jack" McLaughlin, Phyllis Fougere, Susan Pickman, Lucy Ann Farulla, Max W. Adams, Arthur G. Fritch, Jr., Tony Yee, Paul McDonald, Dr. James Mahoney, Johnathan T. Julien, Miles Hinton, Ermine Riley, to meet again on Wednesday, October 21, 2015 at 12:00 p.m.

Note: All debate of City Council eliminated from proceedings in accordance with Chapter 447, Acts of 1947.

CITY OF BOSTON

Proceedings of the Boston City Council

Wednesday, October 21, 2015

Regular meeting of the City Council held in the Christopher A. Iannella Chamber, City Hall, at 12:10 p.m. President Linehan in the Chair.

INVOCATION

Reverend Anne Rouseau, Hope Central Church, delivered the invocation, and the meeting was opened with the pledge of allegiance to the flag.

STATEMENT OF PRESIDENT LINEHAN

President LINEHAN moved to adopt the minutes from the October 7, 2015 meeting. **Motion prevailed.**

PRESENTATION BY PRESIDENT LINEHAN

President LINEHAN presented resolutions to the Shattuck recipients for their selfless service to the City of Boston and recognizing their Shattuck Awards.

PRESENTATION BY COUNCILORS WU, PRESSLEY AND MCCARTHY

Councilors WU, PRESSLEY and MCCARTHY presented resolutions to the organizers of the Walk for Lupus and the fashion show models who will be modeling after the walk in honor of Breast Cancer Awareness.

PRESENTATION BY COUNCILOR YANCEY

Councilor YANCEY presented a resolution to Ed Geary, Jr. who is leaving the City of Boston for Florida but the Councilor wanted to recognize Mr. Geary for all the work he has done in the City of Boston but especially in the Fields Corner neighborhood.

PRESENTATION BY COUNCILOR JACKSON

Councilor JACKSON presented a resolution to Adam Wimes, a former Madison Park student who just became executive chef of the Lenox Hotel and oversees other restaurants in the City at the tender age of 26. Councilor JACKSON wanted to commend the school, his mother and grandmother who were present, and he just wanted to recognize one of the good things the Boston Public School system does instead of hearing about all the negative things people talk about. Mr. Wimes has already done incredible things with his young life and that is an attribute to the City of Boston.

ORDER AUTHORIZING CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND FUNDS TOTALING $180,000 RECEIVED FROM INDIVIDUALS, ORGANIZATIONS AND LOCAL AND PRIVATE BUSINESSES FOR PURPOSE OF FUNDING IMMIGRANT INTEGRATION AND EMPOWERMENT INITIATIVE, NEW AMERICAN LIBRARY CORNERS INITIATIVE, IMMIGRATION ADVICE CLINICS, AND THE ENGLISH FOR NEW BOSTONIAN'S INITIATIVE (DOCKET NO. 1657)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

October 15, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I hereby transmit for your approval an Order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend funds totaling $180,000 from contributions received from individuals, organizations, and local and private businesses for the purpose of funding the Immigrant Integration and Empowerment Initiative, the New Americans Library Corners Initiative, Immigration Advice Clinics, the English for New Bostonians Initiative, city-private-community partnerships providing access to English classes, and other crucial programs that enable New Bostonians to play an active role in the economic, civic, social and cultural life of Boston, and to promote the commemoration and public understanding of the contributions of imrnigrants to become full participants in Boston.

I urge your Honorable Body to adopt this Order as soon as possible so that the City of Boston may accept the funds expeditiously and expend them for the purposes for which they were granted.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND FUNDS FROM CONTRIBUTIONS RECEIVED FROM INDIVIDUALS, ORGANIZATIONS AND LOCAL AND PRIVATE BUSINESSES

ORDERED: That the Mayor, acting on behalf of the City of Boston be, and hereby is authorized, pursuant to section 53A of chapter 44 of the Massachusetts General Laws, to accept and expend funds totaling One Hundred and Eighty Thousand Dollars ($180,000) from the contributions received from individuals, organizations and local and private businesses for the purpose of funding the Immigrant Integration and Empowerment Initiative, the New Americans Library Corners Initiative, Immigration Advice Clinics, the English for New Bostonians Initiative, city-private-community partnerships providing access to English classes, and other crucial programs that enable New Bostonians to play an active role in the economic, civic, social and cultural life of Boston, and to promote the commemoration and public understanding of the contributions of immigrants to become full participants in Boston.

Referred to the Committee on Healthy Women, Families and Communities.

Councilor PRESSLEY moved reconsideration of Docket No. 1657.

Reconsideration prevailed.

The rules were suspended; the order was passed.

ORDER AUTHORIZING POLICE COMMISSIONER TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND GRANT IN AMOUNT OF $53,730 FROM OFFICE OF VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN VIA MA EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF PUBLIC SAFETY AND SECURITY. THIS FY15 VA WA STOP GRANT A WARD IS MADE FOR PURPOSE OF CONTINUING TO FUND CIVILIAN DOMESTIC VIOLENCE DV) ADVOCATE WHO IS RESPONSIBLE FOR SERVING VICTIMS IN AREAS OF EAST

BOSTON AND JAMAICA PLAIN (DOCKET NO. 1658)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

October 15, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I hereby transmit for your approval an Order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend a grant in the amount of $53,730.00 from the Office on Violence Against Women via the MA Executive Offiee of Public Safety and Security. This FY15 VAWA 'STOP Grant award is made for the purpose of continuing to fund a Civilian Domestic Violence Advocate who is responsible for serving victims in the areas of East Boston and Jamaica Plain.

I urge your Honorable Body to adopt this Order as soon as possible so that the City of Boston may accept the funds expeditiously and expend them for the purposes for which they were granted.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

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AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND THE FY15 VAWA STOP GRANT FUNDS A WARDED BY THE OFFICE ON VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN VIA THE MASSACHUSETTS EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF PUBLIC SAFETY AND SECURITY.

ORDERED: That the Police Commissioner, acting on behalf of the City of Boston be, and hereby is authorized, pursuant to section 53A of chapter 44 of the Massachusetts General Laws, to accept and expend the award of the Office on Violence Against Women via the Massachusetts Executive Office of Public Safety and Security, not to exceed the amount of Fifty-Three Thousand, Seven Hundred and Thirty Dollars ($53,730.00).

The rules were suspended; the order was passed.

ORDER TO DECLARE SURPLUS CITY-OWNED FORMER PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT PARCEL PROPERTY KNOWN AS WASHBURN STREET, DORCHESTER (711 SQUARE FEET OF VACANT LAND) TO TRANSFER CARE, CUSTODY, MANAGEMENT AND CONTROL OF SAID PROPERTY TO PUBLIC FACILITIES COMMISSION (DOCKET NO. 1659)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

October 15, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I submit herewith and recommend that you approve an Order to declare surplus this City-Owned former Public Works Department parcel located on Washburn Street in Dorchester and to transfer the care, custody, management and control of said property to the Public Facilities Commission:

711 square feet of vacant land on Washburn Street, Dorchester (Ward 07, Parcel 03267005).

I recommend the adoption of this Order by your Honorable Body.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

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ORDER DECLARING REAL ESTATE FORMERLY IN THE CARE AND CUSTODY OF THE PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT ON WASHBURN STREET AS SURPLUS AND TRANSFERRING CARE, CUSTODY, MANAGEMENT AND CONTROL OF SAID PROPERTY TO THE PUBLIC FACILITIES COMMISSION.

WHEREAS, the Public Works Department has determined that it no longer requires this parcel; and

WHEREAS, the Public Facilities Commission has voted to accept this property; and

WHEREAS, the Public Facilities Commission has transferred said property to the City of Boston acting by and thorough its Public Facilities Commission by the Department of Neighborhood Development; and

WHEREAS, the Public Facilities Commission acting by the Department of Neighborhood Development has determined that the property is not needed by the Department, it is hereby

ORDERED: that the property located at Washburn Street, Dorchester (Ward 07, Parcel 03267005) is hereby found to be surplus within the meaning of St. 1909, c. 486, section 3IB (as appearing in St. 1966, c642 s. 12) and the care, custody, management and control thereof is hereby transferred to the Public Facilities Commission.

Referred to the Committee on Economic Development, Planning and Labor.

ORDER TO DECLARE SURPLUS CITY-OWNED FORMER PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT PARCEL PROPERTY KNOWN AS HOWELL STREET, DORCHESTER (1288 SQUARE FEET OF VACANT LAND) DISTRICT TO TRANSFER CARE, CUSTODY, MANAGEMENT AND CONTROL OF SAID PROPERTY TO PUBLIC FACILITIES COMMISSION (DOCKET NO. 1660)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

October 15, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I submit herewith and recommend that you approve an Order to declare surplus a certain parcel of land formerly belonging to the Public Works Department parcel and transfer the care, custody, management and control of said property to the Public Facilities Commission:

1288 square feet of vacant land on Howell Street, Dorchester (Ward 07, Parcel 03275005)

I recommend the adoption of this Order by your Honorable Body.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

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AN ORDER DECLARING A FORMER CITY OF BOSTON PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT PARCEL LOCATED AT HOWELL STREET IN DORCHESTER AS SURPLUS AND TRANSFERRING CARE, CUSTODY, MANAGEMENT AND CONTROL OF SAID

PROPERTY TO THE PUBLIC FACILITIES COMMISSION.

WHEREAS, the Public Works Department has determined that it does not need this parcel; and

WHEREAS, the Public Facilities Commission has voted to accept this property; and

WHEREAS, the Public Facilities Commission has transferred said property to the City of Boston acting by and thorough its Public Facilities Commission by the Department of Neighborhood Development; and

WHEREAS, the Public Facilities Commission acting by the Department of Neighborhood Development has determined that the property is not needed by the Department, it is hereby

ORDERED: that the property located at Howell Street, Dorchester (Ward 07, Parcel 03275005) is hereby found to be surplus within the meaning of St. 1909, c. 486, section 31B (as appearing in St. 1966, c642 s. 12) and the care custody, management and control thereof is hereby transferred to the Public Facilities Commission.

Referred to the Committee on Economic Development, Planning and Labor.

COMMUNICATION FROM MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION REGARDING PLAN BEARING CERTIFICATE THAT HIGHWAY DIVISION HAS ABANDONED SECTION OF STATE HIGHWAY (DOCKET NO. 1661)

Communication was received from The Massachusetts Department of Transportation regarding the plan bearing a certificate that the Highway Division has abandoned a section of state highway.

Placed on file.

ABSENCE OF THE MAYOR
(DOCKET NO. 1662)

Notice was received from the Mayor of his absence from the City from 7:00 A.M. Saturday, October 17, 2015 until 4:00 P.M. Tuesday, October 20 2015.

Placed on file.

NOTICE WAS RECEIVED FROM CITY CLERK IN ACCORDANCE WITH CHAPTER 6 OF ORDINANCES OF 1979 RE: ACTION TAKEN BY MAYOR ON PAPERS ACTED UPON BY CITY COUNCIL AT ITS MEETING OF 9-16-2015 (DOCKET NO. 1663)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the City Clerk

October 16, 2015

To the City Council.
Councilors:

In accordance with Chapter 6 of the Ordinances of 1979, I hereby notify you of the following actions taken by the Mayor with regard to the papers acted upon by the City Council at its meeting of September 16, 2015 viz.

1499 Order authorizing the Police Department to accept and expend a donation from the National Insurance Crime Bureau of four (4) 2015 Honda Accord Sports tires and rims. The materials will be used on a bait vehicle as part of the Auto Theft Units investigation into a Tire Theft Series in the City.
Approved by the Mayor September 21, 2015

1500 Order authorizing the Police Department to accept and expend a donation from the National Insurance Crime Bureau of four (4) GPO Model SC308-1010 devices enclosed within pelican cases. The device will be deployed in bait rims and used by the Auto Theft Unit during investigations to address complaints from community relative to this type of theft and will further the Department's overall goal of community policing.
Approved by the Mayor September 21, 2015

Respectfully,
Maureen Feeney,
City Clerk.

Placed on file.

NOTICE WAS RECEIVED FROM CITY CLERK IN ACCORDANCE WITH CHAPTER 6 OF ORDINANCES OF 1979 RE: ACTION TAKEN BY MAYOR ON PAPERS ACTED UPON BY CITY COUNCIL AT ITS MEETING OF 9-30-2015 (DOCKET NO. 1664)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the City Clerk

October 16, 2015

To the City Council.
Councilors:

In accordance with Chapter 6 of the Ordinances of 1979, I hereby notify you Of the following actions taken by the Mayor with regard to the papers acted upon by the City Council at its meeting of September 30, 2015 viz.

1405 Order authorizing the Fire Commissioner to accept and expend funds from the U.S. Department of Homeland Security FY14 Staffing for Adequate Fire and Emergency Response ("SAFER') grant program, for Twelve Million Seven Hundred Seventy Eight Thousand Six Hundred and Fifty Dollars ($12,778,650.00), for the City of Boston's Fire Department for the purpose of hiring and sustaining, 75 firefighters who have been lost through attrition.
Approved by the Mayor October 6, 2015

1407 Order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend a grant of Three Hundred Sixty Thousand Dollars ($360,000.00) from the .Massachusetts Department of Mental Health, for the purpose of providing assistance and referrals to individuals with Mental Illness and/or Emotional Disturbances under the MA DMH FY16 Police Behavioral Health Jail Diversion Grant Program.
Approved by the Mayor October 6, 2015

1409 Order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend funds of One Hundred Thousand Dollars ($100,000.00) from contributions received from individuals, organizations, and local and private businesses for the purposes of promoting safety, health and wellness initiatives for Boston Firefighters.
Approved by the Mayor October 6, 2015

1410 Order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend funds of One Hundred Thousand Dollars ($100,000.00) from contributions received from individuals, organizations, and local and private businesses for the purposes of promoting fire prevention and fire safety education.
Approved by the Mayor October 6, 2015

Respectfully,
Maureen Feeney,
City Clerk.

Placed on file.

NOTICE WAS RECEIVED FROM CITY CLERK IN ACCORDANCE WITH CHAPTER 6 OF ORDINANCES OF 1979 RE: ACTION TAKEN BY MAYOR ON PAPERS ACTED UPON BY CITY COUNCIL AT ITS MEETING OF 10·7·2015 (DOCKET NO. 1665)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the City Clerk

October 19, 2015

To the City Council.
Councilors:

In accordance with Chapter 6 of the Ordinances of 1979, I hereby notify you Of the following actionS taken by the Mayor with regard to the papers acted upon by the City Council at its meeting of October 7, 2015 viz.

1408 Order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend a grant of Three Hundred and Fifty Thousand Dollars ($350,000.00) from the Commonwealth of Massachusetts Executive Office of Energy and Environmental Affairs, through the Massachusetts Office of Coastal Zone Management, to be administered by the· City of Boston's Environment Department.
Approved by the Mayor October 9, 2015

1653 Order approving a Home Rule Petition for a Special Law regarding "An Act Relative to the Quota of Number of Alcoholic Beverage Licenses Granted by the licensing Board for the City of Boston".
Approved by the Mayor October 9, 2015

Respectfully,
Maureen Feeney,
City Clerk.

Placed on file.

APPOINTMENT BY THE MAYOR
(DOCKET NO. 1666)

Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of Jane Moss as a member of the Back Bay Architectural Commission, for a term expiring December 31, 2019.
Placed on file.

APPOINTMENT BY THE MAYOR
(DOCKET NO. 1667)

Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of John Christiansen as a member of the Back Bay Architectural Commission, for a term expiring December 31, 2018.
Placed on file.

APPOINTMENT BY THE MAYOR
(DOCKET NO. 1668)

Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of Patricia Quinn as a member of the Back Bay Architectural Commission, for a term expiring December 31, 2018.
Placed on file.

REPORT ON ORDER AUTHORIZING TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND GRANT NOT TO EXCEED OF $666,074 FROM FEDERAL HIGHWAY ADMINISTRATION PASSED THROUGH MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION (MASS DOT) TO BE USED TO FUND EIGHTY PERCENT (80%) OF DESIGN AND ENGINEERING SERVICES COST FOR TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT IMPROVEMENTS AT FIFTEEN (15) INTERSECTIONS IN AREA OF BLUE HILL AVENUE AND WARREN STREET (DOCKET NO. 1406)

Councilor MCCARTHY, on behalf of the Committee on City, Neighborhood Services and Veterans Affairs, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 1406, message of the Mayor and order authorizing the Transportation Department to accept and expend a grant not to exceed of Six Hundred Sixty-Six Thousand Seventy Four Dollars ($666,074.00) from the Federal Highway Administration passed through the Massachusetts Department of Transportation (Mass DOT) to be used to fund eighty percent (80%) of the design and engineering services cost for traffic management improvements at fifteen (15) intersections in the area of Blue Hill A venue and Warren Street (referred September 2) - recommending passage of the order.

The report was accepted; the order was passed.

ORDER FOR HEARING REGARDING PILOT CONTRIBUTIONS BY HIGHER AND MEDICAL EDUCATION INSTITUTIONS (DOCKET NO. 1267)

This matter which was recently heard for possible action, was remanded back to the **Committee on Ways and Means.**

RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING SERVICE AND SACRIFICE OF BOLESLAV VAICUNAS IN WORLD WAR II WITH DEDICATION OF HERO SQUARE AT INTERSECTION OF SUDAN STREET AND DORCHESTER AVENUE (DOCKET NO. 1669)

Councilor BAKER moved for a substitution in language.

Councilor BAKER offered the following:

Motion prevailed.

City Councilor Frank Baker

Boleslav Charles John Vaicunas

WHEREAS: Boleslav Charles John Vaicunas was born on February 6, 1918 and resided at 63 Sudan St in Dorchester; and

WHEREAS: Mr. Vaicunas joined the Armed Forces of the United States of America on January 17, 1944 at the age of 25, and served in Italy during World War II; and

WHEREAS: Mr. Vaicunas was killed in action on April 26, 1945 in Italy from gunshot wounds received during the Battle for the Po Valley; and be it

RESOLVED: That the Boston City Council acknowledges the great sacrifice made by the family of Mr. Boleslav Vaicunas, and ensure that the name Boleslav Vaicunas will always be well-regarded in the City of Boston; and Be It Further

RESOLVED: That the City of Boston request that the City of Boston Veteran's services Department coordinate the dedication of the intersection of Sudan Street and Dorchester Avenue as a Hero Square on behalf of V aicunas' s service and ultimate sacrifice for the United States of America in World War II.

On motion of Councilor BAKER, the resolution, in its new draft was adopted.

ORDER FOR HEARING REGARDING NOTIFICATIONS OF PARKING RESTRICTIONS (DOCKET NO. 1670)

Councilor LAMATTINA, LINEHAN, CIOMMO, FLAHERTY, YANCEY, ZAKIM, O'MALLEY, MCCARTHY, MURPHY, WU, PRESSLEY offered the following:

WHEREAS, Parking is an issue that residents throughout the city's neighborhoods contend with; and,

WHEREAS, Managing parking constraints and availability in order to ensure accessibility and convenience for city residents is an important concern for the City of Boston to address;

and,

WHEREAS, The Transportation Department for the City of Boston administers the Resident Permit Parking Program. The objective of the program is to provide residents a better chance of finding on-street parking in their neighborhood; and,

WHEREAS, Resident parking is impacted by certain restrictions such as street cleaning, special events, and moving restrictions. The City of Boston has utilized technology in order to inform residents of such restrictions and also provides notification by signage. For example, the city has implemented the No-Tow website that allows residents to register and receive alerts; and,

WHEREAS, Some city residents may not use their car every day and as a result may not be aware of certain restrictions if signage is posted after their car is parked in a legal resident spot. It is important for the City Council to explore ways to alert residents of parking restrictions and to look at expanding existing notification procedures.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT ORDERED,

That the appropriate committee of the Boston City Council holds a hearing to examine existing parking notification procedures as well as the feasibility of expanding alerts of parking restrictions on city streets. Representatives from the City of Boston and other interested parties shall be invited to attend.

Referred to the Committee on City, Neighborhood Services and Veterans Affairs.

ORDINANCE REGARDING STREET PERFORMERS IN CITY OF BOSTON (DOCKET NO. 1671)

Councilors LAMATTINA, LINEHAN and MCCARTHY offered the following:

WHEREAS, Currently the City of Boston does not regulate or require permits for street performers; and,

WHEREAS, Street performers enhance the character of the city and the City of Boston seeks to encourage street performers while maintaining the reasonable expectations of residents to the enjoyment of peace and quiet in their homes as well as the ability of businesses to conduct their services uninterrupted; and,

WHEREAS, It is in the interest of the City of Boston to reasonably regulate street performers in order to balance the interests of performers with those of the residents and businesses of the city.

NOW, THEREFORE,

Be it ordained by the City Council of Boston, as follows:

CBC Chapter XVI is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof, the following new sections and subsections.

16-59.1 Definitions.

(a) "Perform" includes but shall not be limited to the following activities: acting, singing, playing musical instruments, pantomime, juggling, magic, dancing, reading, puppetry, and reciting. Perform shall not include the production of items for sale.

(b) "Performer" means a person who has obtained a permit pursuant to this section.

(c) "Public areas" means public sidewalks, parks, playgrounds and other pedestrian areas.

16-59.2 Prohibition.

No person shall perform in a public area without a permit issued pursuant to section 16-59.3.

16-59.3 Permit.

(a) A permit shall be issued by the Commissioner of Public Works to each applicant in exchange for a completed application and a fee of forty dollars ($40.00).

(b) A completed application for a permit, and the permit itself, shall contain the applicant's name, residence, address and telephone number, and shall be signed by the applicant.

(c) A permit shall be valid from the date on which it is issued through the end of the calendar year.

(d) A permit shall be nontransferable, and shall contain the permit number of the applicant and the year in which a permit is valid. Each member of the group of performers who play together shall be required to obtain an individual permit. In no event shall any group of performers, identified as such in their application and noted on their permits, be charged more than one hundred and sixty dollars ($160.00) total for permits for group members.

(e) If a performer loses his or her permit, one replacement permit per year may be obtained for a fee of fifteen dollars ($15.00).

(f) A performer shall clearly display his or her permit while performing, and shall allow inspection of the permit by any Boston police officer or staff person or employee ofthe City of Boston authorized to enforce the provisions of these sections upon request.

16-59.4 Permitted Performances.

(a) Performances may take place in public areas, except within one hundred feet of an elementary and/or secondary school, library, or church while in session, a hospital at any time, and except public areas excluded by the Commissioner of Public Works and/or the Boston Police Department. The Commissioner of Public Works shall also designate by regulation the times that street performances are allowed under the provisions of these sections.

(b) A performer may not create an undue interference with the passage of the public through public areas.

(c) No performer or group of performers may perform less than fifty feet from another performer or group of performers.

(d) The Commissioner of Public Works and the Boston Police Department may by regulation exclude certain public areas from street performers in the interest of public safety and in accordance with constitutional standards.

16-59.5 Penalties.

(a) Noncriminal Disposition.

Whoever violates any provision of this section may be penalized by a noncriminal disposition as provided in G.L. c.40, s. 21D. For purposes of this section, the following officials shall be enforcing persons: Boston Police Department officers, Municipal Police Officers, and authorized personnel from the Department of Public Works.

(b) The Commissioner of Public Works and/or Boston Police may suspend a permit for no more than thirty days if a performer is found to have knowingly provided false information in the application; or a performer has received three noncriminal dispositions within one calendar year.

(c) The Commissioner of Public Works and/or Boston Police may revoke a permit for the remainder of the calendar year if a performer has received five noncriminal dispositions during that calendar year.

(d) Before suspending or revoking a permit, the Commissioner of Public Works shall hold a hearing after ten days written notice to the performer setting forth the facts constituting the basis for the proposed suspension or revocation. The Commissioner of Public Works shall issue a decision within ten (10) days and any decision shall be subject to M.G.L. c. 30A.

16-59.6 Severability.

If any provision of these sections shall be held to be invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction, then such provision shall be considered separately and apart from the remaining provisions, which shall remain in full force and effect.

16-59.7 Effective Date.

The provisions of these sections shall be effective immediately upon passage.

Referred to the Committee on Government Operations.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES (DOCKET NO. 1672)

President LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, October 24, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, October 30, 2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Maria Farrell, Secretary ,$1,200.00, part time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES (DOCKET NO. 1673)

President LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, October 31,2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, December 11, 2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Maria Farrell, Secretary ,$600.00, part time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

RESOLUTION URGING UTILITY REGULATORS TO ENSURE THAT BOSTON RESIDENT HAVE ACCESS TO FIOS (DOCKET NO. 1430)

Councilor MCCARTHY called Docket No. 1430 from the Committee on City, Neighborhood Services and Veterans Affairs.

No objection being heard, the matter was before the body.

On motion of Councilor MCCARTHY, the rules were suspended; the resolution was adopted; yeas 13.

STATEMENT BY COUNCILOR CIOMMO

Having unanimous consent to do so, Councilor CIOMMO gave a heartfelt statement about Marguerite Fagan, a woman in his community who was so dear to him he felt as though she was like a surrogate mother to him and a surrogate grandmother to his children.

Her loss will be felt by many in his community and throughout Boston but especially by the Ciommo family.

CONSENT AGENDA

The Chair moved adoption of a Consent Agenda in which the following-named Councilors offered resolutions of a condolence or congratulatory nature as set forth after each Councilor's name:

Councilor Zakim: Recognizing Angela Rotondo (Docket No. 1674)
Councilor Ciommo: In memory of Barbara E. Josoma (Docket No. 1675)
Councilor Jackson: Recognizing The National Association of Black Accountants, Inc. (Docket No. 1676)
Councilor Yancey: Recognizing Gwendolyn Bradford (Docket No. 1677) Recognizing Edward Geary (Docket No. 1678) In memory of Miles Edward Hinton (Docket No. 1679)
Councilors Ciommo, Murphy and Flaherty: In memory of Marguerite C. Fagan (Docket No. 1680)
Councilor Pressley: Recognizing Rebecca Kaiser and Natalie Wagner (Docket No. 1681)
Councilor O'Malley: Recognizing Pat Whall (Docket No. 1682)
Councilor Yancey: Recognizing Bishop Leroy Benett Greenaway & Reverend Elvina Greenaway Founders, Faith Christian Church (Docket No. 1683) Recognizing Reverend Cuthbert Joseph (Docket No. 1684) Recognizing Reverend Brenda Jann Marie White (Docket No. 1685) Recognizing Gladtidings House of Prayer for all Nations (Docket No. 1686)
Councilor LaMattina: Recognizing eight people for their commitment to the Miss Belleza Latina USA 2015 (Docket No. 1687) Recognizing Francine Gannon (Docket No. 1688)
Councilor Jackson: Recognizing Carolyn Edwards (Docket No. 1689) Declaring October 3rd as the Korean National Foundation Day in the City of Boston (Docket No. 1690)
Councilor McCarthy: Congratulating Emily Watt (Docket No. 1691)
Councilor O'Malley: Declaring October 17, 2015 as the Carlos B. Icaza JP Shines Clean-Up Day (Docket No. 1692)
Councilor Murphy: In memory of David 1. Finnegan (Docket No. 1693)
Councilor Yancey: Recognizing The Garrett Pressley Autism Resource Center (Docket No. 1694) Recognizing

Angela Baker (Docket No. 1695) Recognizing Gwendolyn Bradford (Docket No. 1696) Recognizing Sister Marthella Crawford (Docket No. 1697) Recognizing eight people from the St. Vincent and the Grenadines Association of Massachusetts, Inc. (Docket No. 1698)

Councilor LaMattina: Recognizing Commander Joan Snow U.S Air Force (Docket No. 1699)

Councilor Yancey: Recognizing four people for their support of the Boston Raiders Pop Warner Organization (Docket No. 1700)

Councilor LaMattina: Recognizing Marcela Amaya (Docket No. 1701) Recognizing Anthony & Carol Fabiano (Docket No. 1702) Recognizing Martha Plazas (Docket No. 1703)

Councilor Flaherty: Congratulating Steven Horne (Docket No. 1704) Congratulating Al Young (Docket No. 1705) Congratulating Sara Dorsey (Docket No. 1706)

Councilor O'Malley: In memory of Doris Magoon (Docket No. 1707)

Councilors Linehan and Flaherty: In memory of James P. McDevitt (Docket No. 1708)

Councilor Linehan: Congratulating 9 people who received the 2015 Henry L. Shattuck Award (Docket No. 1709)

Councilor Flaherty: Recognizing twelve people for their participation in the New England Salsa Music Awards 2015 (Docket No. 1710)

Councilor Murphy: Congratulating Thomas Hartman (Docket No. 1711)

The Chair stated that in the absence of objection, nine late-filed matters would be added to the Consent Agenda.

No objection being heard, the following matter was added:

Councilor Linehan: Congratulating Joseph Smoot, Sr. (Docket No.1712)

Councilor Yancey: In memory of Terrance L. Yancey III (Docket No. 1713)

Councilor LaMattina: In memory of Rose Toscano (Docket No. 1714)

Councilor Jackson: Congratulating Reggie Lewis Center (Docket No. 1715) Congratulating Keith McDermott (Docket No. 1716) Congratluating Adam Wimes (Docket No. 1717) Congratulating Monica Cannon (Docket No. 1718) Congratluating Tayla Andre (Docket No. 1719) Congratulating Keitra Fergus (Docket No. 1720)

The matters contained within the Consent Agenda were severally adopted.

Adjourned at 1:20 p.m. on motion of President Linehan and in memory of Marguerite C. Fagan, David Finnegan, John Arcadipane, Rose Toscano, Sandra Lee Ciccia, James P. McDevitt, Monica Jolivet, Terrance Yancey, Joseph Rodio, Sr., to meet again on Wednesday, October 28, 2015 at 12:00 p.m.

Note: All debate of City Council eliminated from proceedings in accordance with Chapter 447, Acts of 1947.

CITY OF BOSTON

Proceedings of the Boston City Council

Wednesday, October 28, 2015

Regular meeting of the City Council held in the Christopher A. Iannella Chamber, City Hall, at 12:10 p.m. President Linehan in the Chair.

INVOCATION

Monsignor William M. Helmick, St. Theresa of Avila, delivered the invocation, and the meeting was opened with the pledge of allegiance to the flag.

STATEMENT OF PRESIDENT LINEHAN

President LINEHAN moved to adopt the minutes from the October 21, 2015 meeting. **Motion prevailed.**

PRESENTATION BY COUNCILORS PRESSLEY AND MCCARTHY

Councilors PRESSLEY and MCCARTHY presented resolutions to Faces of Faith, a group of women survivors of breast cancer or caretakers of those women. This group is a strong and wonderful group of people helping people and bringing awareness to the fight of breast cancer and the care and treatments available including faith.

ORDER AUTHORIZING CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND GRANT NOT TO EXCEED $450,000 FROM EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS FOR PURPOSE OF FUNDING INTERNSHIP PROGRAMS FOR CITY OF BOSTON (DOCKET NO. 1721)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

October 23, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith for your approval an Order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend a grant from educational institutions in an amount that shall not exceed Four Hundred and Fifty Thousand Dollars ($450,000.00). The purpose of this grant is to fund internship programs for the City of Boston.

I urge your Honorable Body to pass this order as soon as possible, so that the City may receive these funds and implement all necessary programs expeditiously.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

ORDER AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND A GRANT FROM EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS TO FUND INTERNSHIP PROGRAMS.

ORDERED: That the City of Boston, acting by and through the Mayor, be, and hereby is, authorized, in accordance with Section 53A of Chapter 44 of the Massachusetts General Laws, to accept and expend an amount that shall not exceed Four Hundred and Fifty Thousand Dollars ($450,000.00) for the purpose of funding, internship programs between the City and educational institutions.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

ORDER AUTHORIZING DEPARTMENT OF NEIGHBORHOOD DEVELOPMENT, TO APPLY FOR, ACCEPT AND EXPEND UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY (EPA) FOR BROWNFIELD CLEANUP GRANT FUNDING NOT TO EXCEED $400,000 (DOCKET NO. 1722)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

October 22, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith for your approval, an Order authorizing the City of Boston, acting through its Department of Neighborhood Development, to apply for, accept and expend U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) for Brownfields Cleanup Grant funding in an amount not to exceed $400,000.

I urge you to adopt this order as soon as possible so that the City may submit its application to the EPA by the December 18,2015 deadline.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF BOSTON TO APPLY FOR, ACCEPT AND EXPEND BROWNFIELDS CLEANUP GRANT FUNDS FROM THE U.S. ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY.

WHEREAS, local governments are permitted to apply for up to $400,000 in Brownfields Cleanup Grant funds to carry out cleanup activities on properties owned by the local government;
and
WHEREAS, applications must be submitted by December 18, 2015 in order to be considered, and
WHEREAS, the Department of Neighborhood Development (Public Facilities Department) will administer the Brownfields Cleanup Grant, now, therefore, be it
ORDERED, that the City of Boston, acting by and through its Department of Neighborhood Development (Public Facilities Department), be and hereby is, authorized to apply to the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency for Brownfields Cleanup Grant funds in an amount not to exceed Four Hundred Thousand Dollars ($400,000), and to accept and expend said funds in accordance with M.G.L. c.44 s. 53A for the purposes for which granted and, in connection therewith, to execute and deliver such documents as may be required by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency.

Referred to the Committee on Economic Development and Planning and Labor.

ORDER FOR CONFIRMATION OF RE-APPOINTMENT OF DAVID BERARDUCCI AS MEMBER OF BOSTON LANDMARKS COMMISSION FOR TERM EXPIRING JUNE 30, 2017 (DOCKET NO. 1723)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

October 22, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith for your approval an Order confirming the re-appointment of David Berarducci of 154 West Concord Street, # 1, Boston, MA 02118 as a full member of the Boston Landmarks Commission for a term expiring June 30, 2017. Mr. Berarducci is a nominee of the Boston Society of Landscape Architects.

I urge your honorable body to approve this Order at the earliest possible date so that Mr. Berarducci may begin serving his appointed term without delay.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE RE-APPOINTMENT OF DAVID BERARDUCCI AS A MEMBER OF THE BOSTON LANDMARKS COMMISSION.

ORDERED: That the appointment, pursuant to St. 1975 c. 772 § 3, of David Berarducci of 154 West Concord Street, # 1, Boston, MA 02118 as a member of the Boston Landmarks Commission, and a nominee of the Boston Society of Landscape Architects, for a term to expire June 30, 2017 be, and the same hereby is approved.

Referred to the Committee on Economic Development and Planning and Labor.

ORDER FOR CONFIRMATION OF RE-APPOINTMENT OF KIRSTEN HOFFMAN AS MEMBER OF BOSTON LANDMARKS COMMISSION FOR TERM EXPIRING JUNE 30, 2017 (DOCKET NO. 1724)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

October 22, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith for your approval an Order confirming the re-appointment of Kirsten Hoffman of 26 Stillman Street, Apartment 6-2, Boston, MA 02113 as a full member of the Boston Landmarks Commission for a term expiring June 30, 2016. Ms. Hoffman is a nominee of the Greater Boston Chamber of Commerce.

I urge your honorable body to approve this Order at the earliest possible date so that Ms. Hoffman may begin serving her appointed term without delay.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE RE-APPOINTMENT OF KIRSTEN HOFFMAN AS A MEMBER OF THE BOSTON LANDMARKS COMMISSION.

ORDERED: That the re-appointment, pursuant to St. 1975 c. 772 § 3, of Kirsten Hoffman of 26 Stillman Street, Apartment 6-2, Boston, MA 02113 as a member of the Boston Landmarks Commission, and a nominee of the Greater Boston Chamber of Commerce, for a term to expire June 30, 2016 be, and the same hereby is approved.

Referred to the Committee on Economic Development and Planning and Labor.

ORDER FOR CONFIRMATION OF RE-APPOINTMENT OF LYNN SMILEDGE AS MEMBER OF BOSTON LANDMARKS COMMISSION FOR TERM EXPIRING JUNE 30, 2017 (DOCKET NO. 1725)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

October 22, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith for your approval an Order confirming the re-appointment of Lynn Smiledge of 65 East India Row, Unit 15H, Boston, MA 02110 as a full member of the Boston Landmarks Commission for a term expiring June 30, 2017. Ms. Smiledge is a nominee of Historic New England (formerly known as the Society for the Preservation of New England Antiquities).

I urge your honorable body to approve this Order at the earliest possible date so that Ms. Smiledge may begin serving her appointed term without delay.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE RE-APPOINTMENT OF LYNN SMILEDGE AS A MEMBER OF THE BOSTON LANDMARKS COMMISSION.

ORDERED: That the re-appointment, pursuant to St. 1975 c. 772 § 3, of Lynn Smiledge of 65 East India Row, Unit 15H, Boston, MA 02110 as a member of the Boston Landmarks Commission, and a nominee of Historic New England, for a term to expire June 30, 2017 be, and the same hereby is approved.

Referred to the Committee on Economic Development and Planning and Labor.

ORDER FOR CONFIRMATION OF APPOINTMENT OF RICHARD YEAGER AS MEMBER OF BOSTON LANDMARKS COMMISSION FOR TERM EXPIRING JUNE 30, 2018 (DOCKET NO. 1726)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

October 22, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith for your approval an Order confirming the appointment of Richard Yeager of 36 Gerald Road, Apartment 3, Brighton, MA 02135 as a full member of the Boston Landmarks Commission for a term expiring June 30, 2018. Mr. Yeager is a nominee of the Boston Society of Architects.

I urge your honorable body to approve this Order at the earliest possible date so that Mr. Yeager may begin serving his appointed term without delay.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

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AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE APPOINTMENT OF RICHARD YEAGER AS A MEMBER OF THE BOSTON LANDMARKS COMMISSION.

ORDERED: That the appointment, pursuant to St. 1975 c. 772 § 3, of Richard Yeager of 36 Gerald Road, Apartment 3, Brighton, MA 02135 as a member of the Boston Landmarks Commission, and a nominee of the Boston Society of Architects, for a term to expire June 30, 2018 be, and the same hereby is approved.

Referred to the Committee on Economic Development and Planning and Labor.

ORDER FOR CONFIRMATION OF RE-APPOINTMENT OF SUSAN GOGANIAN AS MEMBER OF BOSTON LANDMARKS COMMISSION FOR TERM EXPIRING JUNE 30, 2018 (DOCKET NO. 1727)

The following was received:
City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

October 22, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith for your approval an Order confirming the re-appointment of Susan Goganian of 62 Romsey Street, #2, Dorchester, MA 02125 as a full member of the Boston Landmarks Commission for a term expiring June 30, 2018.

I urge your honorable body to approve this Order at the earliest possible date so that Ms. Goganian may begin serving her appointed term without delay.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

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AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE RE-APPOINTMENT OF SUSAN GOGANIAN AS A MEMBER OF THE BOSTON LANDMARKS COMMISSION.

ORDERED: That the re-appointment, pursuant to St. 1975 c. 772 § 3, of Susan Goganian of 62 Romsey Street, #2, Dorchester, MA 02125 as a member of the Boston Landmarks Commission, for a term to expire June 30, 2018 be, and the same hereby is approved.

Referred to the Committee on Economic Development and Planning and Labor.

ORDER FOR CONFIRMATION OF RE-APPOINTMENT OF CHRISTOPHER HART AS ALTERNATE MEMBER OF BOSTON LANDMARKS COMMISSION FOR TERM EXPIRING JUNE 30, 2018 (DOCKET NO. 1728)

The following was received:
City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

October 22, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith for your approval an Order confirming the re-appointment of Christopher Hart of 29 Business Street, Hyde Park, MA 02136 as an alternate member of the Boston Landmarks Commission for a term expiring June 30, 2018.

I urge your honorable body to approve this Order at the earliest possible date so that Mr. Hart may begin serving his appointed term without delay.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

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AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE RE-APPOINTMENT OF CHRISTOPHER HART AS AN ALTERNATE MEMBER OF THE BOSTON LANDMARKS COMMISSION.

ORDERED: That the appointment, pursuant to St. 1975 c. 772 § 3, of Christopher Hart of 29 Business Street, Hyde Park, MA 02136 as a member of the Boston Landmarks Commission, for a term to expire June 30, 2018 be, and the same hereby is approved.

Referred to the Committee on Economic Development and Planning and Labor.

ORDER FOR CONFIRMATION OF APPOINTMENT OF MOLLY KENTALA AS ALTERNATE MEMBER OF ABERDEEN ARCHITECTURAL CONSERVATION DISTRICT COMMISSION FOR TERM EXPIRING MAY 31, 2018 (DOCKET NO. 1729)

The following was received:
City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

October 22, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith for your approval an Order confirming the appointment of Molly Kentala of 46 Orkney Road, Apartment 3, Brighton, MA 02135 as an alternate member of the Aberdeen Architectural Conservation District Commission for a term expiring May 31, 2018.

I urge your honorable body to approve this Order at the earliest possible date so that Ms. Kentala may begin serving her appointed term without delay.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

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AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE APPOINTMENT OF MOLLY KENTALA AS AN ALTERNATE MEMBER OF THE ABERDEEN ARCHITECTURAL CONSERVATION DISTRICT COMMISSION.

ORDERED: That the appointment, pursuant to St. 1975 c. 772 § 3, of Molly Kentala of 46 Orkney Road, Apartment 3, Brighton, MA 02135 as an alternate member of the Aberdeen Architectural Conservation District Commission for a term to expire May 31, 2018 be, and the same hereby is approved.

Referred to the Committee on Economic Development and Planning and Labor.

ORDER FOR CONFIRMATION OF RE-APPOINTMENT OF KATHLEEN MCDERMOTT AS AL-

TERNATE MEMBER OF BAY VILLAGE HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION FOR TERM EXPIRING APRIL 1, 2016 (DOCKET NO. 1730)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

October 22, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith for your approval an Order confirming the re-appointment of Kathleen McDermott of 7 Fayette Street, Boston, MA 02116 as an alternate member of the Bay Village Historic District Commission for a term expiring April 1, 2016.

I urge your honorable body to approve this Order at the earliest possible date so that Ms. McDermott may begin serving her appointed term without delay.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE RE-APPOINTMENT OF KATHLEEN MCDERMOTT AS AN ALTERNATE MEMBER OF THE BAY VILLAGE HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION.

ORDERED: That the re-appointment, pursuant to St. 1975 c. 772 § 3, of Kathleen McDermott of 7 Fayette Street, Boston, MA 02116 as an alternate member of the Bay Village Historic District Commission for a term to expire April 1, 2016 be, and the same hereby is approved.

Referred to the Committee on Economic Development and Planning and Labor.

ORDER FOR CONFIRMATION OF RE-APPOINTMENT OF JOHN KAROFF AS FULL MEMBER OF FORT POINT CHANNEL LANDMARK DISTRICT EXPIRING MAY 1, 2017 (DOCKET NO. 1731)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

October 22, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith for your approval an Order confirming the re-appointment of John Karoff as a full member of the Fort Point Channel Landmark District Commission for a term expiring May 1, 2017. Mr. Karoff is a commercial property owner in the Fort Point Channel District, and has owned property there for more than two years.

I urge your honorable body to approve this Order at the earliest possible date so that ·Mr. Karoffmay begin serving his appointed term without delay.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE RE-APPOINTMENT OF JOHN KAROFF AS A MEMBER OF THE FORT POINT CHANNEL LANDMARK DISTRICT COMMISSION.

ORDERED: That the re-appointment, pursuant to St. 1975 c. 772 § 3, of John Karoff of 280 Congress Street, Boston, MA 02210 as a member of the Fort Point Channel Landmark District Commission for a term to expire May 1, 2017 be, and the same hereby is approved.

Referred to the Committee on Economic Development and Planning and Labor.

ORDER FOR CONFIRMATION OF APPOINTMENT OF MARK CICCONE, CPA AS MEMBER OF AUDIT COMMITTEE FOR TERM EXPIRING NOVEMBER 1, 2020 (DOCKET NO. 1732)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

October 22, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith for your confirmation an Order regarding the appointment of: Mark Ciccone, CPA 357 Commercial Street, Unit 809 Boston, MA 02109 as a member of the Audit Committee established by ST. 1982, c.190, §14, and subject to your confirmation.

I urge your Honorable body to pass this Order.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

ORDERED: That pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 190, §14 of the Acts of 1982, the appointment of: Mark Ciccone, CPA, 357 Commercial Street, Unit 809, Boston, MA 02109 as a member of the Audit Committee for a five year term expiring on November 1, 2020, be and the same hereby is approved.

Referred to the Committee on Post Audit and Oversight.

COMMUNICATION RECEIVED FROM CITY CLERK OF FILING BY BRA OF FOURTH AMENDMENT TO REPORT AND DECISION ON PARCEL F-2 HOTEL CHAPTER 121A PROJECT" (DOCKET NO. 1733)

Communication was received from the City Clerk of the filing by the Boston Redevelopment Authority of the Fourth Amendment to the Report and Decision on the Parcel F-2 Hotel Chapter 121A Project."

Placed on file.

COMMUNICATION RECEIVED FROM CITY CLERK OF FILING BY BRA OF FOURTH AMENDMENT TO REPORT AND DECISION "FOURTH AMENDMENT TO REPORT AND DECISION ON RESTORATION HOUSING CHAPTER 121A PROJECT" (DOCKET NO. 1734)

Communication was received from the City Clerk of the filing by the Boston Redevelopment Authority of the Fourth Amendment to the Report and Decision "Fourth Amendment to the Report and Decision on the Restoration Housing Chapter 121A Project".

Placed on file.

REPORT ON ORDINANCE TO BAN POSSESSION, SALE OR DISPLAY OF ANY TOY OR IMITATION FIREARM THAT SUBSTANTIALLY DUPLICATES OR CAN REASONABLY BE PERCEIVED TO BE ACTUAL FIREARM, FROM PUBLIC SPACES IN CITY OF BOSTON (DOCKET NO. 1415)

Councilor FLAHERTY, on behalf of the Committee on Government Operations, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 1415, message of the Mayor and ordinance to ban the possession, sale or display of any toy or imitation firearm that substantially duplicates or can reasonable be perceived to be an actual firearm, from public spaces in the City of Boston (referred September 2) - recommending passage of the ordinance.

The report was accepted; the ordinance was passed.

ORDER FOR HEARING REGARDING ENFORCEMENT OF "NO MORE THAN FOUR" ZONING AMENDMENT (DOCKET NO. 1434)

This matter which was recently heard for possible action, was remanded back to the **Committee on City, Neighborhood Services and Veterans Affairs.**

RESOLUTION URGING STATE LEGISLATURE TO SUPPORT AND APPROVE SENATE BILL 1837, ACT RELATIVE TO PERSONAL TRANSIT SYSTEMS (DOCKET NO. 1735)

Councilor MURPHY offered the following:

WHEREAS, Senate Bill 1837, An Act relative to personal rapid transit systems, is a proposal before the Massachusetts Legislature's Joint Committee on Transportation that would grant personal rapid transit providers with the authority to access rights-of way in the state; and,

WHEREAS, Personal rapid transit systems are powered by electronic motors and provide an environmentally friendly transportation solution.

WHEREAS, Senate Bill 1837 would give the state Department of Transportation jurisdiction over personal rapid transit systems. In order to operate, personal rapid transit systems would be required to meet certain criteria which would include standards for system design, fabrication, installation, safety, insurance, and inspection practices. The construction of personal rapid transit systems would be privately funded and would operate without government subsidies; and, Therefore be it

RESOLVED, That the Boston City Council urges the state legislature to support and approve Senate Bill 1837, An Act relative to personal rapid transit systems. Supporting this legislation will allow an alternative transportation option that could help the city deal with environmental demands by alleviating pollution and traffic.

On motion of Councilor MURPHY, the rules were suspended; the resolution was adopted.

ORDINANCE AMENDING CITY OF BOSTON CODE OF ORDINANCES CHAPTER 2-8.1, SALARY OF CITY COUNCILORS AND CITY OF BOSTON CODE OF ORDINANCES 2-7.11, SALARY OF THE MAYOR (DOCKET NO. 1414)

Councilor FLAHERTY called Docket No. 1414 from the Committee on Government Operations.

No objection being heard, the matter was before the body.

On motion of Councilor FLAHERTY, the rules were suspended; the ordinance was passed; yeas 9, nays 4:

Yeas - Councilors BAKER, CIOMMO, FLAHERTY, JACKSON, LAMATTINA, LINEHAN, MCCARTHY, MURPHY, O'MALLEY - 9.

Nays - Councilors PRESSLEY, WU, YANCEY, ZAKIM - 4.

ORDER AUTHORIZING CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND $169,056 FOR FY15 U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT (HUD) FAIR HOUSING ASSISTANCE PROGRAM GRANT AWARDED TO BOSTON FAIR HOUSING COMMISSION TO SUPPORT TRAINING, ADMINISTRATIVE AND FY15 INVESTIGATORY WORK OF FAIR HOUSING ASSISTANCE PARTNERSHIP AGREEMENT (DOCKET NO. 1552)

Councilor BAKER called Docket No. 1552 from the Committee on Housing. No objection being heard, the matter was before the body.

On motion of Councilor BAKER, the rules were suspended; the order was passed.

CONSENT AGENDA

The Chair moved adoption of a Consent Agenda in which the following-named Councilors offered resolutions of a condolence or congratulatory nature as set forth after each Councilor's name:

Councilor McCarthy: In memory of William J. Egan (Docket No. 1736) In memory of Richard D. Schumilla Jr (Docket No. 1737)

Councilor Flaherty: Recognizing Dr. Stephen G. Porter (Docket No. 1738)

Councilor Wu: Congratulating twenty six people for their participation in Runway for Mom Boston 2015 (Docket No. 1739) Recognizing Boloco (Docket No. 1740) Recognizing Bay Cove Human Services (Docket No. 1741) Recognizing Bank of America (Docket No. 1742)

Councilor McCarthy: In memory of Edward G. Delamare, Jr. (Docket No. 1743) Recognizing "Walk to End Lupus Day" (Docket No. 1744)

Councilor O'Malley: Recognizing Sr. Margaret Leonard and naming November 12, 2015 Sr. Margaret Leonard Day in the City of Boston (Docket No. 1745)

Councilor Wu: Congratulating Skin Care Adventure (Docket No. 1746)

Councilor Linehan: Recognizing the First Mothers Against Violence Conference to be held in Boston (Docket No. 1747)

Councilor LaMattina: Recognizing NEACOL (Docket No. 1748)

Councilor Wu: Recognizing the Foreign and Overseas Chinese Affairs Bureau of Foshan Chancheng District Government (Docket No. 1749)

Councilor LaMattina: Recognizing Gregorio Uribe (Docket No. 1750) Recognizing Dolores LaMattina (Docket No. 1751)

Councilor Pressley: Recognizing Apostle Frederick J. Wilson (Docket No. 1752)

Councilor Zakim: In memory of Joseph J. Rodio, Sr (Docket No. 1753)

Councilor Jackson: Recognizing Edmund P. Strother (Docket No. 1754)

Councilors Jackson and Yancey: Congratulating Ronald Odom, Sr (Docket No. 1755)

Councilor Yancey: Recognizing Charity Murphy (Docket No. 1756) In memory of Merrill Bacon (Docket No. 1757) Recognizing Mrs. Louvenia Davenport Brewster (Docket No. 1758) Recognizing Greenwood Memorial United Methodist Church (Docket No. 1759)

Councilor Linehan: Recognizing October 29th as Turkish Republic Day in the City of Boston (Docket No. 1760)
Councilor Pressley: Recognizing Dr. Hance Philippe (Docket No. 1761) Recognizing Runway for Mom Boston Day (Docket No. 1762)
Councilor Ciommo: In memory of James J. Geilfuss (Docket No. 1763) In memory of Jean Sidlowski (Docket No. 1764)

The Chair stated that in the absence of objection, six late-filed matters would be added to the Consent Agenda.
No objection being heard, the following matter was added:

Councilor O'Malley: In memory of John S. McClure (Docket No. 1765)
Councilor Jackson: In memory of Fitzgerald A. Watson (Docket No. 1766)
Councilor O'Malley: Congratulating Janet E. Brown (Docket No. 1767) Congratulating William P. Coyne (Docket No. 1768) Congratulating Keith McDermott (Docket No. 1769)
Councilor LaMattina: In memory of Angelina Addesa (Docket No. 1770)

The matters contained within the Consent Agenda were severally adopted.

NEXT MEETING

Adjourned at 1:20 p.m. on motion of President Linehan and in memory of Joseph Kane, Angelina Addesa, Catherine Judge, John McClure, Charles Mercer and Merrill Bacon, to meet again on Wednesday, November 4, 2015 at 12:00 p.m.

Note: All debate of City Council eliminated from proceedings in accordance with Chapter 447, Acts of 1947.

CITY OF BOSTON

Proceedings of the Boston City Council

Wednesday, November 4, 2015

Regular meeting of the City Council held in the Christopher A. Iannella Chamber, City Hall, at 12:08 p.m. President Linehan in the Chair.

INVOCATION

Sister Patricia Andrew, CSJ., Sisters of St. Joseph, delivered the invocation and the meeting was opened with the pledge of allegiance to the flag.

VISITORS TO CITY COUNCIL

Preside LINEHAN welcomed the visitors from Kumamoto University in Japan to the Council Chamber today and thanked them for stopping by.

STATEMENT OF PRESIDENT LINEHAN

President LINEHAN moved to adopt the minutes from the October 28, 2015 meeting. **Motion prevailed.**

ORDER AUTHORIZING CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND $2,500,000 TO EAST BOSTON FOUNDATION GRANT FROM MASSACHUSETTS PORT AUTHORITY IN ACCORDANCE WITH AMENDED AND RESTATED PAYMENT-IN-LIEU-OF TAXES AGREEMENT BETWEEN MASSACHUSETTS PORT AUTHORITY AND CITY OF BOSTON (DOCKET NO. 1770)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

October 28, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I hereby transmit for your approval an Order Authorizing the City of Boston to Accept and Expend an additional amount to the East Boston Foundation Grant from the Massachusetts Port Authority.

The East Boston Foundation and Foundation Grant were first accepted by this Honorable Body on March 31, 1995, and accepted as amended on April 8, 1998.

The Foundation Grant is appropriated by the Massachusetts Port Authority in accordance with the Amended and Restated Payment-In-Lieu-of-Taxes Agreement between the Massachusetts Port Authority and the City of Boston, to mitigate East Boston neighborhoods impacts of Boston-Logan International Airport.

Through recent discussion and negotiation between the City of Boston, local elected officials, Massport and the community, Massport has agreed to provide an additional amount to the Grant of Two Million Five Hundred Thousand ($2,500,000.00) Dollars. The City has ensured that the disposition of funding under this agreement will be fair, open and comrnunity-based. These agreements and the creation of the East Boston Foundation remain precedent setting mechanisms to institutionalize cooperation between governmental bodies and the community. The City of Boston's role to protect and enhance the community has been served well by these agreements.

I urge your Honorable Body to adopt this Order.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND AN AMENDED GRANT TO THE EAST BOSTON FOUNDATION.

ORDERED: That the City of Boston be and hereby is authorized to accept and expend an additional amount of Two Million Five Hundred Thousand ($2,500,000.00) Dollars from the Massachusetts Port Authority for the purposes stated in the Amended Foundation Grant and East Boston Foundation Declaration of Trust; and that the Mayor, Collector-Treasurer and any other officers of the City of Boston, in accordance with and subject to the terms of said Foundation Grant and Declaration Trust be and hereby are authorized to take any and all actions necessary and appropriate to affect this Order.

The rules were suspended; the order was passed.

CERTAIN INFORMATION UNDER SECTION 17F REGARDING DOCKET NUMBERS 1508, 1511, 1506, 1507, 1510, 1512 AND 1509 PERTAINING TO LIST OF CITY PERSONNEL FILED IN CITY COUNCIL ON SEPTEMBER 16, 2015 (DOCKET NO. 1771)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

October 30, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

In response to 17F requests filed by your Honorable Body on September 16, 2015:

Re: List of active employees as of June 30, 2014 with the name, title, department, annual salary, hiring date, gender, race and residency and a list of all new hires, promotions, and terminations by the name, title, department, annual salary, hiring date, gender, race and residency between April 1, 2014 to June 30, 2014 (Docket # 1508)

Re: List of active employees as of March 31, 2014 with the name, title, department, annual salary, hiring date, gender, race and residency and a list of all new hires, promotions, and terminations by the name, title, department, annual salary, hiring date, gender, race and residency between January 1, 2014 to March 31, 2014 (Docket # 1511)

Re: List of all boards, commissions and authorities for the City of Boston by name, date established, enabling legislation, name, title, race, gender, address and term (Docket # 1506)

Re: List of active employees as of December 31, 2014 with the name, title, department, annual salary, hiring date, gender, race and residency and a list of all new hires, promotions, and terminations by the name, title, department, annual salary, hiring date, gender, race and residency between October 1,2014 to December 31, 2014 (Docket # 1507)

Re: List of active employees as of September 30, 2014 with the name, title, department, annual

salary, hiring date, gender, race and residency and a list of all new hires, promotions, and terminations by the name, title, department, annual salary, hiring date, gender, race and residency between July 1, 2014 and September 30, 2014 (Docket # 1510)

Re: List of active employees as of March 31, 2015 with the name, title, department, annual salary, hiring date, gender, race and residency and a list of all new hires, promotions, and terminations by the name, title, department, annual salary, hiring date, gender, race and residency between January 1,2015 and March 31, 2015 (Docket # 1512)

Re: List of active employees as of June 30, 2015 with the name, title, department, annual salary, hiring date, gender, race and residency and a list of all new hires, promotions, and terminations by the name, title, department, annual salary, hiring date, gender, race and residency between April 1, 2015 and June 30, 2015 (Docket # 1509)

Please find the attached responses.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

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On motion of Councilor YANCEY, Docket No. 1771 was remanded back to the Administration.

CERTAIN INFORMATION UNDER SECTION 17F REGARDING DOCKET NUMBERS 1513, 1514 AND 1515 REGARDING STEPS BEING TAKEN TO ELIMINATE DISPARITIES IN FACILITIES AND SERVICES BASED ON GENDER HOMELESS AND PROGRAMMING FILED IN CITY COUNCIL ON SEPTEMBER 16, 2015 (DOCKET NO. 1772)

The following was received:
City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

October 30, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

In response to 17F requests filed by your Honorable Body on September 16, 2015

Re: Steps being taken to eliminate disparities in facilities and services based on gender concerning homeless and recovery clients (Docket # 1513)

Re: Steps being taken to eliminate disparities in facilities and services based on gender concerning programming (Docket # 1514)

Re: Steps being taken to eliminate disparities in facilities and services regarding recovery clients (Docket # 1515)

Please find the attached responses.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

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Docket # 1513

How many calls has the Mayor's Office and Mayor's Hotline received requesting emergency shelter and/or medial detox programming?

- BPHC cannot answer this question, because we do not collect this data. We can say that we have had over 4,000 in-person contacts at our PAA THS program, which is a one-stop clearinghouse and referral service for individuals seeking treatment for substance use disorders.

How many clients were displaced due to the Long Island Bridge closing?

- For privacy reasons, BPHC is able to track only the clients who were in our programs at the time of the bridge closure.
- Recovery Program Clients: There were 111 clients enrolled in BPHC recovery programs on October 8, 2014.
- Shelter Guests: There were 430 shelter guests who were on Long Island on October 7th

Has every dislocated client been accounted for?

- We have accounted for all BPHC clients who were residing on Long Island at the time of the Bridge closure and were able to track all of these individuals who were evacuated from the Island to ensure their safety. Our homeless guests are a transient population. According to the Mayors Action Plan, upwards of 60% of homeless guests leave shelter within a month. Approximately 39% of the 430 people who were on Long Island on 10/7/2014 remain active in the BPHC shelter system.

Describe how the city tracks clients.

- BPHC tracks shelter guests through the HMIS System, which records shelter use by individuals across the city's homeless shelter system.
- BPHC tracks program clients through a mix of personal contact by case managers and other staff and through our electronic client case management system.

Where are the clients now?

- Program Clients: All BPHC program clients (Ill total) were offered next-level care when they transitioned from the programs on Long Island. In some cases, we were able to keep clients on in the programs, but in different locations. Below is a summary of where the program clients were placed
  - 52 were placed in a recovery home or sober transitional housing
  - 11 were placed in CSS/TSS programs
  - 11 received permanent housing
  - 9 remain in BPHC programs
  - 8 left against treatment advice
  - 8 were placed in outpatient programs and returned to their families
  - 5 were discharged to district court or parole
  - 5 were discharged for non-compliance
  - 2 were placed in detox

Were there any fatalities? If so, how many?

- No, there have been no fatalities associated with closure ofthe Long Island Bridge.

Describe the needs reassessment/reevaluation process for relocation.

- We do not understand what this question is asking.

Please provide the number of individuals who were fast-tracked through the housing system due to the disaster level re-homelessness.

- We do not understand what this question is asking.

What was the process to help those displaced get a bed?

- We made sure that everyone who was coming off of the Island after the closure had a bed. In the immediate aftermath of the evacuation of the Island, BPHC shelter staff worked with staff from other shelters in the city to identify open beds and secure . transportation for clients to those shelters with excess capacity. After the temporary shelter was running at the South End Fitness Center, the bed allocation occurred as usual, with guests receiving beds after they checked in at Woods Mullen.

What happened to the DIV/AIDS clients?

- We do not track clients by HIV status. However, BPHC runs a program specifically geared to people living with HIV / AIDS who are in recovery known as Safe Harbor. There were 19 individuals enrolled in the Safe Harbor Program on October 8, 2014. The Safe Harbor Program was maintained in a more limited capacity at the Woods Mullen Shelter and then at the Carter Auditorium at 35 Northampton Square while we built new space for the program at 112 Southampton Street. Safe Harbor has two clients who have remained with the program since October 8, 2015. Of the individuals who left the program,

  - 6 received a tenant-based voucher placement
  - 2 received a permanent single room occupancy placement
  - 3 left voluntarily to family
  - 4 left to family for non-compliance
  - 1 left for shelter
  - 1 left for an alternative treatment program

What happened to the domestic violence victims?

- We have no way of tracking these clients as we do not track our clients based on their status as individuals who may have experienced domestic violence.

Describe the lottery system. What happens if you do not make it in the lottery?

- Pine Street Inn has a lottery system; BPHC does not. BPHC assigns beds on a first come first serve basis. The only exception would be clients who are working with a case manager on a pathway towards permanent housing may be assigned a contract or reserved bed.

Is there an emergency shelter clearing house for clients to use in order to find beds?

- No. Shelter staff coordinate among each other on a nightly basis to identify available beds and transport guests to open facilities.

How many clients received permanent housing?

- 59 shelter guests have been placed into permanent housing
- 11 program clients have been placed into permanent housing
- Please note that this does not include all of the clients who have returned to permanent housing with their families or those who have received long-term transitional housing placements.

Docket # 1514

How many programs were there on Long Island?

- Please see the attached PowerPoint slide for details.

Please provide the names and locations of the relocated programs.

- Please see the attached PowerPoint slide for details.

Describe the healthcare for the homeless. Please include the following information: criteria for acceptance for long-term and short-term health conditions; lengths and terms of stay; service provisions to get clients to the next step such as rehabilitation, shelter, transitional housing; after care process; and, process to feed clients into the emergency shelter system.

- Please consult with Boston's Health Care for the Homeless Program for full details regarding the care they offer and how they administer their program. In the shelters, BPHC works closely with BHCHP to provide on-site primary care and nursing services at our shelter clinics. In these ·clinics, shelter guests and program clients can access a wide range of health care services including but not limited to STI/HIV testing; vaccinations; podiatric care; Hepatitis testing, smoking cessation, and screening and treatment for chronic disease,

Are any transitional units or apartments set aside?

- BPHC has a lot of clients who we have helped get housing vouchers and now provide stabilization services to. Most of our units are scattered-site, but we do have approximately 35 units at Northampton Square and .21 units that are available for our clients through the Friends of Boston's Homeless. These units are available to individuals who participate in programs focused on especially vulnerable homeless populations such as the High Users of Emergency Medical Services (HUES) to Home Program and others in need of supportive housing services.

Was there a disaster rapid response re-housing management team focused on homeless clients?

- At the time of the Bridge closure, we had a number of clients (approximately 40) who were close to receiving permanent housing (either in BHA housing or through Section 8).
- We worked to identify those clients and expedite their cases so that they could get into housing as

quickly as possible.

Is there a rapid response team now?

- We continue to work as quickly and efficiently as possible to place all of our clients in appropriate permanent and transitional housing.

Docket # 1515

Are relapses considered part of the recovery process? If so, how are relapses dealt with?

- Chemical dependency is a disease caused by the use of alcohol and/ or drugs, causing changes in a person's body, mind, and behavior. As a result of the disease of chemical dependency, people are unable to control the use of alcohol and/or drugs, despite the negative consequences that they experience when they use.

- Relapse is not an isolated event. Rather, it is a process of becoming unable to cope with life in sobriety. The process may lead to renewed alcohol or drug use, physical or emotional collapse, or suicide. The relapse process is marked by predictable and identifiable warning signs that begin long before a return to use or collapse occurs. Relapse prevention strategies teaches people to recognize and manage these warning signs so that they can interrupt the progression early and return to the process of recovery (SAMHSA. gov).

- Studies of life-long patterns of recovery and relapse indicate that not all patients relapse. Approximately one third achieve pennanent abstinence from their first serious attempt at recovery. Another third have a period of brief relapse episodes but eventually achieve long~term abstinence, An additional one third has chronic relapses that result in eventual death from chemical addiction. These statistics are consistent with the life-long recovery rates of any chronic lifestyle-related illness, About half of all relapse-prone people eventually achieve permanent abstinence. Many others lead healthier, more stable lives despite periodic relapse episodes (SAMHSA.gov).

- ln most treatment programs the event of a relapse does not mean that the client will be discharged from treatment.

- Below is a description of how a client relapse is handled in most recovery homes (steps will vary depending on the treatment modality);

  (a) lf treatment staff suspects or confirm that a client has relapsed, treatment staff convenes to discuss plan of action and intervention approach.

  (b) The clinical team will discuss a plan of options for the client after determining whether the client needs immediate medical attention.

  (c) If it is detennined that a detox is necessary and the client agrees to go to detox, the client's bed will be held for him or her until they complete detoxification.

  (d) Once the client is medically cleared, the client may return to the recovery home.

  (e) A Treatment Plan Review occurs when the client returns to the program, including a review of the circumstances leading to the relapse event and in collaboration with the client a relapse prevention plan is developed and implemented.

How many overdoses have occurred since the closing of the Long Island Bridge and the programs and shelters at Long Island? How many deaths have occurred? How many requests for Narcan?

- Except for the response data collected by Boston EMS, we do not have data on all unintentional overdoses in Boston. We can say that Boston EMS has administered Narcan 1,211 times since 10/8/2014. Opioid related deaths are determined by the Office of the State Medical Examiner, and it generally takes years for us to receive this data.

Was there a disaster rapid response medical detox management team focused on ensuring immediate accessible continuity of detox programming?

- To our knowledge, there was not a disaster rapid response medical detox management team. The detox facility on Long lsland was operated by Bay Cove and licensed and regulated by the Massachusetts Department of Public Health. We would recommend that specific questions regarding program policies and operations be directed to Bay Cove Human Services.

ls there a rapid response team now?

No.

On motion of Councilor YANCEY, Docket No. 1772 was remanded back to the Administration.

CERTAIN INFORMATION UNDER SECTION 17F REGARDING DOCKET NUMBERS 1506, 1507, 1508, 1509, 1510, 1511 AND 1512 PERTAINING TO LIST OF ACTIVE CITY PERSONNEL HIRED, FIRED, PROMOTED AND TERMINATED IN CITY COUNCIL ON SEPTEMBER 16, 2015 (DOCKET NO. 1773)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Law Department

October 30, 2015

Councilor Charles C. Yancey
Boston City Hall
One City Hall Square
Boston, MA 02201

RE: Section 17F Requests concerning City personnel information Dockets #s 1506, 1507, 1508, 1509, 1510, 1511, 1512

Dear Councilor Yancey:

Please accept this letter in response to the September 16, 2015 City Council Order requesting certain personnel infonnation from the City of Boston. Specifically, you have asked for a list of all active employees, hires, promotions and terminations. For each individual employee on the list you seek name, title, department, annual salary, hiring date, gender, race and ethnicity . You have asked for the list as it existed on March 31, 2014, June 2, 2014, September 30,2014, December 31, 2014, March 31,2015, and June 30, 2015. (Dockets #s 1507, 1508, 1509, 1510, 1511, 1512).

As stated in this office's correspondence to you of August 27, 2015, it is my understanding that you have been previously provided with a comprehensive list of all active employees, hires, and separations from employment for 2014. On August 27, 2015, we provided you

with a list of promotions for 2014.

Enclosed please find comprehensive lists of all active employees, position changes (hires, re-hires, and promotions), and separations from employment (including retirement) through June 30, 2015.

This list is inclusive of the dates you requested and includes all relevant data, with the exception of race and ethnicity. This confidential personnel information has been excluded, as its inclusion would violate the privacy rights of the individual employees.

As you are likely aware, race and ethnicity are requested from employees so that the City can comply with the reporting requirements to the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission (EEOC). However, names of individuals are not provided to the EEOC. Rather, the numbers of various racial and ethnic groups, as set forth by the EEOC, in various categories of positions, as set forth by the EEOC, are tracked and reported. The way by which the City tracks these numbers is in a database that includes names; however, as stated above, this database is confidential personnel infonnation.

This comprehensive list, as discussed above, is what the Administration is able to provide in response to your request.

With respect to your request for similar data for Boards and Commissions (Docket # 1506), as the volunteer members of Boards and Commissions are not fonnally hired by the City, the personnel forms that gather this information are not required. Accordingly, the City does not compile and retain such infonnation, though much of that information can be found-on the City Clerk's website.

Sincerely,
Henry Luthin,
First Assatant Corporation Counsel

Enclosures

On motion of Councilor YANCEY, Docket No. 1773 was remanded back to the Administration.

ABSENCE OF THE MAYOR
(DOCKET NO. 1774)

Notice was received from the Mayor of his absence from the City from 6:00 a.m. until 12:55 p.m. Wednesday, October 28, 2015.
Placed on file.

REPORT ON ORDER TO DECLARE SURPLUS CITY-OWNED FORMER PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT PARCEL PROPERTY KNOWN AS WASHBURN STREET, DORCHESTER (711 SQUARE FEET OF VACANT LAND) TO TRANSFER CARE, CUSTODY, MANAGEMENT AND CONTROL OF SAID PROPERTY TO PUBLIC FACILITIES COMMISSION (DOCKET NO. 1659)

Councilor LAMATTINA, on behalf of the Committee on Economic Development and Planning and Labor, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 1659, message of the Mayor and order to declare surplus City-owned former Public Works Department parcel property known as Washburn Street, Dorchester (711 square feet of vacant land) to transfer care, custody, management and control of said property to the Public Facilities Commission (referred October 21) - recommending passage of the order.

The rules were suspended; the order was passed; yeas 13.

REPORT ON ORDER TO DECLARE SURPLUS CITY-OWNED FORMER PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT PARCEL PROPERTY KNOWN AS HOWELL STREET, DORCHESTER (1288 SQUARE FEET OF VACANT LAND) DISTRICT TO TRANSFER CARE, CUSTODY, MANAGEMENT AND CONTROL OF SAID PROPERTY TO PUBLIC FACILITIES COMMISSION (DOCKET NO. 1660)

Councilor LAMATTINA, on behalf of the Committee on Economic Development and Planning and Labor, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 1660, message of the Mayor and order to declare surplus City-owned former Public Works Department parcel property known as Howell Street, Dorchester (1288 square feet of vacant land) District to transfer care, custody, management and control of said property to the Public Facilities Commission (referred October 21) - recommending passage of the order.

The rules were suspended; the order was passed; yeas 13.

ORDINANCE AMENDING CITY OF BOSTON CODE, ORDINANCES, CHAPTER 2, ESTABLISHING MECHANISM TO DETERMINE COMPENSATION OF CITY COUNCILORS (DOCKET NO. 1775)

Councilors O'MALLEY and PRESSLEY offered the following:

NOW THEREFORE,

Be it ordained by the City Council of Boston, as follows:

Section 1.

City of Boston Code, Ordinances, Chapter 2 is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof the following new section after section 2-14:

2.15 Compensation of City Councilors - Area Median Income

Beginning in January of 2018 and every second year thereafter, the compensation of the city councilors shall be increased or decreased at the same rate as increases or decreases in the median household income for the City of Boston for the preceding two year period as ascertained by the Boston Finance Commission. The Boston Finance Commission shall employ industry standards and best practices when determining the median household income for the City of Boston.

Section 2.

The provisions of this ordinance shall take effect upon passage.

Referred to the Committee on Government Operations.

ORDER APPROVING PETITION FOR SPECIAL LAW RE: ACT REGARDING TERMS OF OFFICE FOR CITY COUNCILORS (DOCKET NO. 1776)

Councilor BAKER offered the following:

WHEREAS, Currently, councillors hold office for two municipal years while the mayor holds office for four municipal years; and,

WHEREAS, The City Council serves as the legislative body of the city; and, in that capacity originates ordinances, loan orders, and home rule petitions. The City Council also implements and establishes public policy. In addition to the authority previously referenced, the City Council also approves ordinances, orders, home rule petitions, and other matters sponsored by the Mayor; and,

WHEREAS, Having a municipal election every two years where oftentimes voter turnout is low is burdensome on city resources. Making the term of office for city councillors a four year term will reduce costs in having multiple elections and will allow the city to operate in a more effective and efficient manner.

THEREFORE BE IT ORDERED, That a petition to the General Court, accompanied by a bill for a special law relating to the City of Boston to be filed with an attested copy of this order be, and hereby is, approved under Clause 1 of Section 8 of Article II, as amended, of the Articles of Amendment to the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, to the end that legislation be adopted precisely as follows, except for clerical or editorial changes of form only:

PETITION FOR A SPECIAL LAW RE:
AN ACT REGARDING THE TERMS OF OFFICE FOR CITY COUNCILLORS

Section 1. Chapter 376 of the Acts of 1951 shall be amended in Section 1.14 by striking the second sentence and inserting in place thereof the following sentence:

Each councilor shall hold office for the four years following the municipal year in which he is elected.

Section 2. The provisions of this act shan take effect upon its passage.

Section 3. If any of the above sections are determined to not be constitutional under the law, the remainder of the provisions shall remain valid.

Referred to the Committee on Government Operations.

ORDER APPROVING PETITION FOR SPECIAL LAW RE: ACT CONCERNING VACANCY IN OFFICE OF CITY COUNCILOR-AT-LARGE (DOCKET NO. 1777)

Councilor BAKER offered the following:

ORDERED: That a petition to the General Court, accompanied by a bill for a special law relating to the City of Boston to be filed with an attested copy of this order be, and hereby is, approved under Clause 1 of Section 8 of Article II, as amended, of the Articles of Amendment to the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, to the end that legislation be adopted precisely as follows, except for clerical or editorial changes of fonn only:

PETITION FOR A SPECIAL LAW RE:
AN ACT CONCERNING A VACANCY IN THE OFFICE OF CITY COUNCILLOR-AT-LARGE

Section 1. Section 15 of chapter 452 of the acts of 1948 as most recently amended by section two of chapter 476 of the Acts of 2004, is hereby further amended by striking Section 15 in its entirety and inserting in place thereof the following:-

If a vacancy occurs in the office of city councillor-at-large after three hundred and sixty-five days, there shall be a preliminary election for the purpose of nominating a councillor-at-large. The City Clerk shall forthwith notify the city council thereof; and at the first city council meeting after the notice has been read, the city council shall forthwith adopt an order calling for a special preliminary election for the purpose of nominating a councillor-at-large for the unexpired term, which election shall be held on a Tuesday, not less than sixty-two nor more than seventy-six days after the adoption of such order, as the city council shall in such order fix.

Section 2. The provisions of this act shall take effect upon its passage.

Section 3. If any ofthe above sections are detennined to not be constitutional under the law, the remainder of the provisions shall remain valid.

Referred to the Committee on Government Operations.

ORDER APPROVING PETITION SPECIAL LAW RE: ACT RELATIVE TO ELECTION PROCEDURES IN CITY OF BOSTON (DOCKET NO. 1778)

Councilor BAKER offered the following:

ORDERED: That a petition to the General Court, accompanied by a bill for a special law relating to the City of Boston to be filed with an attested copy of this order be, and hereby is, approved under Clause 1 of Section 8 of Article II, as amended, of the Articles of Amendment to the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, to the end that legislation be adopted precisely as follows, except for clerical or editorial changes of form only:

PETITION FOR A SPECIAL LAW RE:
AN ACT RELATIVE TO ELECTION PROCEDURES IN THE CITY OF BOSTON

Section 1. Section 54 of chapter 452 of the acts of 1948 as most recently amended by section 2.54 of chapter 376 of the acts of 1951, is hereby amended by adding the following: Notwithstanding the foregoing provisions, any individual duly qualified to be a candidate for an elective office shall not be a candidate for nomination for two such elective offices at the same municipal election.

Section 2. The provisions of this act shall take effect upon its passage.

Section 3. If any of the above sections are determined to not be constitutional under the law, the remainder of the provisions shall remain valid.

Referred to the Committee on Government Operations.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEE (DOCKET NO. 1779)

Councilor LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, November 14, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, December 11, 2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:
John Henry Cohen, Secretary, $1,923.08, full time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

STATEMENT OF PRESIDENT LINEHAN

President LINEHAN wanted to congratulate the reelected Councilors in their battle for their seats. He wanted especially to remark on the dedication and longevity of two Councilors who fought hard but did not make the cut and said he would save speeches for December but wanted to note between the two Councilors there was fifty years of devotion to the constituents of the City of Boston.

CONSENT AGENDA

The Chair moved adoption of a Consent Agenda in which the following-named Councilors offered resolutions of a condolence or congratulatory nature as set forth after each Councilor's name:

Councilor Pressley: Congratulating Charles River Women's Rugby Football Club (Docket No. 1780) Recognizing 9 people on being breast cancer Survivors (Docket No. 1781)
Councilor LaMattina and O'Malley: In memory of Susan Pickman Sargent (Docket No. 1782)
Councilor Ciommo: In memory of John D. Bennett (Docket No. 1783)
Councilor LaMattina: Recognizing Hilton Garden Inn (Docket No. 1784) In memory of Sandra Lee Ciecia (Docket No. 1785) Recognizing Ed Coletta Jr (Docket No. 1786) In memory of Phyllis Fougere (Docket No. 1787)
Councilor Jackson: Recognizing Derek Lumpkins (Docket No. 1788)
Councilor O'Malley: In memory of James Clasby (Docket No. 1789) In memory of Edward J. Johns (Docket No. 1790)

The chair stated that in absence of Objection,two late-me matters would be added to the Consent Agenda. No objection being heard, the following matters were added:

Councilor LaMattina: In memory of Mary Catino (Docket No. 1791) In memory of Larry Headly (Docket No. 1792)

The matters contained within the Consent Agenda were severally adopted.

Adjourned at 12:48 p.m. on motion of President LINEHAN, in memory of John J. Bennett, Mary Catino, Giovanna Colarossi, James Clasby and Edward Johns, to meet again on Wednesday, November 18, 2015 12:00 p.m.

Note: All debate of City Council eliminated from proceedings in accordance with Chapter 447, Acts of 1947.

CITY OF BOSTON

Proceedings of the Boston City Council

Wednesday, November 18, 2015

Regular meeting of the City Council held in the Christopher A. Iannella Chamber, City Hall, at 12:10 p.m. President Linehan in the Chair. Absent, Councilor Baker.

INVOCATION

Father Jack Fagan, Jesuits of Maine, delivered the invocation, and the meeting was opened with the pledge of allegiance to the flag.

STATEMENT OF PRESIDENT LINEHAN

President LINEHAN moved to adopt the minutes from the November 4, 2015 meeting. **Motion prevailed.**

ORDER AUTHORIZING MAYOR'S OFFICE OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND GRANT OF $14,400,000 FROM U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY'S (DHS), URBAN AREA SECURITY INITIATIVE (UASI) GRANT FFY2015, ADDRESS UNIQUE PLANNING, TRAINING, EXERCISE, EQUIPMENT AND OPERATIONAL NEEDS OF LARGE URBAN AREAS AND ASSIST THEM IN BUILDING ENHANCED AND SUSTAINABLE CAPACITY TO PREVENT, RESPOND TO AND RECOVER FROM THREATS OR ACTS OF TERRORISM, INCLUDING CHEMICAL, BIOLOGICAL, RADIOLOGICAL, NUCLEAR AND EXPLOSIVE (CBRNE) INCIDENTS (DOCKET NO. 1793)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

November 13, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I hereby transmit for your approval an Order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend an award in the amount of $14,400,000.00 in the form of United States Department of Homeland Security (DHS), Urban Area Security Initiative (UASI) Grant FFY2015 Award, passed through the Commonwealth of Massachusetts' Executive Office of Public Safety and Security (EOPSS) to the City of Boston and to be administered by the Mayor's Office of Emergency Management. The program serves to address the unique planning, training, exercise, equipment and operational needs of large urban areas, and to assist them in building an enhanced and sustainable capacity to prevent, respond to and recover from threats or acts of terrorism, induding chemical, biological, radiological, nuclear and explosive (CBRNE) incidents.

I urge your Honorable Body to adopt this Order as soon as possible so that the City of Boston may accept the funds expeditiously and expend them for the purposes for which these funds were granted.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND THE CITY OF BOSTON'S FFY2015 URBAN AREAS SECURITY INITIATIVE GRANT PROGRAM FUNDS AWARDED BY THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY AND THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF PUBLIC SAFETY AND SECURITY.

WHEREAS, The funds in the amount of $14,400,000.00 will be utilized by the City of Boston and the recognized Boston Urban Area to support unique planning, exercise, training and operational needs, to assist in building an enhanced and sustainable capacity to prevent, respond to and recover from threats or acts of terrorism, including chemical, biological, radiological, nuclear and explosive (CBRNE) incidents.

ORDERED: That the Mayor, acting on behalf of the City of Boston be, and hereby is authorized, to accept and expend the United States Department of Homeland Security and the Commonwealth of Massachusetts UASI award not to exceed the amount of $14,400,000.00.

Referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

ORDER AUTHORIZING MAYOR'S OFFICE OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND GRANT OF $139,950 FROM U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY'S (DHS), EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT PERFORMANCE GRANT (EMPG) FFY2013 AND FFY2014, TO PROVIDE RESOURCES TO ASSIST LOCAL GOVERNMENTS TO SUSTAIN AND ENHANCE ALL HAZARDS EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT CAPABILITIES (DOCKET NO. 1794)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

November 13, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I hereby transmit for your approval an Order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend an award in the amount of $139,950 in the form of United States Department of Homeland Security (DHS), Emergency Management Performance Grant (EMPG) FFY2013 and FFY2014 Awards, passed through the Commonwealth of Massachusetts' Executive Office of Public Safety and Security (EOPSS) to the City of Boston and to be administered by the Mayor's Office of Emergency Management. The program's mission is to provide resources to assist local governments to sustain and enhance all-hazards emergency management capabilities.

I urge your Honorable Body to adopt this order as soon as possible so that the City of Boston may accept the. funds expeditiously and expend them for the purposes for which these funds were granted.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND THE FFY2013 and FFY2014 EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT PERFORMANCE GRANT A WARDED BY THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY AND THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF PUBLIC SAFETY AND SECURITY.

WHEREAS: The funds in the amount of one hundred thirty-nine thousand nine hundred fifty dollars ($139,950.00) will enhance the capabilities of the Mayor's Office of Emergency Management to respond to an emergency in the field, therefore be it

ORDERED: That the Mayor, acting on behalf of the City of Boston be, and hereby is, authorized pursuant to Section 53A of chapter 44 of the General Laws to accept and expend the United States Department of Homeland Security and Commonwealth of Massachusetts's FFY2013 and FFY2014 Emergency Management Performance Grant award not to exceed $139,950.00.

Referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

ORDER AUTHORIZING MAYOR'S OFFICE OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND GRANT OF $69,975 FROM U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY'S (DHS), EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT PERFORMANCE GRANT (EMPG) FFY2015, TO PROVIDE RESOURCES TO ASSIST LOCAL GOVERNMENTS TO SUSTAIN AND ENHANCE ALL HAZARDS EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT CAPABILITIES (DOCKET NO. 1795)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

November 13, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I hereby transmit for your approval an Order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend an award in the amount of $69,975 in the form of United States Department of Homeland Security (DHS), Emergency Management Performance Grant (EMPG) FFY2015 Award, passed through the Commonwealth of Massachusetts' Executive Office of Public Safety and Security (EOPSS) to the City of Boston and to be administered by the Mayor's Office of Emergency Management. The program's mission is to provide resources to assist local governments to sustain and enhance all-hazards emergency management capabilities.

I urge your Honorable Body to adopt this order as soon as possible so that the City of Boston may accept the funds expeditiously and expend them for the purposes for which these funds were granted.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND THE FFY2015 EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT PERFORMANCE GRANT AWARDED BY THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY AND THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF PUBLIC SAFETY AND SECURITY.

WHEREAS: The funds in the amount of sixty-nine thousand nine hundred and seventy-five dollars ($69,975.00) will enhance the capabilities of the Mayor's Office of Emergency Management to respond to an emergency in the field, therefore be it

ORDERED: That the Mayor, acting on behalf of the City of Boston be, and hereby is, authorized to accept and expend the United States Department of Homeland Security and Commonwealth of Massachusetts's FFY2015 Emergency Management Performance Grant award not to exceed $69,975.

Referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

ORDER AUTHORIZING CITY TO ADOPT A PROPERTY TAX EXEMPTION FOR MEMBERS OF NATIONAL GUARD AND RESERVISTS WHO ARE SERVING IN FOREIGN COUNTRIES, PURSUANT TO MASSACHUSETTS GENERAL LAWS CHAPTER 59, SECTION 5 (56), CITY OF BOSTON SHALL OFFER PROPERTY TAX EXEMPTION OF UP TO 100% FOR ACTIVE MEMBERS OF NATIONAL GUARD AND RESERVISTS FOR FISCAL YEAR 2016 (DOCKET NO. 1796)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

November 13, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I hereby transmit for your approval an Order authorizing the City of Boston to extend the property tax exemption for members of the National Guard and reservists who are serving in foreign countries for a period of two (2) years beginning in Fiscal Year 2016. By law, the National Guard exemption must be extended by a vote of the City Council every two (2) years. The City initially adopted the exemption in Fiscal Year 2012 and renewed the program in Fiscal Year 2014. Prior to initial adoption. property tax relief programs were available to active military members and veterans, but these benefits did not extend to members of the National Guard.

I urge your Honorable Body to adopt this order as soon as possible so that the City of Boston may continue to offer this important tax exemption program to members of the National Guard and reservists.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

AN ORDER RELATIVE TO THE EXTENSION OF A NATIONAL GUARD PROPERTY TAX EXEMPTION IN THE CITY OF BOSTON IN FY 2011.

Whereas, In Fiscal Year 2012, the City of Boston first adopted Massachusetts General Laws Chapter 59, section 5(56). a local option program that offered National Guardsmen and reservists who are on active duty serving in foreign countries a tax exemption up to 100% on real and personal property; and

Whereas, previously, the City had property tax relief programs for active military members and veterans, but these programs did not extend to members of the National Guard; and

Whereas, by law, the program expires two (2) years after adoption unless extended by City Council vote; and

Whereas, the exemption cannot be continued in Fiscal Year 2016 if the City Council does not vote to extend the program.

Whereas, the National Guard has a rich history in Boston, with the first unit of the then named "Massachusetts Bay Colonial Militia" organized in 1630; be it therefore

ORDERED: That pursuant to the General Laws, Chapter 59, section 5(56), the City of Boston shall extend the property tax exemption of up to 100% for active members of the National Guard or reservists serving in foreign countries for an additional period of two (2) years beginning in Fiscal Year 2016.

Referred to the Committee on Government Operations.

COMMUNICATION FROM MASSPORT RE: BOSTON-LOGAN INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT TERMINAL E MODERNIZATION PROJECT FOR PUBLIC REVIEW (DOCKET NO. 1797)

Communication was received from MassPort re: Boston-Logan International Airport Terminal E Modernization Project for public review.

Placed on file.

COMMUNICATION FROM COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS RE: PETITION OF NSTAR GAS COMPANY D/B/A EVERSOURCE ENERGY PURSUANT TO G.L.C. 25, SEC 21, FOR APPROVAL BY DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC UTILITIES OF ITS THREE-YEAR ENERGY EFFICIENCY PLAN FOR 2016 THROUGH 2018 (DOCKET NO. 1798)

Communication was received from The Commonwealth of Massachusetts, re: Petition of NSTAR Gas Company d/b/a Eversource Energy pursuant to G.L.c. 25, Sec 21, for approval by the Department of Public Utilities of its Three-Year Energy Efficiency Plan for 2016 through 2018.

Placed on file.

COMMUNICATION FROM COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS RE: PETITION OF NSTAR ELECTRIC COMPANY AND WESTERN MASSACHUSETTS ELECTRIC COMPANY D/B/A EVERSOURCE ENERGY PURSUANT TO G.L.C. 25, SEC 21, FOR APPROVAL BY DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC UTILITIES OF ITS THREE-YEAR ENERGY EFFICIENCY PLAN FOR 2016 THROUGH 2018 (DOCKET NO. 1799)

Communication was received from The Commonwealth of Massachusetts, re: Petition of NSTAR Electric Company and Western Massachusetts Electric Company d/b/a Eversource Energy pursuant to G.L.c. 25, Sec 21, for approval by the Department of Public Utilities of its Three-Year Energy Efficiency Plan for 2016 through 2018 (DOCKET NO. 1796)

Placed on file.

NOTICE RECEIVED FROM CITY CLERK IN ACCORDANCE WITH CHAPTER 6 OF ORDINANCES OF 1979 RE: ACTIONS TAKEN BY MAYOR ON PAPERS ACTED UPON BY CITY COUNCIL AT ITS OCTOBER 21, 2015 MEETING (DOCKET NO. 1800)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the City Clerk

October 16, 2015

To the City Council.
Councilors:

In accordance with Chapter 6 of the Ordinances of 1979, I hereby notify you Of the following actions taken by the Mayor with regard to the papers acted upon by the City Council at its meeting of October 21,2015 viz.

1406 Order authorizing the Transportation Department to accept and expend a grant not to exceed of Six Hundred Sixty-Six Thousand Seventy Four Dollars ($666,074.00), from the Federal Highway Administration, passed through the Massachusetts Department of Transportation (Mass DOT), to be used to fund eighty percent (80%) of th~ design and engineering services cost for traffic management improvements at fifteen (15) intersections in the area of Blue Hill Avenue and Warren Street.
Approved by the Mayor October 26, 2015

1657 Order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend funds totaling One Hundred Eighty Thousand Dollars ($180,000.00) received from individuals, organizations, and local and private businesses for the purpose of funding the Immigrant Integration and Empowerment Initiative, the New American Library Corners Initiative, Immigration Advice Clinics, and the English for New Bostonian's Initiative.
Approved by the Mayor October 26, 2015

1658 Order authorizing the Police Commissioner to accept and expend a grant in the amount of Fifty-Three Thousand Seven Hundred Thirty Dollars ($53,730.00) from the Office of Violence Against Women via the MA Executive Office of Public Safety and Security. This FY15 VAWA STOP Grant award is made for the purpose of continuing to fund a Civilian Domestic Violence (DV) Advocate who is responsible for serving victims in the areas of East Boston and Jamaica Plain.
Approved by the Mayor October 26, 2015

Respectfully,
Maureen Feeney,
City Clerk.

Placed on file.

NOTICE RECEIVED FROM CITY CLERK IN ACCORDANCE WITH CHAPTER 6 OF ORDINANCES OF 1979 RE: ACTIONS TAKEN BY MAYOR ON PAPERS ACTED UPON BY CITY COUNCIL AT ITS OCTOBER 28, 2015 MEETING (DOCKET NO. 1801)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the City Clerk

October 16, 2015

To the City Council.
Councilors:

In accordance with Chapter 6 of the Ordinances of 1979, I hereby notify you Of the following actions taken by the Mayor with regard to the papers acted upon by the City Council at its meeting of October 28, 2015 viz.

1414 Ordinance amending City of Boston Code of Ordinances Chapter 2-8.1, Salary of City Councilors, and City of Boston Code of Ordinances 2 - 7 .11, Salary of the Mayor;
Approved by the Mayor November 2, 2015

1415 Ordinance to ban the possession, sale or display of any toy or imitation firearm that substantially duplicates or can reasonably be perceived to be an actual firearm, from public spaces in the City of Boston.
Approved by the Mayor November 9, 2015

1552 Order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend One Hundred Sixty-Nine Thousand Fifty-Six Dollars ($169,056.00) for the FY15 U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) Fair Housing Assistance Program Grant awarded to the Boston Fair Housing Commission to support the training, administrative and FY15 investigatory work of the Fair Housing Assistance Partnership Agreement.

Approved by the Mayor November 2, 2015

Respectfully,
Maureen Feeney,
City Clerk.

Placed on file.

COMMUNICATION FROM CITY CLERK OF FILING OF AMENDED AND RESTATED CONTRACT BETWEEN CITY OF BOSTON AND BOSTON RESTORATION HOUSING CORPORATION PURSUANT TO CHAPTER 121A, SECTION 6A OF MASSACHUSETTS GENERAL LAW (DOCKET NO. 1802)

Communication was received from the City Clerk of the filing of the Amended and Restated Contract between the City of Boston and the Boston Restoration Housing Corporation pursuant to Chapter 121A, Section 6A of The Massachusetts General Law.

Placed on file.

REPORT ON ORDER AUTHORIZING FIRE COMMISSIONER TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND GRANT OF $1,750,000 FROM COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF PUBLIC SAFETY AND SECURITY, DEPARTMENT OF FIRE SERVICES, FOR BOSTON FIRE DEPARTMENT TRAINING DIVISION (DOCKET NO. 1590)

Councilor MURPHY, on behalf of the Committee on Public Safety, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 1590, message of the Mayor and order authorizing the Fire Commissioner to accept and expend a grant of One Million Seven Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars ($1,750,000.00) from the Commonwealth of Massachusetts Executive Office of Public Safety and Security, Department of Fire Services, for the Boston Fire Department Training Division, (referred September 30) - recommending passage of the order.

The report was accepted; the order was passed.

REPORT ON ORDER AUTHORIZING POLICE COMMISSIONER TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND GRANT OF $252,062 FROM OFFICE OF JUVENILE JUSTICE DELINQUENCY PREVENTION (OJJDP) USED TO SUPPORT DEVELOPMENT OF ENHANCEMENT OF YOUTH VIOLENCE PREVENTION PLAN (DOCKET NO. 1591)

Councilor MURPHY, on behalf of the Committee on Public Safety, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 1591, message of the Mayor and order authorizing the Police Commissioner to accept and expend a grant of Two Hundred Fifty Two Thousand Sixty-Two Dollars ($252,062.00) from the Office of Juvenile Justice Delinquency Prevention (OJJDP) used to support the development of enhancement of Youth Violence Prevention Plan (referred September 30) - recommending passage of the order.

The report was accepted; the order was passed.

REPORT ON ORDER AUTHORIZING FIRE COMMISSIONER TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND GRANT OF $237,500 FROM COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS, EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF PUBLIC SAFETY AND SECURITY, DEPARTMENT OF FIRE SERVICES FOR BOSTON FIRE DEPARTMENT HAZMAT DIVISION. THIS AWARD IS MADE FOR SOLE PURPOSE OF SUPPLEMENTING CITY APPROPRIATIONS TO MAINTAIN HAZMAT MATERIAL RESPONSE TEAM OPERATIONS (DOCKET NO. 1592)

Councilor MURPHY, on behalf of the Committee on Public Safety, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 1592, message of the Mayor and order authorizing the Fire Commissioner to accept and expend a grant of Two Hundred Thirty Seven Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (237,500.00) from the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Executive Office of Public Safety and Security, Department of Fire Services for the Boston Fire Department Hazmat Division. This award is made for the sole purpose of supplementing the City appropriations to maintain hazmat material response team operations (referred September 30) - recommending passage of the order.

The report was accepted; the order was passed.

REPORT ON AUTHORIZING POLICE COMMISSIONER TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND SUPPLEMENTAL FUNDING OF $70,000.12 FOR FY-11AND FY14 COMMUNITY-BASED VIOLENCE PREVENTION DEMONSTRATION PROJECT GRANT FROM OFFICE OF JUVENILE JUSTICE AND DELINQUENCY PREVENTION (OJJDP) WHICH WILL BE USED TO IMPLEMENT EVIDENCE BASED STRATEGIES THAT WILL POSITIVELY IMPACT VIOLENT CRIME TRENDS (DOCKET NO. 1593)

Councilor MURPHY, on behalf of the Committee on Public Safety, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 1593, message of the Mayor and order authorizing the Police Commissioner to accept and expend supplemental funding of Seventy Thousand Dollars and Twelve Cents ($70,000.12) for the FY11 and FY14 Community-based Violence Prevention Demonstration Project grant, from the Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention (OnDP) which will be used to implement evidence based strategies that will positively impact violent crime trends (referred September 30) - recommending passage of the order.

The report was accepted; the order was passed.

REPORT ON ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 16 OF CITY OF BOSTON CODE, ORDINANCES, REGULATION OF ADVERTISING (DOCKET NO. 1553)

Councilor FLAHERTY, on behalf of the Committee on Government Operations, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 1553, ordinance amending Chapter 16 of the City of Boston Code, ordinances, Regulation of Advertising (referred September 23) - recommending passage of the order.

Councilor ZAKIM offered the following Amendment:

CBC Chapter XVI, Section 12.3, Subsection b. shall be amended by adding the following Part:

(x) The sign is not within twenty (20) feet of any other sign permitted under this Subsection.

The amendment failed on passage.

The report was accepted; the ordinance was passed in a new draft; yeas 11, nay 1 (Zakim) absent 1 (Baker).

REPORT ON ORDER AUTHORIZING DEPARTMENT OF NEIGHBORHOOD DEVELOPMENT, TO APPLY FOR, ACCEPT AND EXPEND UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY (EPA) FOR BROWNFIELD CLEANUP GRANT FUNDING NOT TO EXCEED $400,000 (DOCKET NO. 1772)

Councilor LAMATTINA, on behalf of the Committee on Economic Development and Planning and Labor, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 1772, message of the Mayor and order authorizing the Department of Neighborhood Development, to apply for, accept and expend United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) for Brownfield Cleanup Grant funding not to exceed Four Hundred Thousand Dollars ($400,000.00) (referred October 28) - recommending passage of the order.

The report was accepted; the order was passed.

REPORT ON ORDER AUTHORIZING CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND GRANT NOT TO EXCEED $450,000 FROM EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS FOR PURPOSE OF FUNDING INTERNSHIP PROGRAMS FOR CITY OF BOSTON (DOCKET NO. 1721)

Councilor JACKSON, on behalf of the Committee on Education, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 1721, message of the Mayor and order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend a grant not to exceed Four Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars ($450,000.00) from educational institutions for the purpose of funding internship programs for the City of Boston (referred October 28) - recommending passage of the order.

The report was accepted; the order was passed.

ORDER PURSUANT TO CHAPTER 40, SECTION 56, RESIDENTIAL FACTOR IN CITY OF BOSTON FOR FY2016 SHALL BE MINIMUM RESIDENTIAL FACTOR AS DETERMINED BY COMMISSIONER OF REVENUE PURSUANT TO M. G. L., CHAPTER 58, SECTION 1A, AND BE IT FURTHER THAT PURSUANT TO CHAPTER 403 OF ACTS OF 2000, RESIDENTIAL EXEMPTION IN AMOUNT OF VALUE EQUAL TO THIRTY PERCENT (30%) OF AVERAGE ASSESSED VALUE OF ALL CLASS ONE-RESIDENTIAL PARCELS IN CITY OF BOSTON BE, AND HEREBY IS APPROVED FOR FISCAL YEAR 2016 (DOCKET NO. 1803)

Councilor LINEHAN offered the following:

Whereas, the residents of Boston led the successful effort to amend our state Constitution to allow Classification for the purpose of taxation; and

Whereas, Boston was again at the forefront of the Legislature's enactment of Chapter 169 of the Acts of 2007, providing further relief to residential taxpayers; and

Whereas, since adoption of the Constitutional Amendment, this Council has established a policy of utilizing Classification to tax residential properties at the lowest level permitted by state statute; and

Whereas, the Legislature enacted Chapter 403 of the Acts of 2000, the City's home rule petition to increase the residential exemption to a maximum of thirty (30%) of the average assessed value of all Class One-Residential parcels in the City of Boston; and

Whereas, the Classification policy, and the Council's annual action to declare a residential exemption in the greatest amount permitted by the General Laws has resulted in substantial protection and substantial savings for both homeowners and tenants from the effects of -revaluation; and

Whereas, action in this regard for Fiscal Year 2016 must be taken prior to certification of the tax rate by the Department of Revenue; be it therefore

ORDERED: That pursuant to the General Laws, Chapter 40, section 56, the residential factor in the City of Boston for Fiscal Year 2016 shall be the minimum residential factor as determined by the Commissioner of Revenue pursuant to Massachusetts General Laws, Chapter 58, Section IA and; be it further

ORDERED: That pursuant to Chapter 403 of the Acts of 2000, a residential exemption in the amount of value equal to thirty percent (30%) of the average assessed value of all Class One-Residential parcels in the City of Boston be, and hereby is, approved for Fiscal Year 2016.

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES (DOCKET NO. 1804)

President LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, November 14, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, December 11, 2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Samuel Miller, Secretary, $1,232.00, full time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES (DOCKET NO. 1805)

President LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, November 21, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, November 27, 2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Addison Koelle, Secretary, $1,882.16, full time
Berdadette Lally, Administrative Asst., $2,074.46, part time
Kathryn Vicino, Administrative Asst., $1,651.39, full time
Robert E. Powers, Secretary, $2,516.77, full time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES (DOCKET NO. 1806)

President LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, November 28, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, January 1, 2016:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Addison Koelle, Secretary, $1616.40, full time
Berdadette Lally, Administrative Asst., $2,000.00, part time
Kathryn Vicino, Administrative Asst., $1,153.86, full time
Robert E. Powers, Secretary, $2,888.62, full time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES
(DOCKET NO. 1807)

President LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, November 28, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, December 11, 2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Clancy Main, Secretary, $1,730.78, full time
Deborah O'Leary, Secretary, $1,826.94, full time
Daniel Polanco, Secretary, $1,461.54, full time
Joseph T. Walsh, Secretary, $1,576.94, full time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES
(DOCKET NO. 1808)

President LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, November 21, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, November 27, 2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Clancy Main, Secretary, $3,865.39, full time
Deborah O'Leary, Secretary, $3,913.47, full time
Daniel Polanco, Secretary, $1,730.77, full time
Joseph T. Walsh, Secretary, $3,788.47, full time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

LATE-FILED MATTERS

The Chair stated that in absence of objection, one late-filed matter would be added to the Agenda.
No objection being heard, the following matter was added:

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES
(DOCKET NO. 1844)

President LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, November 14, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, December 11, 2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:
John F. Kelly III, Secretary, $1,600.00, part time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

STATEMENT BY COUNCILOR ZAKIM

Having unanimous consent to do so, Councilor ZAKIM wanted to make a statement in support of bringing Syrian refugees to the City.

STATEMENT BY COUNCILOR JACKSON

Having unanimous consent to do so, Councilor JACKSON wanted to make a statement in support of bringing Syrian refugees to the City.

Councilor JACKSON also wanted to invite people to the Reggie Center this Sunday to give away Thanksgiving dinners to 4000 people who aren't able to afford it.

STATEMENT BY COUNCILOR MCCARTHY

Having unanimous consent to do so, Councilor MCCARTHY wanted to announce a long-awaited meeting with the FAA on December 3rd at 7 p.m. at Milton High and invited all the Councilors to attend for questioning the FAA.

STATEMENT BY COUNCILOR YANCEY

Having unanimous consent to do so, Councilor YANCEY wanted to reiterate the sentiments of those speaking on behalf of the Syrian refugees.

STATEMENT BY COUNCILOR O'MALLEY

Having unanimous consent to do so, Councilor O'MALLEY wanted to commend Councilor ZAKIM for his thoughtful words regarding the refugees.

Councilor O'MALLEY also wanted to follow-up on the past meetings regarding gas leaks and the bills he supports prohibiting utility companies from overcharging customers.

CONSENT AGENDA

The Chair moved adoption of Consent Agenda in which the following named Councilors offered resolutions of a condolence or congratulatory after each Councilor's name:

Councilor Ciommo:In memory of Yolanda M. Pettiglio (Docket No. 1809) In memory of Fredrick William Quebec (Docket No. 1810)
Councilor Jackson: Recognizing 6 people for completing Haley House's Transitional Employment Program(Docket No. 1811)
Councilor Zakim: Recognizing Kaji Aso Studio (Docket No 1812)
Councilor LaMattina: Recognizing eight people from The North End Waterfront Neighborhood Council (Docket No. 1813) Recognizing Toto La Momposina (Docket No. 1814) In memory of Giovanna Colarossi (Docket No. 1815)Recognizing Felix Bezeredy (Docket No. 1816)
Councilor Pressley: In memory of Charles Mercer (Docket No. 1817) Recognizing Ms. Karen Burns White (Docket No. 1818)
Councilor Flaherty: In memory of Ann Louise Perella (Docket No. 1819)
Councilor Baker: Recognizing the work of Ray of Hope Children Services, Inc (Docket No. 1820)
Councilors Linehan, Flaherty and Baker: In memory of Dorothy "Dotsy" Downey (Docket No. 1821)
Councilor McCarthy: Congratulating Mari Adams (Docket No. 1822)
Councilor O'Malley: Congratulating Maura Twomey (Docket No. 1823) Recognizing Noel Daly (Docket No. 1824) Recognizing Steve Slyne (Docket No. 1825) In memory of Paul J. Burns (Docket No. 1826)
Councilor Jackson: Recognizing Project Right (Docket No. 1827) Recognizing Boston Neighborhood Network (Docket No. 1828)
Councilor Ciommo: Congratulating the Boston Scholar Athletes (Docket No. 1829)
Councilor Pressley: Recognizing Centro Cultural Cubano (Docket No. 1830) Recognizing Organizacion Maximo Gomez (Docket No. 1831) Recognizing Fundoarcu & Benilejos Unidos (Docket No. 1832) Recognizing Carolyn Barnes (Docket No. 1833) Recognizing Susan Curry (Docket No. 1834)
Councilor Yancey offered the following: Resolution congratulating 9 people on the Hidden Heroes and

Sherocs award. (Docket No. 1835) Resolution congratulating 7 people on the GBOS Image Award. (Docket No. 1836) Resolution congratulating Charity Cochran-Murphy (Docket No. 1837) Resolution congratulating three members of the Lily Of The Valley Baptist Church (Docket No. 1838) Resolution congratulating George Magazine (Docket No. 1839) Resolution recognizing Turkish Republic Day. (Docket No. 1840)

Councilors Murphy and McCarthy offered the following: Resolution congratulating Louie Giannangelo. (Docket No. 1841)

Councilor LaMattina offered the following: Resolution recognizing Mohammed Murad. (Docket No. 1842) Resolution recognizing the Toastmasters International Conference. (Docket No. 1843)

The Chair stated that in absence of objection, one late-filed matter would be added to the consent agenda.

No objection being heard, the following matter was added:

Councilor Yancey: In memory of Eleanor Yancey-Fuller (Docket No 1845)

The matters combined within the Consent Agenda were severally adopted.

NEXT MEETING

Adjourned at 1:05 p.m. on motion of President Linehan and in memory of those who died in the deadly Paris attacks by terrorists, Dorothy "Dotsy" Downey, Peggy Miller, Andrew Quintiliani, Stefano Lococo, Maureen Lyons, Val Piazza, Yolanda M. Pettiglio, Frederick William Quebec, Margaret F. "Peg" Daley, Paul J. Burns, Anne Louise Perella and Catherine Gately, to meet again on Wednesday, December 2, 2015 at 12:00 p.m.

Note: All debate of City Council eliminated from proceedings in accordance with Chapter 447, Acts of 1947.

CITY OF BOSTON

Proceedings of the Boston City Council

Wednesday, December 2, 2015

Regular meeting of the City Council held in the Christopher A. Iannella Chamber, City Hall, at 12:10 p.m. President Linehan in the Chair.

INVOCATION

Reverend Mary Margaret Earl, The Unitarian Universalist Urban Ministry, delivered the invocation, and the meeting was opened with the pledge of allegiance to the flag.

STATEMENT OF PRESIDENT LINEHAN

President LINEHAN moved to adopt the minutes from the November 18, 2015 meeting. **Motion prevailed.**

ORDER AUTHORIZING CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND DONATIONS TO HELP SUPPORT CANSHARE 2015 IN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED $150,000 TO PROVIDE ACCESS TO FRESH FOOD IN CITY, SUCH AS BOSTON BOUNTY BUCKS PROGRAM, WHICH ENABLES SUPPLEMENTAL NUTRITION ASSISTANCE PROGRAM (SNAP) TO DOUBLE THEIR BUYING POWER AT BOSTON FARMERS MARKETS AND GREATLY INCREASE ACCESS TO FRESH, HEALTHY FOOD (DOCKET NO. 1846)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

November 18, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I hereby transmit for your approval an Order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend funds totaling up to $150,000 from the Boston CANshare Campaign. These donations will help fund programs that provide access to fresh food in the City such as the Boston Bounty Bucks Program, which enables SNAP beneficiaries to double their buying power at Boston Farmers Markets and greatly increases access to fresh, healthy food.

I urge your Honorable Body to adopt this Order as soon as possible so that the City of Boston may accept the funds expeditiously and expend them for the purposes for which they were granted.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND FUNDS FROM CONTRIBUTIONS RECEIVED FROM THE BOSTON CANSHARE CAMPAIGN.

ORDERED: That the Mayor, acting on behalf of the City of Boston be, and hereby is authorized, pursuant to section 53A of chapter 44 ofthe Massachusetts General Laws, to accept and expend funds totaling up to One Hundred and Fifty Thousand Dollars ($150,000) from individuals, organizations, and local and private businesses to help support CANShare 2015. These donations will help fund programs that provide access to fresh food in the City such as the Boston Bounty Buck Program, which enables SNAP beneficiaries to double their buying power at Boston Farmers Markets and greatly increases access to fresh, healthy food.

Referred to the Committee on Healthy Women, Families and Communities .

ORDER AUTHORIZING CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND GRANT OF ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND $100,000 FROM CITI COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT FOR PURPOSE OF FUNDING NEW AMERICANS LIBRARY CORNER INITIATIVE, TO PROVIDE CITIZENSHIP INFORMATION, FINANCIAL EMPOWERMENT, AND LEGAL ASSISTANCE INFORMATION, AND OTHER CRUCIAL PROGRAMS THAT ENABLE NEW BOSTONIANS TO PLAY ACTIVE ROLE IN ECONOMIC, CIVIC, SOCIAL AND CULTURAL LIFE OF CITY OFBOSTON (DOCKET NO. 1847)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

November 27, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I hereby transmit for your approval an Order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend funds totaling $100,000 from Citi Community Development for the purpose offunding the New Americans Library Corners Initiative. The initiative will provide citizenship information, financial empowennent, and legal assistance infonnation, and other crucial programs that enable New Bostonians to play an active role in the economic, civic, social and cultural life of the city of Boston.

I urge your Honorable Body to adopt this Order as soon as possible so that the City of Boston may accept the funds expeditiously and expend them for the purposes for which they were granted.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND FUNDS FROM CITI COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT FOR THE NEW AMERICANS LIBRARY CORNERS INITIATIVE.

ORDERED: That the Mayor, acting on behalf of the City of Boston be, and hereby is authorized, pursuant to section 53A of chapter 44 of the Massachusetts General Laws, to accept and expend funds totaling One Hundred Thousand Dollars ($100,000) from Citi Community Development for the purpose of funding the New Americans Library Corners Initiative, to provide citizenship information, fmancial empowerment, and legal assistance information, and other crucial programs that enable New Bostonians to play an active role in the economic, civic, social and cultural life of the city of Boston.

The rules were suspended; the order was passed.

COMMUNICATION FROM CITY CLERK OF FILING BY BRA OF "SECOND AMENDMENT TO REPORT AND DECISION ON DIMOCK-BRAGDON CHAPTER 121A PROJECT" (DOCKET NO. 1848)

Communication was received from the City Clerk of the filing by the Boston Redevelopment Authority of the "Second Amendment to the Report and Decision on the Dimock-Bragdon Chapter 121A Project."

Placed on file.

COMMUNICATION FROM CITY CLERK OF FILING BY BRA OF "FIRST AMENDMENT TO REPORT AND DECISION ON ONE CHANNEL CENTER CHAPTER 121A PROJECT" (DOCKET NO. 1849)

Communication was received from the City Clerk of the filing by the Boston Redevelopment Authority of the "First Amendment to the Report and Decision on the One Channel Center Chapter 121A Project."

Placed on file.

COMMUNICATION FROM CITY CLERK OF FILING BY BRA OF "FIRST AMENDMENT TO REPORT AND DECISION ON EGLESTON CENTER CHAPTER 121A PROJECT" (DOCKET NO. 1850)

Communication was received from the City Clerk of the filing by the Boston Redevelopment Authority of the "First Amendment to the Report and Decision on the Egleston Center Chapter 121A Project."

Placed on file.

APPOINTMENT BY THE MAYOR
(DOCKET NO. 1851)

Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of Joseph Orfant, as Chairperson of the Boston Conservation Commission, effective immediately.

Placed on file.

APPOINTMENT BY THE MAYOR
(DOCKET NO. 1852)

Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of Gilliam Valdes Horwood, as a member of the Boston Conservation Commission, to serve a term expiring on November 1, 2016.

Placed on file.

APPOINTMENT BY THE MAYOR
(DOCKET NO. 1853)

Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of Robert Gallery as a member of the Boston Public Library Board of Trustees for a term expiring April 30, 2016.

Placed on file.

APPOINTMENT BY THE MAYOR
(DOCKET NO. 1854)

Notice was received from the Mayor of the reappointment of Cheryl Cronin as a member of the Boston Public Library Board of Trustees for a term expiring May 31, 2020.

Placed on file.

COMMUNICATION FROM COUNCILOR FRANK BAKER THAT HE WAS NOT IN ATTENDANCE AT BOSTON CITY COUNCIL MEETING ON WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 18, 2015 (DOCKET NO. 1855)

Communication was received from Councilor Frank Baker that he was not in attendance at the Boston City Council Meeting on Wednesday , November 18, 2015.

Placed on file.

COMMUNICATION FROM DION S. IRISH, CHAIR, BOARD OF ELECTION, CERTIFYING RESULTS OF ELECTION HELD ON NOVEMBER 3, 2015 FOR CITY COUNCILOR AT LARGE AND CITY COUNCIL BY DISTRICT (DOCKET NO. 1856)

Communication was received from Dion S. Irish, Chair, Board of Election, certifying results of election held on November 3, 2015 for City Councilor at Large and City Council by District.

Placed on file.

APPOINTMENT BY THE MAYOR
(DOCKET NO. 1857)

Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of John Hanlon, as Commissioner of Property Management, effective November 30, 2015.

Placed on file.

COMMUNICATION FROM CITY CLERK OF FILING AGREEMENT BETWEEN CITY OF BOSTON AND BEVERLY STREET ACQUISITION HOTEL OWNER LIMITED PARTNERSHIP PURSUANT TO SECTION 6A OF CHAPTER 121A OF MASSACHUSETTS GENERAL LAWS (DOCKET NO. 1858)

Communication was received from the City Clerk of the filing agreement between the City of Boston and Beverly Street Acquisition Hotel Owner Limited Partnership pursuant to Section 6A of Chapter 121A of the Massachusetts General Laws.

Placed on file.

COMMUNICATION FROM CITY CLERK OF FILING AGREEMENT BETWEEN CITY OF BOSTON AND BEVERLY STREET ACQUISITION RETAIL ONE OWNER LIMITED PARTNERSHIP PURSUANT TO SECTION 6A OF CHAPTER 121A OF MASSACHUSETTS GENERAL LAWS (DOCKET NO. 1859)

Communication was received from the City Clerk of the filing agreement between the City of Boston and Beverly Street Acquisition Retail One Owner Limited Partnership pursuant to Section 6A of Chapter 121A of the Massachusetts General Laws.

Placed on file.

COMMUNICATION FROM CITY CLERK OF FILING AGREEMENT BETWEEN CITY OF BOSTON AND BEVERLY STREET ACQUISITION RETAIL TWO OWNER LIMITED PARTNERSHIP PURSUANT TO SECTION 6A OF CHAPTER 121A OF MASSACHUSETTS GENERAL LAWS (DOCKET NO. 1860)

Communication was received from the City Clerk

of the filing agreement between the City of Boston and Beverly Street Acquisition Retail Two Owner Limited Partnership pursuant to Section 6A of Chapter 121A of the Massachusetts General Laws.

Placed on file.

COMMUNICATION FROM CITY CLERK OF FILING AGREEMENT BETWEEN CITY OF BOSTON AND BEVERLY STREET ACQUISITION GARAGE OWNER LIMITED PARTNERSHIP PURSUANT TO SECTION 6A OF CHAPTER 121A OF MASSACHUSETTS GENERAL LAWS (DOCKET NO. 1861)

Communication was received from the City Clerk of the filing agreement between the City of Boston and Beverly Street Acquisition Garage Owner Limited Partnership pursuant to Section 6A of Chapter 121A of the Massachusetts General Laws.

Placed on file.

COMMUNICATION FROM CITY CLERK OF FILING AGREEMENT BETWEEN CITY OF BOSTON AND BEVERLY STREET ACQUISITION GARAGE ONE OWNER LIMITED PARTNERSHIP PURSUANT TO SECTION 6A OF CHAPTER 121A OF MASSACHUSETTS GENERAL LAWS (DOCKET NO. 1862)

Communication was received from the City Clerk of the filing agreement between the City of Boston and Beverly Street Acquisition Garage One Owner Limited Partnership pursuant to Section 6A of Chapter 121A of the Massachusetts General Laws.

Placed on file.

COMMUNICATION FROM CITY CLERK OF FILING AGREEMENT BETWEEN CITY OF BOSTON AND BEVERLY STREET ACQUISITION RESIDENTIAL ONE OWNER LIMITED PARTNERSHIP PURSUANT TO SECTION 6A OF CHAPTER 121A OF MASSACHUSETTS GENERAL LAWS (DOCKET NO. 1863)

Communication was received from the City Clerk of the filing agreement between the City of Boston and Beverly Street Acquisition Residential One Owner Limited Partnership pursuant to Section 6A of Chapter 121A of the Massachusetts General Laws.

Placed on file.

COMMUNICATION FROM CITY CLERK OF FILING AGREEMENT BETWEEN CITY OF BOSTON AND BEVERLY STREET ACQUISITION RESIDENTIAL TWO OWNER LIMITED PARTNERSHIP PURSUANT TO SECTION 6A OF CHAPTER 121A OF MASSACHUSETTS GENERAL LAWS (DOCKET NO. 1864)

Communication was received from the City Clerk of the filing agreement between the City of Boston and Beverly Street Acquisition Residential Two Owner Limited Partnership pursuant to Section 6A of Chapter 121A of the Massachusetts General Laws.

Placed on file.

REPORT ON ORDER AUTHORIZING MAYOR'S OFFICE OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND GRANT OF $14,400,00 FROM U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY'S (DHS), URBAN AREA SECURITY INITIATIVE (UASI) GRANT FFY2015, ADDRESS UNIQUE PLANNING, TRAINING, EXERCISE, EQUIPMENT, AND OPERATIONAL NEEDS OF LARGE URBAN AREAS, AND ASSIST THEM IN BUILDING AN ENHANCED AND SUSTAINABLE CAPACITY TO PREVENT, RESPOND TO AND RECOVER FROM THREATS OR ACTS OF TERRORISM, INCLUDING CHEMICAL, BIOLOGICAL, RADIOLOGICAL, NUCLEAR AND EXPLOSIVE (CBRNE) INCIDENTS (DOCKET NO. 1793)

Councilor MURPHY, on behalf of the Committee on Public Safety, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 1793, message of the Mayor and order authorizing the Mayor's Office of Emergency Management to accept and expend a grant of Fourteen Million Four Hundred Thousand Dollars ($14,400,000) from the U.S. Department of Homeland Security's (DHS), Urban Area Security Initiative (UASI) Grant FFY2015, address the unique planning, training, exercise, equipment, and operational needs of large urban areas, and assist them in building an enhanced and sustainable capacity to prevent, respond to and recover from threats or acts of terrorism, including chemical, biological, radiological, nuclear and explosive (CBRNE) incidents (referred November 18) - recommending passage of the order.

The report was accepted; the order was passed.

REPORT ON ORDER AUTHORIZING MAYOR'S OFFICE OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND GRANT OF $139,950 FROM U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY'S (DHS), EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT PERFORMANCE GRANT (EMPG) FFY2013 AND FFY2014, TO PROVIDE RESOURCES TO ASSIST LOCAL GOVERNMENTS TO SUSTAIN AND ENHANCE ALL HAZARDS EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT CAPABILITIES (DOCKET NO. 1794)

Councilor MURPHY, on behalf of the Committee on Public Safety, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 1794, message of the Mayor and order authorizing the Mayor's Office of Emergency Management to accept and expend a grant of One Hundred Thirty-Nine Thousand Nine Hundred Fifty Dollars ($139,950.00) from the U.S. Department of Homeland Security's (DHS), Emergency Management Performance Grant (EMPG) FFY2013 and FFY2014, to provide resources to assist local governments to sustain and enhance all hazards emergency management capabilities (referred November 18) - recommending passage of the order.

The report was accepted; the order was passed.

REPORT ON ORDER AUTHORIZING MAYOR'S OFFICE OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND GRANT OF $69,975.00 FROM U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY'S (DHS), EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT PERFORMANCE GRANT (EMPG) FFY2015, TO PROVIDE RESOURCES TO ASSIST LOCAL GOVERNMENTS TO SUSTAIN AND ENHANCE ALL HAZARDS EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT CAPABILITIES (DOCKET NO. 1795)

Councilor MURPHY, on behalf of the Committee on Public Safety, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 1795, message of the Mayor

and order authorizing the Mayor's Office of Emergency Management to accept and expend a grant of Sixty Nine Thousand Nine Hundred Seventy-Five Dollars ($69,975.00) from the U.S. Department of Homeland Security's (DHS), Emergency Management Performance Grant (EMPG) FFY2015, to provide resources to assist local governments to sustain and enhance all hazards emergency management capabilities (referred November 18) - recommending passage of the order.

The report was accepted; the order was passed.

REPORT ON ORDER FOR CONFIRMATION OF RE-APPOINTMENT OF DAVID BERARDUCCI AS MEMBER OF BOSTON LANDMARKS COMMISSION FOR TERM EXPIRING JUNE 30, 2017 (DOCKET NO. 1723)

Councilor LAMATTINA, on behalf of the Committee on Public Safety, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 1723, message of the Mayor and message and order for the confirmation of the re-appointment of David Berarducci as a member of the Boston Landmarks Commission for a term expiring June 30, 2017 (referred October 28) - recommending confirmation of the appointment.

The report was accepted; the appointment was confirmed.

REPORT ON ORDER FOR CONFIRMATION OF RE-APPOINTMENT OF KIRSTEN HOFFMAN AS MEMBER OF BOSTON LANDMARKS COMMISSION FOR TERM EXPIRING JUNE 30, 2017 (DOCKET NO. 1724)

Councilor LAMATTINA, on behalf of the Committee on Public Safety, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 1724, message of the Mayor and message and order for the confirmation of the re-appointment of Kirsten Hoffman as a member of the Boston Landmarks Commission for a term expiring June 30, 2017 (referred October 28) - recommending confirmation of the appointment.

The report was accepted; the appointment was confirmed.

REPORT ON ORDER FOR CONFIRMATION OF RE-APPOINTMENT OF LYNN SMILEAGE AS MEMBER OF BOSTON LANDMARKS COMMISSION FOR TERM EXPIRING JUNE 30, 2017 (DOCKET NO. 1725)

Councilor LAMATTINA, on behalf of the Committee on Public Safety, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 1725, message of the Mayor and message and order for the confirmation of the re-appointment of Lynn Smileage as a member of the Boston Landmarks Commission for a term expiring June 30, 2017 (referred October 28) - recommending confirmation of the appointment.

The report was accepted; the appointment was confirmed.

REPORT ON ORDER FOR CONFIRMATION OF APPOINTMENT OF RICHARD YEAGER AS MEMBER OF BOSTON LANDMARKS COMMISSION FOR TERM EXPIRING JUNE 30, 2018 (DOCKET NO. 1726)

Councilor LAMATTINA, on behalf of the Committee on Public Safety, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 1726, message of the Mayor and message and order for the confirmation of the appointment of Richard Yeager as a member of the Boston Landmarks Commission for a term expiring June 30, 2018 (referred October 28) - recommending confirmation of the appointment.

The report was accepted; the appointment was confirmed.

REPORT ON ORDER FOR CONFIRMATION OF RE-APPOINTMENT OF SUSAN GOGANIAN AS MEMBER OF BOSTON LANDMARKS COMMISSION FOR TERM EXPIRING JUNE 30, 2018 (DOCKET NO. 1727)

Councilor LAMATTINA, on behalf of the Committee on Public Safety, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 1727, message of the Mayor and message and order for the confirmation of the re-appointment of Susan Goganian as a member of the Boston Landmarks Commission for a term expiring June 30, 2018 (referred October 28) - recommending confirmation of the appointment.

The report was accepted; the appointment was confirmed.

REPORT ON ORDER FOR CONFIRMATION OF RE-APPOINTMENT OF CHRISTOPHER HART AS ALTERNATE MEMBER OF BOSTON LANDMARKS COMMISSION FOR TERM EXPIRING JUNE 30, 2018 (DOCKET NO. 1728)

Councilor LAMATTINA, on behalf of the Committee on Public Safety, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 1728, message of the Mayor and message and order for the confirmation of the re-appointment of Christopher Hart as an alternate member of the Boston Landmarks Commission for a term expiring June 30, 2018 (referred October 28) - recommending confirmation of the appointment.

The report was accepted; the appointment was confirmed.

REPORT ON ORDER FOR CONFIRMATION OF APPOINTMENT OF MOLLY KENTALA AS ALTERNATE MEMBER OF ABERDEEN ARCHITECTURAL CONSERVATION DISTRICT COMMISSION FOR TERM EXPIRING MAY 31, 2018 (DOCKET NO. 1729)

Councilor LAMATTINA, on behalf of the Committee on Public Safety, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 1729, message of the Mayor and message and order for the confirmation of the appointment of Molly Kentala as an alternate member of the Aberdeen Architectural Conservation District Commission for a term expiring May 31,2018 (referred October 28) - recommending confirmation of the appointment.

The report was accepted; the appointment was confirmed.

REPORT ON ORDER FOR CONFIRMATION OF RE-APPOINTMENT OF KATHLEEN MCDERMOTT AS ALTERNATE MEMBER OF BOSTON LANDMARKS COMMISSION FOR TERM EXPIRING

JUNE 30, 2018 (DOCKET NO. 1730)

Councilor LAMATTINA, on behalf of the Committee on Public Safety, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 1730, message of the Mayor and message and order for the confirmation of the re-appointment of Susan Goganian as an alternate member of the Bay Village Historic District Commission for a term expiring April 1, 2016 (referred October 28) - recommending confirmation of the appointment.

The report was accepted; the appointment was confirmed.

REPORT ON ORDER FOR CONFIRMATION OF RE-APPOINTMENT OF JOHN KAROFF AS FULL MEMBER OF FORT POINT CHANNEL LANDMARK DISTRICT EXPIRING MAY 1, 2017 (DOCKET NO. 1731)

Councilor LAMATTINA, on behalf of the Committee on Public Safety, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 1731, message of the Mayor and message and order for the confirmation of the re-appointment of John Karoff as a full member of the Fort Point Channel Landmark District expiring May 1, 2017 (referred October 28) - recommending confirmation of the appointment.

The report was accepted; the appointment was confirmed.

REPORT ON ORDER THAT PURSUANT TO CHAPTER 40, SECTION 56, RESIDENTIAL FACTOR IN CITY OF BOSTON FOR FY2016 SHALL BE MINIMUM RESIDENTIAL FACTOR AS DETERMINED BY COMMISSIONER OF REVENUE PURSUANT TO M.G.L. CHAPTER 58, SECTION IA AND BE IT FURTHER THAT PURSUANT TO CHAPTER 403 OF ACTS OF 2000, A RESIDENTIAL EXEMPTION IN AMOUNT OF VALUE EQUAL TO THIRTY PERCENT (30%) OF AVERAGE ASSESSED VALUE OF ALL CLASS ONE¬RESIDENTIAL PARCELS IN CITY OF BOSTON BE AND HEREBY IS APPROVED FOR FISCAL YEAR 2016 (DOCKET NO. 1803)

Councilor CIOMMO, on behalf of the Committee on Ways and Means, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 1803, order that pursuant to Chapter 40, section 56, the residential factor in the City of Boston for FY2016 shall be the minimum residential factor as determined by the Commissioner of Revenue pursuant to M. G. L. Chapter 58, section IA and be it further that pursuant to Chapter 403 of the acts of 2000, a residential exemption in the amount of value equal to thirty percent (30%) of the average assessed value of all Class One-Residential parcels in the City of Boston be, and hereby is approved for Fiscal Year 2016 (referred November 18) - recommending passage of the order.

The report was accepted; the order was passed.

REPORT ON ORDER AUTHORIZING CITY TO ADOPT PROPERTY TAX EXEMPTION FOR MEMBERS OF NATIONAL GUARD AND RESERVISTS WHO ARE SERVING IN FOREIGN COUNTRIES, PURSUANT TO MASSACHUSETTS GENERAL LAWS CHAPTER 59, SECTION 5 (56), CITY OF BOSTON SHALL OFFER PROPERTY TAX EXEMPTION OF UP TO 100% FOR ACTIVE MEMBERS OF NATIONAL GUARD AND RESERVISTS FOR FISCAL YEAR 2016 (DOCKET NO. 1796)

Councilor FLAHERTY, on behalf of the Committee on Government Operations, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 1796, message of the Mayor and order authorizing the City to adopt a property tax exemption for members of the National Guard and reservists who are serving in foreign countries, pursuant to Massachusetts General Laws Chapter 59, Section 5 (56), the City of Boston shall offer a property tax exemption of up to 100% for active members of the National Guard and reservists for Fiscal Year 2016 (referred November 18) - recommending passage of the order.

The report was accepted; the order was passed.

COMMUNICATION FROM CITY CLERK OF FILING BY AUDITING DEPARTMENT REGARDING CITY OF BOSTON'S FISCAL 2014 COMPREHENSIVE ANNUAL FINANCIAL REPORT (DOCKET NO. 0171)

This matter which was recently heard for possible action, was remanded back to the **Committee on Post Audit and Oversight.**

ORDER FOR HEARING TO REVIEW FISCAL YEAR 2015 BUDGET (DOCKET NO. 0199)

This matter which was recently heard for possible action, was remanded back to the **Committee on Post Audit and Oversight.**

ORDINANCE AMENDING CITY OF BOSTON CODE, ORDINANCES, CHAPTER 2, ESTABLISHING A MECHANISM TO DETERMINE COMPENSATION OF CITY COUNCILORS (DOCKET NO. 1775)

This matter which was recently heard for possible action, was remanded back to the **Committee on Government Operations.**

ORDER FOR APPROVAL OF A HOME RULE PETITION TO THE GENERAL COURT ENTITLED "PETITION FOR A SPECIAL LAW RE: AN ACT RELATIVE TO ELECTION NOMINATION PETITIONS IN THE CITY OF BOSTON." THIS PETITION WILL CREATE A MORE EQUITABLE PROCESS FOR CANDIDATES (DOCKET NO. 0115)

This matter which was recently heard for possible action, was remanded back to the **Committee on Government Operations.**

VISITORS TO CITY HALL

President LINEHAN welcomed the Mayor of County Cork Mayor John Paul O'Shea along with Lord Mayor of West Roxbury Richard Gormley who took time out of their schedules to visit the City Council today.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES (DOCKET NO.1865)

President LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, December 5, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, December 11, 2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Katherine Carangelo, Secretary, $1,626.93, full time
Camilo Hernandez, Secretary, $1,100.00, part time
Janet L. Knott, Administrative Asst., $1,857.70, full time
Jennifer McGivern, Secretary, $375.00, part time
Michael A. Sinatra, Secretary, $1,961.54, full time
Lori Toscano, Secretary, $940.00, part time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES
(DOCKET NO. 1866)

President LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, December 12, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, March 4, 2016:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Katherine Carangelo, Secretary, $1,653.86, full time
Camilo Hernandez, Secretary, $1,200.00, part time
Janet L. Knott, Administrative Asst., $2,115.40, full time
Jennifer McGivern, Secretary, $250.00, part time
Michael A. Sinatra, Secretary, $1,923.08, full time
Lori Toscano, Secretary, $480.00, part time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES
(DOCKET NO. 1867)

President LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, December 5, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, December 11, 2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Walter Apperwhite, Secretary, $2,519.24, full time
Lee Blasi, Secretary, $5,326.93, full time
Stephen Maguire, Secretary, $2,326.93, full time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES
(DOCKET NO. 1868)

President LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, December 12, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, March 4, 2016:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Walter Apperwhite, Secretary, $2,038.48, full time
Lee Blasi, Secretary, $2,653,86, full time
Stephen Maguire, Secretary, $1,653.86, full time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES
(DOCKET NO. 1869)

President LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, December 5, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, December 11, 2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Andrew Baldizon, Secretary, $1,519.24, full time
William MacGregor, Secretary, $2,211.54, full time
Jessica Morris, Secretary, $1,461.54, full time
Elizabeth Sullivan, Secretary, $2,403.85, full time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES
(DOCKET NO. 1870)

President LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, December 12, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, March 4, 2016:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Andrew Baldizon, Secretary, $1,538.48, full time
William MacGregor, Secretary, $2,423.08, full time
Jessica Morris, Secretary, $1,423.08, full time
Elizabeth Sullivan, Secretary, $2,807.70, full time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES
(DOCKET NO. 1871)

President LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, January 2, 2016 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, March 4, 2016:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Annie Qin, Administrative Asst., $1,538.00, full time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

LATE-FILED MATTERS

The Chair stated that in absence of objection, seven late-filed matters would be added to the Agenda.

No objection being heard, the following matters were added:

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES
(DOCKET NO. 1914)

President LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, November 28, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, January 29, 2016:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Alexandra E. Knowles, Administrative Asst., $900.00, part time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARX-EMPLOYEES
(DOCKET NO. 1915)

President LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Tuesday, October 13,2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, December 19, 2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Jessica Morris, Secretary, $1,423.08, full time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES (DOCKET NO. 1916)

President LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, December 5, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, March 4, 2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Jill Baker, Administrative Asst., $769.24, part time
Joseph M. McEachern, Secretary, $769.24, part time
Shane Pac, Secretary, $769.24, part time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES (DOCKET NO. 1917)

President LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, December 5, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, March 4, 2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Amanda Curley, Secretary, $2,115.40, full time
Amy Frigulietti, Administrative Asst., $3,346.16, full time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

ORDER FOR CONFIRMATION OF RE-APPOINTMENT OF CHRISTINE ARAUJO AS MEMBER OF ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS FOR TERM EXPIRING JULY 1, 2018 (DOCKET NO. 1918)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

November 30, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

Pursuant to chapter 461 of the Acts of 1993, I reappoint Ms. Christine Araujo, 144 Newburg Street, Boston, as a member of the Zoning Board of Appeals, for a term expiring July 1, 2018. Ms. Araujo serves as an At-large representative selected by the Mayor of Boston.

I urge your Honorable Body to pass this order.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE REAPPOINTMENT OF CHRISTINE ARAUJO AS A MEMBER OF THE ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS.

ORDERED: That the Mayor, acting on behalf of the City of Boston be, and hereby is authorized, pursuant to chapter 461 of the Acts of 1993, to reappoint Ms. Christine Araujo, residing at 144 Newburg Street, Boston, to the Zoning Board of Appeals, for a term ending July 1, 2018, be, and hereby is, confirmed.

Referred to the Committee on Economic Development, Planning and Labor.

ORDER FOR CONFIRMATION OF APPOINTMENT OF ROXANN COOKE TO BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF BOSTON INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT FINANCE AUTHORITY FOR TERM EXPIRING APRIL 1, 2019 (DOCKET NO. 1919)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

November 30, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

Pursuant to section 3 of chapter 40D of the Massachusetts General Laws Chapter, I hereby appoint Roxann Cooke, 72 Westmore Road, Boston, to the Board of Directors of the Boston Industrial Development Finance Authority, for a term commencing this date and expiring April 1, 2019.

I urge your Honorable Body to adopt this order as soon as possible so that Roxann Cooke may be appointed to the Board.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE APPOINTMENT OF ROXANN COOKE TO THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE BOSTON INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT FINANCE AUTHORITY

ORDERED: That the Mayor, acting on behalf of the City of Boston be, and hereby is authorized, pursuant to section 3 of chapter 40D of the Massachusetts General, to appoint Roxann Cooke, residing at 72 Westmore Road, Boston, to the Boston Industrial Development Finance Authority, for a term commencing this date and ending April 1, 2019, be, and hereby is, confirmed.

Referred to the Committee on Economic Development, Planning and Labor.

ORDER FOR HEARING TO REVIEW NUMBER OF STUDENTS RETURNING TO BPS FROM CHARTER SCHOOLS (DOCKET NO. 1920)

Councilor JACKSON, YANCEY, MCCARTHY, O'MALLEY, PRESSLEY, WU and FLAHERTY offered the following:

WHEREAS: Every year a number of students leave charter schools to return to Boston Public Schools (BPS); and

WHEREAS: Charter Schools students leave charter schools for different reasons, including academic and behavioral performances; and

WHEREAS: Through the Chapter 46 reimbursement aid, the state helps districts such as BPS offset the loss of student funding because the student left the traditional public school district to attend charter schools; and

WHEREAS: Despite the number of students returning to Boston Public Schools from charter schools, the state's reimbursement aid to Boston Public Schools are not 100%; and

WHEREAS: In 2014, BPS received only 63% of the funding; and

WHEREAS: The loss of funding impacts the students substantially as it results in less teachers and staff whose

roles are to provide academic and emotional support to students in order for students to excel; and

WHEREAS: It is important that the Boston City Council reviews the both current and historical data relating to the number of students leaving charter schools and returning to BPS and how that has impacted funding and students' opportunity and ability to receive quality education; and, NOW

THEREFORE BE IT ORDERED, That the appropriate committee ofthe Boston City Council hold a hearing to review and discuss the number of students returning to BPS from charter schools and State education funding and that the students, parents, and representatives from BPS, charter schools, and the Massachusetts Department of Elementary and Secondary Education; and, other stakeholders be invited to testity.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

CONSENT AGENDA

The Chair moved. adoption of Consent Agenda in which the following named Councilors offered resolutions of a condolence or congratulatory after each Councilor's name:

Councilor Ciommo: In memory of Margaret F. "Peg" Daley (Docket No. 1872)

Councilor McCarthy: Congratulating Beatrice Busby (Docket No. 1873) Congratulating Mama Persechini (Docket No. 1874)

Councilor LaMattina: Recognizing Thomas Arcadiapane (Docket No. 1875)

Councilor Zakim: In memory of Catherine A. Gately (Docket No. 1876)

Councilor Wu: Congratulating the Imperial Court of Massachusetts (Docket No. 1877)

Councilor LaMattina: Recognizing Janis Woddman (Docket No. 1878) Recognizing Paul Scappichio (Docket No. 1879) Recognizing Richard Gavegnano (Docket No. 1880 Recognizing East Boston Savings Bank (Docket No. 1881) Recognizing Boston Harbor Real Estate (Docket No. 1882) Recognizing Gigu Cafe (Docket No. 1883)

Councilor Murphy: In memory of Geraldine B. Grasso (Docket No. 1884)

Councilor LaMattina: Recognizing Jose & Irene Torres (Docket No. 1885)

Councilor Yancey: Recognizing Michelle Ryan (Docket No. 1886) Recognizing Desie Roberts (Docket No. 1887) Recognizing Charles "Chuck" Turner (Docket No. 1888) Recognizing Greg Wayland (Docket No. 1889)

Councilor Ciommo: In memory of Lucio "Lou" Manganaro (Docket No. 1890)

Councilor Yancey: Recognizing Minister Don Muhammad (Docket No. 1891)

Councilor Pressley on behalf of the Council as a whole: In memory of Mildred Hailey (Docket No. 1892)

Councilors O'Malley and Murphy: Congratulating Coach John McDonough (Docket No. 1893)

Councilor Jackson: Recognizing Declares Araion Bradshaw (Docket No. 1894)

Councilor Flaherty: Recognizing Mike Leone (Docket No. 1895)

Councilor Linehan: In memory of Ryan M. McGrale (Docket No. 1896)

Councilors Linehan and Flaherty: In memory of Leonard "Lenny" O'Toole III (Docket No. 1897)

Councilors Linehan, Baker and Flaherty: In memory of Daniel M. Downey (Docket No. 1898)

Councilors Linehan and Flaherty: In memory of John "Wacko" Hurley (Docket No. 1899)

Councilor Pressley: Recognizing Jean Azar-Tanguay (Docket No. 1900)

Councilor O'Malley: Recognizing Martha Black (Docket No. 1901) In memory of David Von Euw (Docket No. 1902)

Councilor Ciommo: Congratulating Brian Golden (Docket No. 1903) Congratulating Michael Buckley (Docket No. 1904)

Councilor Wu: Recognizing eight people and organizations for their hard work and commitment to the neighborhood of Roxbury and for years of great service to the area of Grove Hall (Docket No. 1906)

Councilor Ciommo: Congratulating Anthony DiFonzo (Docket No. 1906)

Councilor Yancey: Recognizing Reverend Garvin Warden (Docket No. 1907)

Councilor Pressley: Recognizing Anna Marino (Docket No. 1908)

Councilor McCarthy: In memory of Rita J. Hickey (Docket No. 1909) In memory of Americo Monaco (Docket No. 1910)

Councilor Jackson: Recognizing Pastor Reginald Smalls (Docket No. 1911)

Councilor Murphy: Recognizing thirteen members of the Boston Police Department on their retirement (Docket No. 1912)

Councilor Pressley: Recognizing Lucia Pan (Docket No. 1913)

The Chair stated that in absence of objection, seven late-filed matters, would be added to the consent agenda.

No objection being heard, the following matter was added:

Councilor Yancey: Congratulating The Black Educators' Alliance of Massachusetts (Docket No. 1921)

Councilors Linehan and Murphy: In memory of Kara Timilty (Docket No. 1922)

Councilor Linehan: In memory of Debra A. Hutchinson (Docket No. 1923)

Councilor Jackson: Congratulating Jerry Dunfey (Docket No. 1924) Congratulating Melvin Santos (Docket No. 1925) Congratulating Charles White (Docket No. 1926) Congratulating Harry Collins (Docket No. 1927)

The matters combined within the Consent Agenda were severally adopted.

NEXT MEETING

Adjourned at 1:18 p.m. on motion of President Linehan and in memory of Richard J. King, Jr., John H. Sawyer, Daniel Downey, Leonard L. O'Toole, Jr., Ryan M. McGrale, John "Wacko" Hurley, Kara Timilty, Geraldine B. Grasso, Mildred Hailey and Debra A. Hutchinson, to meet again on Wednesday, December 9, 2015 at 12:00 p.m.

Note: All debate of City Council eliminated from proceedings in accordance with Chapter 447, Acts of 1947.

CITY OF BOSTON

Proceedings of the Boston City Council

Wednesday, December 9, 2015

Regular meeting of the City Council held in the Christopher A. Iannella Chamber, City Hall, at 12:10 p.m. President Linehan in the Chair.

INVOCATION

Reverend Willie Bodrick, II, Twelfth Baptist Church, delivered the invocation, and the meeting was opened with the pledge of allegiance to the flag.

STATEMENT OF PRESIDENT LINEHAN

President LINEHAN moved to adopt the minutes from the December 2, 2015 meeting. **Motion prevailed.**

PRESENTATION BY COUNCILOR BAKER

Councilor BAKER wanted to welcome and thank Miss Kaia Rose for her effort in making sure children with cancer get Christmas presents when they need to stay at the hospital at Christmas time.

This is the fifth annual Kaia Rose Toy Drive and Councilor BAKER wanted to recognize Miss Kaia Rose for the heartfelt job she does each year with her dream and vision.

ORDER AUTHORIZING OFFICE OF NEW BOSTONIANS TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND GRANT OF $180,000 FROM OPEN SOCIETY FOUNDATION, IN PARTNERSHIP WITH HYAMS FOUNDATION, BOSTON FOUNDATION AND HERMAN AND FRIEDA L. MILLER FOUNDATION FOR PURPOSE OF FUNDING DEFERRED ACTION FOR CHILDHOOD ARRIVALS (DACA) & DEFERRED ACTION FOR PARENTAL ACCOUNTABILITY (DAPA) OUTREACH INITIATIVE (DOCKET NO. 1928)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

December 4, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I hereby transmit for your approval an Order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend funds totaling $180,000 from the Open Society Foundation, in partnership with the Hyams Foundation, the Boston Foundation, the Fish Family Foundation and the Herman and Frieda L. Miller Foundation (Miller) for the purpose of funding the Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals (DACA) & Deferred Action for Parental Accountability (DAPA) Outreach Initiative. The Initiative will provide programs that enable New Bostonians to play an active role in the economic, civic, social and cultural life of the city of Boston.

I urge your Honorable Body to adopt this Order as soon as possible so that the City of Boston may accept the funds expeditiously and expend them for the purposes for which they were granted.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

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AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND FUNDS FROM CONTRIBUTIONS RECEIVED FROM OPEN SOCIETY FOUNDATION, IN PARTNERSHIP WITH OTHER FOUNDATIONS, TO FUND THE DEFERRED ACTION FOR CHILDHOOD ARRIVALS AND DEFERRED ACTION FOR PARENTAL ACCOUNTABILITY OUTREACH INITIATIVE.

ORDERED: That the Mayor, acting on behalf of the City of Boston be, and hereby is authorized, pursuant to section 53A of chapter 44 of the Massachusetts General Laws, to accept and expend funds totaling $180,000 from the Open Society Foundation, in partnership with the Hyams Foundation, the Boston Foundation, the Fish Family Foundation and the Herman and Frieda L. Miller Foundation (Miller) for the purpose of funding the Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals (DACA) & the Deferred Action for Parental Accountability (DAPA) Outreach Initiative. The initiative will provide programs that enable New Bostonians to play an active role in the economic, civic, social and cultural life of the city of Boston.

Referred to the Committee on Healthy Women, Families and Communities.

ORDER AUTHORIZING MAYOR'S OFFICE OF ARTS AND CULTURE TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND GRANT OF $100,000 FROM NATIONAL ENDOWMENT FOR ARTS' "OUR TOWN GRANT PROGRAM" TO SUPPORT BOSTON AIR (BOSTON ARTISTS IN RESIDENCE) (DOCKET NO. 1929)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

December 4, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I hereby transmit for your approval an Order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend funds totaling $100,000 from the National Endowment for the Arts' Our Town Grant Program to the City of Boston's Mayor's Office of Arts and Culture to support Boston AIR (Boston Artists in Residence).

I urge your Honorable Body to adopt this Order as soon as possible so that the City of Boston may accept the funds expeditiously and expend them for the purposes for which they were granted.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

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AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND FUNDS FROM THE NATIONAL ENDOWMENT FOR THE ARTS' OUR TOWN GRANT PROGRAM TO THE MAYOR'S OFFICE OF ARTS AND CULTURE TO SUPPORT BOSTON AIR.

ORDERED: That the Mayor, acting on behalf of the City of Boston be, and hereby is authorized, pursuant to section 53A of chapter 44 of the Massachusetts General Laws, to accept and expend funds totaling $100,000 from the National Endowment for the Arts' Our Town Grant Program to the City of Boston's Mayor's Office of Arts and Culture to support Boston AIR (Boston Artists in Residence).

The rules were suspended; the order was passed.

ORDER AUTHORIZING MAYOR'S OFFICE OF ARTS AND CULTURE TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND GRANT OF $5,000 FROM ROBERT TREAT PAINE ASSOCIATION TO SUPPORT EMERGING ARTIST AWARD (DOCKET NO. 1930)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

December 4, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I hereby transmit for your approval an Order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend funds totaling $5,000 from Robert Treat Paine Association to the City of Boston's Mayor's Office of Arts and Culture to support the Emerging Artist Award.

I urge your Honorable Body to adopt this Order as soon as possible so that the City of Boston may accept the funds expeditiously and expend them for the purposes for which they were granted.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND FUNDS FROM ROBERT TREAT PAINE ASSOCIATION TO THE MAYOR'S OFFICE OF ARTS AND CULTURE FOR THE EMERGING ARTIST AWARD.

ORDERED: That the Mayor, acting on behalf of the City of Boston be, and hereby is authorized, pursuant to section 53A of chapter 44 of the Massachusetts General Laws, to accept and expend funds totaling $5,000 from Robert Treat Paine Association to the City of Boston's Mayor's Office of Arts and Culture to support the Emerging Artist Award.

The rules were suspended; the order was passed.

ORDER AUTHORIZING MAYOR'S OFFICE OF ARTS AND CULTURE TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND GRANT OF $1,500 FROM GILILEAN FUND TO SUPPORT SUMMER EVENTS/EMERGE ARTS FESTIVAL (DOCKET NO. 1931)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

December 4, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I hereby transmit for your approval an Order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend funds totaling $1,500 from The Galilean Fund to the City of Boston's Mayor's Office of Arts and Culture to support Summer Events/Emerge Arts Festival.

I urge your Honorable Body to adopt this Order as soon as possible so that the City of Boston may accept the funds expeditiously and expend them for the purposes for which they were granted.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND FUNDS FROM THE GALILEAN FUND TO THE MAYOR'S OFFICE OF ARTS AND CULTURE TO SUPPORT SUMMER EVENTS/EMERGE ARTS FESTIVAL.

ORDERED: That the Mayor, acting on behalf of the City of Boston be, and hereby is authorized, pursuant to section 53A of chapter 44 of the Massachusetts General Laws, to accept and expend funds totaling $1,500 from The Galilean Fund to the City of Boston's Mayor's Office of Arts and Culture to support the Summer Event/Emerge Arts Festival.

The rules were suspended; the order was passed.

ORDER AUTHORIZING CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND DONATION OF FURNITURE FROM WAYFAIR LLC VALUED AT $827.04 TO BE IT USED FOR CITY HALL TO GO PROGRAM, KITCHEN TABLE TALKS (DOCKET NO. 1932)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

December 4, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I herewith submit for your approval, an Order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend an in kind donation from Wayfair LLC of 1 kitchen table, 4 kitchen chairs, and 1 outdoor rug valued at $827.04. for use by the City Hall TO GO program, Kitchen Table Talks, to be used in furtherance of the City's efforts of civic engagement.

I urge your Honorable Body to adopt this Order as soon as possible so that the City of Boston may accept the donation expeditiously and use it for the purpose for which it was granted.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

AN ORDER AUTHORIZING CITY HALL TO GO, TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND AN IN KIND DONATION FROM WAYFAIR·LLC OF 1 KITCHEN TABLE, 4 KITCHEN CHAIRS, AND 1 OUTDOOR RUG VALUED AT $827.04 FOR USE BY THE KITCHEN TABLE TALKS PROGRAM.

ORDERED: That the Mayor, acting on behalf of the City of Boston be, and hereby is authorized, pursuant to section 52A of chapter 44 of the Massachusetts General Laws, to accept and expend an in kind donation from Wayfair LLC of 1 kitchen table, 4 kitchen chairs, and an outdoor rug valued at $827.04 to be used for the City Hall TO GO program, Kitchen Table Talks.

The rules were suspended; the order was passed.

ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 17 OF CITY OF BOSTON CODE - ORDINANCES REGULATING PRACTICE OF PATRONS BRINGING THEIR OWN ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES ONTO PREMISES (BYOB) (DOCKET NO. 0353)

This matter which was recently heard for possible ac-

tion, was remanded back to the **Committee on Government Operations.**

ORDER REGARDING TEXT AMENDMENT FOR BOSTON ZONING CODE, MEDICAL MARIJUANA TREATMENT CENTERS (DOCKET NO. 0568)

This matter which was recently heard for possible action, was remanded back to the **Committee on Economic Development and Planning.**

REPORT ON ORDER FOR HEARING TO REVIEW RESULTS OF 2015 FENWAY PARKING ORDINANCE (DOCKET NO. 1624)

Councilor LAMATTINA, on behalf of the Committee on City, Neighborhood Services and Veterans Affairs, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 1624, order for a hearing to review the results of the 2015 Fenway parking ordinance (referred October 7) - recommending the order be placed on file.

The report was accepted; the order was placed on file.

ORDER FOR HEARING REGARDING LINKAGE FEES TO SUPPORT NEIGHBORHOOD JOBS TRUST AND NEIGHBORHOOD HOUSING TRUST (DOCKET NO. 1244)

This matter which was recently heard for possible action, was remanded back to the **Committee on Economic Development and Planning.**

RESOLUTION THAT COUNCIL STRONGLY URGES CREATION OF E-COMMERCE EXCHANGE ZONES IN POLICE STATIONS AND OTHER PUBLIC BUILDINGS IN BOSTON (DOCKET NO. 1933)

Councilors O'MALLEY, JACKSON, LINEHAN, CIOMMO, FLAHERTY, LAMATTINA, PRESLEY, WU, YANCEY and ZAKIM offered the following:

WHEREAS: Online transactions using Craiglists, ebay, Facebook groups and other web sites are now a commonly used way for individuals to buy goods; and

WHEREAS: Residents who make arrangements for an e-commerce sale may feel vulnerable meeting a stranger to make a transaction; and

WHEREAS: E-commerce Exchange Zones would provide residents with a safe, well-lit and neutral location to conduct exchanges of goods or money such as the sale of event tickets or other items; and

WHEREAS: Boston's district police stations and headquarters include lobbies and vestibules that are staffed 24-hours a day; and

WHEREAS: E-commerce Exchange Zones· could be created with little cost to the city; THEREFORE BE IT

RESOLVED: That the Boston City Council strongly urges the creation of E-commerce Exchange Zones in police stations and other public buildings in Boston to provide residents with an alternative space to conduct online transactions.

On motion of Councilor O'MALLEY, the resolution was adopted.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES
(DOCKET NO. 1934)

Councilor LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, December 12, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, March 4, 2016:

BiWeekly Payroll:

Ivon Alvarez	Secretary	$677.78	part time
Walter Apperwhite	Secretary	$2,038.48	full time
Jill Baker	Administrative Asst.	$769.24	part time
Andrew Baldizon	Secretary	$1,538.48	full time
Lee Blasi	Secretary	$2,653.86	full time
Justin Brown	Secretary	$1,576.94	full time
Katherine Carangelo	Secretary	$1,653.86	full time
Nicholas G. Carter	Secretary	$1,461.54	full time
Chelsey Cartwright	Secretary	$1,462.00	full time
Robyn Casper	Secretary	$1,634.62	full time
James W. Chan	Secretary	$2,296.16	full time
Elaine M. Cloherty	Secretary	$1,923.08	part time
John Henry Cohen	Secretary	$1,923.08	full time
Amanda Curley	Secretary	$2,115.40	full time
Judith E. Evers	Secretary	$480.00	part time
Maria Farrell	Secretary	$600.00	part time
Jacqueline Franks	Secretary	$576.80	part time
Amy Frigulietti	Administrative Asst.	$3,346.16	full time
Mark Handley	Secretary	$2,711.56	full time
Shaikh Hasib	Secretary	$1,634.62	full time
Kyndal Henicke	Secretary	$1,692.32	full time
Camilo Hernandez	Secretary	$1,200.00	part time
Jared Hogan	Administrative Asst.	$1,212.00	full time
James Jackson	Secretary	$1,078.00	full time
Tricia Kalayjian	Administrative Asst.	$576.94	part time
John F. Kelly III	Secretary	$1,600.00	part time
Janet L. Knott	Administrative Asst.	$2,115.40	full time
Alexandra E. Knowles	Administrative Asst.	$900.00	part time
Herby Lindor	Secretary	$480.00	part time
William MacGregor	Secretary	$2,423.08	full time
Stephen Maguire	Secretary	$1,653.86	full time
Clancy Main	Secretary	$1,730.78	full time
Joseph M. McEachern	Secretary	$769.24	part time
Jennifer McGivern	Secretary	$250.00	part time
Samuel Miller	Secretary	$1,232.00	full time
Jessica Morris	Secretary	$1,423.08	full time
Kara Nagle	Secretary	$1,406.00	full time
Deborah O'Leary	Secretary	$1,826.94	full time
Shane Pac	Secretary	$769.24	part time
Daniel Polanco	Secretary	$1,461.54	full time
Nichelle Sadler	Secretary	$2,730.78	full time
Daniel Sibor	Administrative Asst.	$2,615.40	full time
Mohona Siddique	Secretary	$1,692.31	full time
Michael A. Sinatra	Secretary	$1,923.08	full time
Vatsady Sivongxay	Secretary	$1,961.54	full time
Ryan Spitz	Administrative Asst.	$2,403.86	full time
Elizabeth Sullivan	Secretary	$2,807.70	full time

Paul Sullivan	Secretary	$692.32	part time
James Sutherland	Secretary	$900.00	part time
Jessica A. Taubner	Secretary	$2,318.00	part time
Lori Toscano	Secretary	$480.00	part time
John Ulrich	Administrative Asst.	$1,976.94	full time
David Vittorini	Secretary	$1,923.08	full time
Joseph T. Walsh	Secretary	$1,576.94	full time
Sophia Wang	Secretary	$1,538.46	full time
Gary Webster	Secretary	$1,923.08	full time
Eric White	Administrative Asst.	$1,540.00	full time
Ron Cobb	City Messenger & Senior Legislative Asst.	$2,255.78	full time
Daisy De La Rosa	Central Staff Director	$3,334.62	full time
Kerry Jordan	Television Operations & Technology Manager	$2,451.94	full time
Juan Lopez	Research & Policy Director	$2,667.68	full time
Rachel Lake	Administrative & Technical Asst.	$1,538.48	full time
Cora F. Montrond	Senior Legislative Asst. & Budget Analyst	$2,255.78	full time
Christine O'Donnell	Compliance Director & Staff Counsel	$3,202.02	full time
Lorraine Schettino	Office Manager	$1,936.04	full time
Daniel Shea	Legislative Assistant	$1,883.06	full time
Kathleen Sullivan	Director of Legislative Budget Analysis	$3,315.00	full time
Yuleidy Valdez	Business Manager	$2,412.70	full time
Corinne Walsh	Senior Legislative Asst. & Budget Analyst	$2,157.70	full time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES
(DOCKET NO. 1935)

President LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, November 28, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, December 4, 2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Lorraine Fowlkes, Secretary, $4,100.00, full time
Lynnette M. Frazier, Administrative Asst., $5,141.03, full time
Kamisha Green, Secretary, $516.00, part time
Nichelle Nicole Purvis, Secretary, $3,315.39, full time
Kenneth W. Yarbrough, Secretary, $4,165.39, full time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES
(DOCKET NO. 1936)

President LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, December 5, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, January 1, 2016:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Lorraine Fowlkes, Secretary, $2,000.00, full time
Lynnette M. Frazier, Administrative Asst., $2,461.54, full time
Kamisha Green, Secretary, $431.00, part time
Kenneth W. Yarbrough, Secretary, $1,730.78, full time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES
(DOCKET NO. 1937)

President LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, December 5, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, December 11, 2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Nicholas G. Carter, Secretary, $2,269.24, full time
Daniel Sibor, Administrative Asst., $2,807.70, full time
Mohona Siddique, Secretary $2,346.16, full time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES
(DOCKET NO. 1938)

President LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, December 12, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, March 4, 2016:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Nicholas G. Carter, Secretary, $1,461.54, full time
Daniel Sibor, Administrative Asst., $2,615.40, full time
Mohona Siddique, Secretary $1,692.31, full time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES
(DOCKET NO. 1939)

President LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, December 5, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, December 11, 2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:
James W. Chan, Secretary, $1,648.08, full time
Elaine M. Cloherty, Secretary, $1,461.64, part time
Jared Hogan, Administrative Asst., $1,106.00, full time
Kara Nagle, Secretary, $1,203.00, full time
John Ulrich, Administrative Asst., $1,203.00, full time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES
(DOCKET NO. 1940)

President LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, December 12, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, March 4, 2016:

BiWeekly Payroll:
James W. Chan, Secretary, $2,296.16, full time
Elaine M. Cloherty, Secretary, $1,923.08, part time
Jared Hogan, Administrative Asst., $1,212.00, full time
Kara Nagle, Secretary, $1,406.00, full time
John Ulrich, Administrative Asst., $1,976.94, full time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

LATE-FILED MATTERS

The Chair stated that in absence of objection, four late-filed matters would be added to the Agenda.

No objection being heard, the following matters were added:

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES
(DOCKET NO. 1953)

President LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Tuesday, December 15, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, January 8, 2016:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Christina Scialoia, Secretary, $1,538.00, part time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES
(DOCKET NO. 1954)

President LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, December 5, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, December 11, 2015:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Justin Brown, Secretary, $3,288.47, full time
Nichelle Sadler, Secretary, $3,865.39, full time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES
(DOCKET NO. 1955)

President LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, December 12, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, March 4, 2016:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Justin Brown, Secretary, $1,567.94, full time
Nichelle Sadler, Secretary, $2.730.78, full time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

ABSENCE OF THE MAYOR
(DOCKET NO. 1956)

Notice was received from the Mayor of his absence from the City from 9:30 a.m. Wednesday, December 9, 2015 until 11:30 a.m. Wednesday, December 9, 2015.

Placed on file.

ORDER DECLARING SURPLUS LAND LOCATED AT 115 FEDERAL STREET (WARD 03, PARCEL 04224000) TO TRANSFER CARE, CUSTODY, MANAGEMENT AND CONTROL OF SAID PROPERTY TO PUBLIC FACILITIES COMMISSION (DOCKET NO. 1027)

Councilor LAMATTINA called Docket No. 1027 from the Committee on Economic Development and Planning.

No objection being heard, the matter was before the body.

Councilor CIOMMO in the Chair.

On motion of Councilor LAMATTINA, the order was passed; yeas 10, nays 3:

Yeas - Councilors Baker, Ciommo, Flaherty, LaMattina, Linehan, McCarthy, Murphy, O'Malley, Wu -12.

Nays - Jackson, Pressley, Yancey - 3.

President LINEHAN in the Chair.

CONSENT AGENDA

The Chair moved adoption of a Consent Agenda in which the following-named Councilors offered resolutions of a condolence or congratulatory nature as set forth after each Councilor's name:

Councilor O'Malley: Congratulating Mindy Fried (Docket No. 1941) Congratulating Madden Shelley (Docket No. 1942)
Councilor LaMattina: Recognizing Joyce Moreno (Docket No. 1943)
Councilors Jackson and Wu: Congratulating the Dow Fund (Docket No. 1944)
Councilor Ciommo : Congratulating Henry Puch (Docket No. 1945)
Councilor O'Malley: Congratulating seven people for 20 years of service and dedication to the Ward 20 Democratic Committee (Docket No. 1946)
Councilor McCarthy: Congratulating Alex G. Geourntas for 20 years of service and dedication to the Ward 20 Democratic Committee (Docket No. 1947)
Councilors Pressley and McCarthy: Recognizing Carolyn Barnes (Dockct No. 1948)
Councilor Yancey: Recognizing Beverly A. Morgan-Welch (Docket No. 1949)
Councilor McCarthy: Congratulating Leo W. Connell for 20 years of service and dedication to the Ward 20 Democratic Committee (Docket No. 1950)
Councilor Murphy: Congratulating First Assistant Clerk-Magistrate Jody Menard-Parece for 30 years of service (Docket No. 1951)

The Chair stated that in the absence of objection, ten late-filed matters would be added to the Consent Agenda.
No objection being heard, the following matter was added:

Councilors Yancey and Jackson: Recognizing Robert L. Marshall (Docket No. 1957 Recognizing George Cox (Docket No. 1958) Recognizing Johnny R. McInnis, II (Docket No. 1959) Recognizing Nora Toney (Docket No. 1960) Recognizing Barbara Fields (Docket No. 1961)
Councilor Yancey : Recognizing Nichelle "Nicole" Purvis (Docket No. 1962) Recognizing Lynnette Frazier (Docket No.1963) Recognizing Kenneth Wayne Yarbrough (Docket No. 1964) Recognizing Lorraine Fowlkes (Docket No. 1965) Recognizing Kamisha Green (Docket No. 1966)

The matters contained within the Consent Agenda were severally adopted.

STATEMENT BY PRESIDENT LINEHAN

President LINEHAN wanted to remind everyone that there will be presentations to Councilors Murphy and Yancey next week at the beginning of the meeting and all will have an opportunity to speak.

NEXT MEETING

Adjourned at 12:55 p.m. on motion of President Linehan and in memory of Judy Burke, to meet again on Wednesday, December 16, 2015 at 12:00 p.m.

Note: All debate of City Council eliminated from proceedings in accordance with Chapter 447, Acts of 1947.

CITY OF BOSTON

Proceedings of the Boston City Council

Wednesday, December 16, 2015

Regular meeting of the City Council held in the Christopher A. Iannella Chamber, City Hall, at 12:10 p.m. President Linehan in the Chair.

INVOCATION

Major Steven Lopes, The Salvation Army, delivered the invocation, and the meeting was opened with the pledge of allegiance to the flag.

STATEMENT OF PRESIDENT LINEHAN

President LINEHAN wanted to invite the Mayor of Boston, Mayor Marty Walsh, to come to the City Council chamber to say a few words to the outgoing Councilors.

STATEMENT OF THE MAYOR

The Mayor came to the Council Chamber today to thank Councilors Murphy and Yancey for their service to the City for many years and thanked President Linehan as well for working alongside him his first two years in office as Mayor. He commented on how even when they didn't agree on the issues, it wasn't made public on their parts most times and most likely on account of the mutual respect they had for each other serving together.

He thanked Councilor Yancey and his family because many times families suffer more from criticism than the elected officials. He said there is no doubt that he will continue to serve the people of Boston.

He thanked Councilor Murphy for his friendship and leadership, recognizing him as a son of Hyde Park. He mentioned his service as past President of this Council and his strength in Public Safety, the Pilot Program and experience understanding the budget process and as someone the Mayor could count on not just as Mayor but also when he served as State Representative. He thanked his wife Bridget for her sacrifice as well.

The Mayor then presented the President, Councilors Murphy and Yancey with a Paul Revere Bowl as an appreciation of his gratitude.

STATEMENT OF THE MAYOR RE: COUNCILOR YANCEY

Mayor Walsh came to the City Council chambers today to thank City Councilors for their work and dedication throughout the year and especially to bid farewell to two of the City's finest City Councilors, Charles Yancey and Stephen Murphy.

He started with Councilor Yancey whom he thanked for his loyalty and passion to District 4 for over 30 years. He thanked him for always pushing and fighting for what he believed and never passing on his values; something important to us all. He congratulated him on his many endeavors including his successful Books Fairs which blessed so many young people across the City and of course, the local library which is the pride of Mattapan. There is no doubt that Councilor Yancey will continue to serve his District. The Mayor also thanked the Councilor's wife, Marzetta for her support and sacrifice.

STATEMENT OF THE MAYOR RE: COUNCILOR MURPHY

The Mayor also thanked Councilor Murphy -- whom he has known for a long time -- for his service, friendship and leadership and for being a son of Hyde of Park. He recognized Councilor Murphy's leadership as President and as the Chairman of the Public Safety Committee and his expertise in the budget process. He thanked him for being a person that the Mayor could count on not just as Mayor of the City but as a State Representative when he called the Councilor for advice on certain matters.

He thanked the Councilor's wife, Bridget whom he quipped he knew longer than the Councilor had. He stated he is sure Steve will find new ways to serve this great City.

PRESENTATION BY THE MAYOR

The Mayor presented City Council President Linehan, Councilor Murphy and Councilor Yancey with Revere Bowls on behalf of the City of Boston.

STATEMENT OF COUNCILOR YANCEY

Councilor Yancey stated his appreciation to all the Councilors and reminisced about his 32 years as a City Councilor. He introduced and thanked his wife, Marzetta for always supporting him and for being here today. He thanked his children who were present and his brother who was also present. He mentioned the high school he has tried many, many years to get built for the City. He spoke of the struggles that still remain of human rights. He said there was disparity in his Post Audit and Oversight Committee report which he will explain and update later.

He reminded the Councilors to always support the Mayor and each other and offer a high quality of service to everyone, especially the children of the Boston Public Schools.

STATEMENTS OF ALL COUNCILORS RE: COUNCILOR YANCEY

The Honorable Charles Yancey has served 32 consecutive years from 1984 to the present as the City Councilor from District4; the only person to do so. There were comments about his many achievements including a new police station, library, parks and playgrounds and of course, his continued dream to have a new state-of-the-art high school built in Boston.

Each Councilor gave personal accounts of knowing Charles and acknowledged his work in teen centers and his wonderful Charles Yancey Book Fairs that all have attended. They spoke of emulating the sincere gentleman he has been in advocating for his district as well as the Councilor did and many spoke of how he will continue to do so long after he leaves the Council.

Councilor Jackson spoke emotionally about his love for Councilor Yancey and the respect and appreciation that he has for him and mentioned fondly the Councilor being by Councilor Jackson's father's side at the end of his life and how he would never forget that.

Many spoke of how Councilor Yancey would welcome them when they were new to the Council.

They spoke of his persistence and his fierce advocacy for the things that really matter to him. They described him as a district councilor with a city-wide lens who advocated and had a strong consideration for the people who not only voted for him but all the people of the City as a whole. They mentioned him having a special place in

his heart for children and families working closely with the Boston Public School and his relentless desire for bus monitors and seatbelt safety on school buses.

They said Councilor Yancey will be remembered for his leadership on social justice, human rights and equality issues that have really been the hallmark of his time on this body.

STATEMENT OF COUNCILOR MURPHY

Councilor Murphy wanted to be philosophical today and quoted Yeats, Socrates and others but stated the most important thing is having the constituents' trust most of all and felt this body has always done the work for those whose lives are busy and felt he did his best to do that as well.

He quipped that he believes he is the only City Councilor to get married while in office.

He cherished his role in the Chamber in whatever chair he was in for almost 20 years. He loves the job, he thinks it's special, and he thinks the stronger this institution is, the stronger we all are. He pointed out that he appreciates Central Staff and his staff especially and feels they are underpaid for all the work they do for the Council as a whole.

He spoke of the turnover of the Council being constant since 1984 with the exception of Councilor Yancey. He said the City is in good hands with people of good character and we should all celebrate that. People are coming from all over to live here so we must be doing something right. He said it's been a good job on the part of the Mayors and the Council. He left us with an emotional quote from William Butler Yeats: "Think where man's glory most begins and ends, and say my glory was I had such friends."

STATEMENTS OF ALL COUNCILORS RE: COUNCILOR MURPHY

The Honorable Stephen J. Murphy has served the last 18 years as a City Councilor-at-Large for the Boston City Council. And although he served three years as President, Councilor Murphy has served primarily as the Chair of the Public Safety Committee where he worked with Commissioners and Chiefs to improve the quality of life for all Bostonians in every neighborhood and ensuring their safety.

A finance man at heart, Councilor Murphy has always watched the bottom line of city finances, municipal and bond financing, taxes and worked with two Administrations to ensure balanced budgets. Steve was a major force around the pilot program, payments in lieu of taxes and ensured not-for-profit institutions contribute their fair share to the City. Most recently, Councilor Murphy cosponsored legislation that will create a tax deferment to long-time homeowners from the high assessment of their property taxes which is up at the State House and moving forward to become legislation.

City Councilors thanked Councilor Murphy's wife, Bridget for her support stating that the Councilors are very close to one another and spend an awful lot of time together so they become family and each of their families become family. Many referred to Councilor Murphy as a big guy with a big heart.

They suggested that the remaining members need to get to know rules like Councilor Murphy does because he was the expert in areas of the City Charter and the Home Rule process. They believe not enough credit was given to Councilor Murphy for CORI Reform, Pilot Reform, the environmental issues of biodiesels and dioxins that he worked on. They referred to the countless hours of hearings and meetings and millions and millions of dollars that he directed to the Fire and Police Departments, EMS and First Responders who owe him a debt of gratitude for the equipment, up-to-date technology and manpower that they now have on a day-to-day basis to deal with 911 calls or any other homeland security issues that may arise. It was commented that he is fiercely loyal, a wonderful friend and the Chamber will not be the same with his absence.

STATEMENT OF PRESIDENT LINEHAN

President LINEHAN moved to adopt the minutes from the December 9, 2015 meeting. ***Motion prevailed.***

ORDER AUTHORIZING POLICE COMMISSIONER TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND A GRANT OF $30,000 FROM MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION FOR PURPOSE OF WORKING WITH WALKBOSTON IN ORDER TO PEDESTRIAN TRAFFIC SAFETY VIDEO (DOCKET NO. 1967)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

December 11, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I hereby transmit for your approval an Order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend the Bicycle/Pedestrian Safety and Awareness Program Grant in the amount of $30,000 from the Massachusetts Department of Transportation. This award is made for the purpose of working with WalkBoston to create a pedestrian traffic safety video.

I urge your Honorable Body to adopt this Order as soon as possible so that the City of Boston may accept the funds expeditiously and expend them for the purposes for which they were granted.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND THE BICYCLE/PEDESTRIAN SAFETY AND AWARENESS PROGRAM GRANT FROM THE MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORATION TO CREATE THE WALKBOSTON PEDESTRIAN TRAFFIC SAFETY VIDEO

ORDERED: That the Police Commissioner, acting on behalf of the City of Boston be, and hereby is authorized, pursuant to section 53A of chapter 44 of the Massachusetts General Laws, to accept and expend the grant of the Massachusetts Department of Transportation, not to exceed the amount of Thirty Thousand Dollars ($30,000.00), in order to create the WalkBoston Pedestrian Traffic Safety Video.

The rules were suspended; the order was passed.

NOTICE RECEIVED FROM CITY CLERK IN ACCORDANCE WITH CHAPTER 6 OF ORDINANCES OF 1979 RE: ACTION TAKEN BY MAYOR ON PAPERS ACTED UPON BY CITY COUNCIL AT ITS MEETING OF 11.04.15 (DOCKET NO. 1968)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the City Clerk

December 14, 2015

To the City Council.
Councilors:

In accordance with Chapter 6 of the Ordinances of 1979, I hereby notify you of the following actions taken by the Mayor with regard to the papers acted upon by the City Council at its meeting of November 4, 2015 viz.

1659 Order to declare surplus City-owned former Public Works Department parcel property known as Washburn Street, Dorchester (711 square feet of vacant land) to transfer care, custody, management and control of said property to the Public Facilities Commission.
Approved by the Mayor November 10, 2015

1660 Order to declare surplus City-owned former Public Works Department parcel property known as Howell Street, Dorchester (1288 square feet of vacant land) District to transfer care, custody, management and control of said property to the Public Facilities Commission.
Approved by the Mayor November 10, 2015

1770 Order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend Two Million Five Hundred Thousand ($2,500,000.00) form the East Boston Foundation Grant from the Massachusetts Port Authority in accordance with the amended and restated Payment-In-Lieu-of Taxes Agreement between the Massachusetts Port Authority and the City of Boston.
Approved by the Mayor November 10, 2015

Respectfully,
Maureen Feeney,
City Clerk.

Placed on file.

NOTICE RECEIVED FROM CITY CLERK IN ACCORDANCE WITH CHAPTER 6 OF ORDINANCES OF 1979 RE: ACTION TAKEN BY MAYOR ON PAPERS ACTED UPON BY CITY COUNCIL AT ITS MEETING OF 11.18.15 (DOCKET NO. 1969)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the City Clerk

December 14, 2015

To the City Council.
Councilors:

In accordance with Chapter 6 of the Ordinances of 1979, I hereby notify you of the following actions taken by the Mayor with regard to the papers acted upon by the City Council at its meeting of November 18, 2015 viz.

1553 Ordinance amending Chapter 16 of the City of Boston Code, ordinances, Regulation of Advertising.
Approved by the Mayor November 23, 2015

1590 Order authorizing the Fire Commissioner to accept and expend a grant of One Million Seven Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars ($1,750,000.00) from the Commonwealth of Massachusetts Executive Office of Public Safety and Security, Department of Fire Services.
Approved by the Mayor November 23, 2015

1591 Order authorizing the Police Commissioner to accept and expend a grant in the authorizing the Police Commissioner to accept and expend a grant of Two Hundred Fifty Two Thousand Sixty-Two Dollars ($252,062.00) from the Office of Juvenile Justice Delinquency Prevention (OJJDP) used to support the development of enhancement of Youth Violence Prevention Plan.
Approved by the Mayor November 23, 2015

1592 Order authorizing the Fire Commissioner to accept and expend a grant of Two Hundred Thirty Seven Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (237,500.00) from the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Executive Office of Public Safety and Security, Department of Fire Services for the Boston Fire Department Hazmat Division. This award is made for the sole purpose of supplementing the City appropriations to maintain hazmat material response team operations.
Approved by the Mayor November 23, 2015

1593 Order authorizing the Police Commissioner to accept and expend supplemental funding of Seventy Thousand Dollars and Twelve Cents ($70,000.12) for the FY11 and FY14 Community-based Violence Prevention Demonstration Project grant, from the Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention (OITDP) which will be used to implement evidence based strategies that will positively impact violent crime trends.
Approved by the Mayor November 23, 2015

1721 Order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend a grant not to exceed Four Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars ($450,000.00) from educational institutions for the purpose of funding internship programs for the City of Boston.
Approved by the Mayor November 23, 2015

1722 Order authorizing the Department of Neighborhood Development, to apply for, accept and expend United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) for Brownfield Cleanup Grant funding not to exceed Four Hundred Thousand Dollars ($400,000.00) .
Approved by the Mayor November 23, 2015

Respectfully,
Maureen Feeney,
City Clerk.

Placed on file.

NOTICE RECEIVED FROM CITY CLERK IN ACCORDANCE WITH CHAPTER 6 OF ORDINANCES OF 1979 RE: ACTION TAKEN BY MAYOR ON PAPERS ACTED UPON BY CITY COUNCIL AT ITS MEETING OF 12.02.15 (DOCKET NO. 1970)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the City Clerk

December 14, 2015

To the City Council.
Councilors:

In accordance with Chapter 6 of the Ordinances of 1979, I hereby notify you of the following actions taken by the Mayor with regard to the papers acted upon by the City Council at its meeting of December 2, 2015 viz.

1793 Order authorizing the Mayor's Office of Emergency Management to accept and expend a grant of Fourteen Million four Hundred Thousand Dollars ($14,400,00.00) from the U.S. Department of Homeland Security's (DHS), Urban Area Security Initiative (UASI) Grant FFY2015, address the unique planning, training, exercise, equipment, and operational needs of large urban areas, and

assist them in building an enhanced and sustainable capacity to prevent, respond to and recover from threats or acts of terrorism, including chemical, biological, radiological, nuclear and explosive (CBRNE) incidents.
Approved by the Mayor December 4, 2015

1794 Order authorizing the Mayor's Office of Emergency Management to accept and expend a grant of One Hundred Thirty-Nine Thousand Nine Hundred Fifty Dollars ($139,950.00) from the U.S. Department of Homeland Security's (DHS), Emergency Management Performance Grant (EMPG) FFY2013 and FFY2014, to provide resources to assist local governments to sustain and enhance all hazards emergency management capabilities.
Approved by the Mayor December 4, 2015

1795 Order authorizing the Mayor's Office of Emergency Management to accept and expend a grant of Sixty Nine Thousand Nine Hundred Seventy-Five Dollars ($69,975.00) from the U.S. Department of Homeland Security's (DHS), Emergency Management Performance Grant (EMPG) FFY2015, to provide resources to assist local governments to sustain and enhance all hazards emergency management capabilities.
Approved by the Mayor December 4, 2015

1796 Order authorizing the City to adopt a property tax. exemption for members of the National Guard and reservists who are serving in foreign countries, pursuant to Massachusetts General Laws Chapter 59, Section 5 (56), the City of Boston shall offer a property tax exemption of up to 100% for active members of the National Guard and reservists for Fiscal Year 2016.
Approved by the Mayor December 4, 2015

1803 Order that pursuant to Chapter 40, section 56, the residential factor in the City of Boston for FY2016 shall be the minimum residential factor as determined by the Commissioner of Revenue pursuant to M G. L. Chapter 58, section lA and be it further that pursuant to Chapter 403 of the acts of 2000, a residential exemption in the amount of value equal to thirty percent (30%) of the average assessed value of all Class One-Residential parcels in the City of Boston be, and hereby is approved for Fiscal Year 2016.
Approved by the Mayor December 4, 2015

1847 Order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend a grant of One Hundred Thousand Dollars ($100,000.00) from Citi Community Development for the purpose of funding the New Americans Library Comer Initiative, to provide citizenship information, financial empowerment, and legal assistance information, and other crucial programs that enable New Bostonians to play an active role in the economic, civic, social and cultural life of the City of Boston.
Approved by the Mayor December 9, 2015

Respectfully,
Maureen Feeney,
City Clerk.

Placed on file.

COMMUNICATION RECEIVED FROM CITY CLERK ON UNIVERSITY ACCOUNTABILITY REPORT - FALL 2015 STATISTICS (DOCKET NO. 1971)

Communication was received from the City Clerk on the University Accountability Report ¬Fall 2015 Statistics.

Placed on file.

APPOINTMENT BY THE MAYOR
(DOCKET NO. 1972)

Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of Alexis Finneran Tkackuk as Director of Labor Relations effective December 7, 2015.
Placed on file.

APPOINTMENT BY THE MAYOR
(DOCKET NO. 1973)

Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of Anne Galvin as a member of the Boston Fair Housing Commission, for a term expiring December 10, 2018.
Placed on file.

APPOINTMENT BY THE MAYOR
(DOCKET NO. 1974)

Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of Timothy Sieber as a member of the Living Wage Advisory Committee, for a term expiring December 10, 2018.
Placed on file.

COMMUNICATION RECEIVED FROM CITY CLERK OF FILING BY BOSTON REDEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY OF FIFTH AMENDMENT TO REPORT AND DECISION ON MATEP CHAPTER 121A PROJECT" (DOCKET NO. 1975)

Communication was received from the City Clerk of the filing by the Boston Redevelopment Authority of the Fifth Amendment to the Report and Decision on Matep Chapter 121A Project."
Placed on file.

REPORT ON ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 17 OF CITY OF BOSTON CODE - ORDINANCES, REGULATING PRACTICE OF PATRONS BRINGING THEIR OWN ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES ONTO PREMISES (BYOB) (DOCKET NO. 0353)

Councilor FLAHERTY, on behalf of the Committee on Government Operations, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 0353, an ordinance amending Chapter 17 of the City of Boston Code ¬ordinances, regulating the practice of patrons bringing their own alcoholic beverages onto the premises (BYOB), (referred February 11) recommending passage of the ordinance.

The report was accepted; the order was passed.

ORDER FOR HEARING REGARDING FURNITURE FLAMMABILITY STANDARDS IN BOSTON FIRE PREVENTION CODE (DOCKET NO. 0265)

This matter which was recently heard for possible action, was remanded back to the **Committee on Public Safety.**

REPORT ON ORDER FOR CONFIRMATION OF REAPPOINTMENT OF CHRISTINE ARAUJO AS MEMBER OF ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS FOR TERM EXPIRING JULY 1, 2018 (DOCKET NO. 1918)

Councilor MURPHY, on behalf of the Committee on Economic Development and Planning and Labor, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 1918, message of the Mayor and order for the confirmation of the re-appointment of Christine Araujo as a member of the Zoning Board of Appeals for a term expiring July 1, 2018 (referred December 2) recommending passage of the order.

The report was accepted; the appointment was confirmed.

REPORT ON ORDER FOR CONFIRMATION OF RE-APPOINTMENT OF CHRISTINE ARAUJO AS MEMBER OF ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS FOR TERM EXPIRING JULY 1, 2018 (DOCKET NO. 1919)

Councilor MURPHY, on behalf of the Committee on Economic Development and Planning and Labor, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 1919, message of the Mayor and order for the confirmation of the appointment of Roxann Cooke, as a member of the Boston Industrial Development Finance Authority for a term expiring April 1, 2019 (referred December 2) recommending passage of the order.

The report was accepted; the appointment was confirmed.

REPORT ON ORDER AUTHORIZING CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND DONATIONS TO HELP SUPPORT CANSHARE 2015 IN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED $150,000 TO PROVIDE ACCESS TO FRESH FOOD IN CITY, SUCH AS BOSTON BOUNTY BUCKS PROGRAM, WHICH ENABLES SUPPLEMENTAL NUTRITION ASSISTANCE PROGRAM (SNAP) TO DOUBLE THEIR BUYING POWER AT BOSTON FARMERS MARKETS AND GREATLY INCREASE ACCESS TO FRESH, HEALTHY FOOD (DOCKET NO. 1846)

Councilor PRESSLEY, on behalf of the Committee on Healthy Women and Families and Communities, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 1846, message of the Mayor and order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend donations to help support CANshare 2015 in an amount not to exceed One Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars ($150,000.00) to provide access to fresh food in the City, such as the Boston Bounty Bucks Program, which enables Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) to double their buying power at Boston Farmers Markets and greatly increase access to fresh, healthy food (referred December 2) recommending passage of the order.

The report was accepted; the order was passed.

REPORT ORDER AUTHORIZING OFFICE OF NEW BOSTONIANS TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND GRANT OF $180,000 FROM OPEN SOCIETY FOUNDATION, IN PARTNERSHIP WITH HYAMS FOUNDATION, BOSTON FOUNDATION AND HERMAN AND FRIEDA L. MILLER FOUNDATION, FOR PURPOSE OF FUNDING DEFERRED ACTION FOR CHILDHOOD ARRIVALS (DACA) & DEFERRED ACTION FOR PARENTAL ACCOUNTABILITY (DAPA) OUTREACH INITIATIVE (DOCKET NO. 1928)

Councilor PRESSLEY, on behalf of the Committee on Healthy Women and Families and Communities, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 1928, message of the Mayor and order authorizing the Office of New Bostonians to accept and expend a grant of One Hundred Eighty Thousand Dollars ($180,000.00) from the Open Society Foundation, in partnership with the Hyams Foundation, the Boston Foundation and the Herman and Frieda L. Miller Foundation for the purpose of funding the Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals (DACA) & Deferred Action for Parental Accountability (DAPA) Outreach Initiative (referred December 9) recommending passage of the order.

The report was accepted; the order was passed.

REPORT ON ORDER FOR HEARING TO REVIEW NUMBER OF STUDENTS RETURNING TO BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS FROM CHARTER SCHOOLS (DOCKET NO. 1920)

Councilor JACKSON, on behalf of the Committee on Education, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 1920, order for a hearing to review the number of students returning to Boston Public Schools from Charter Schools (referred December 2) recommending the order be placed on file.

The report was accepted; the order was placed on file.

REPORT ON COMMUNICATION WAS RECEIVED FROM THE CITY CLERK OF THE FILING BY THE AUDITING DEPARTMENT REGARDING THE CITY OF BOSTON'S FISCAL 2014 COMPREHENSIVE ANNUAL FINANCIAL REPORT (DOCKET NO. 0171)

Councilor YANCEY of behalf of the Committee on Post Audit and Oversight, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 0171 Communication was received from the City Clerk of the filing by the Auditing Department regarding the City of Boston's Fiscal 2014 Comprehensive Annual Financial Report

The report was accepted; the order was placed on file.

REPORT ON ORDER FOR A HEARING TO REVIEW THE FISCAL YEAR 2015 BUDGET (DOCKET NO. 0199

Councilor YANCEY of behalf of the Committee on Post Audit and Oversight, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 0199 Order for a hearing to Review the Fiscal Year 2015 Budget,.

The report was accepted; the order was placed on file.

ORDER FOR HEARING TO IDENTIFY SOLUTIONS TO ENSURE EQUITABLE TRANSITIONS OF BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOL STUDENTS RECEIVING SPECIAL EDUCATION SERVICES (DOCKET NO. 0133)

This matter which was recently heard for possible action, was remanded back to the **Committee on Public Safety.**

ORDINANCE AMENDING CBC SECTION 6·6.3, SCHEDULE OF PARKING FINES (DOCKET NO. 1976)

Councilor ZAKIM, MURPHY, LAMATTINA, MCCARTHY, O'MALLEY, YANCEY, WU, JACKSON, CIOMMO, FLAHERTY and LINEHAN offered the following:

WHEREAS, The neighborhoods of Fenway, Kenmore Square, and Audubon Circle are vibrant residential communities in our City; and

WHEREAS, These neighborhoods are disproportionately impacted by residential parking issues due to their proximity to Fenway Park; and

WHEREAS, On April 8, 2015, the Boston City Council passed Docket 0267, which increased the fine for residential parking violations in the Fenway/Kenmore Residential Parking District during Fenway Park events from $40 to $100; and

WHEREAS, This increase has received the praise and endorsement of neighborhood residents, the Boston Transportation Department, and the Boston Red Sox, but is due to expire on December 31,2015;

NOW THEREFORE, Be it ordained by the City Council of Boston, as follows:

Section I.

CBC Chapter VI, Section 6-6.3, as amended by Chapter Two of the Ordinances of 2015, shall be amended by striking the phrase "and shall expire on December 31, 20 IS" wherever it appears.

Section 2.

The provisions of this ordinance shall be effective immediately upon passage.

On motion of Councilor ZAKIM, the rules were suspended; the ordinance was passed.

LATE·FILED MATTERS

The Chair stated that in absence of objection, three late-filed matters would be added to the Agenda.

No objection being heard, the following matters were added:

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES (DOCKET NO. 2002)

President LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, January 2, 2016 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, March 4, 2016:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Stephen Harvey, Secretary, $1,365.40, full time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES (DOCKET NO. 2003)

President LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, December 26, 2015 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, January 1, 2016:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Addison Koelle, Secretary, $1,384.63, full time
Bernadette Lally, Administrative Asst., $1,576.93, part time
Robert E. Powers, Secretary, $2,019.24, full time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

ORDER TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND FOR BENEFIT OF CITY OF BOSTON DONATION OF 2001 YAMAHA MOTORCYCLE FROM NATIONAL INSURANCE CRIME BUREAU FOR USE BY AUTO THEFT UNIT (DOCKET NO. 2004)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

December 15, 2015

To the City Council.
Dear Councilors:

I herewith submit for your approval, an Order to accept and expend for the benefit of the City of Boston, a donation of a 2001 Yamaha Motorcycle (True VIN JYARN05E3IA007822) from the National Insurance Crime Bureau for use by the Auto Theft Unit.

I urge your Honorable Body to adopt this Order as soon as possible so that the City of Boston may accept the Yamaha Motorcycle expeditiously and use it for the purpose for which it was granted.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND A DONATION OF A 2001 YAMAHA MOTORCYCLE FOR THE USE BY THE BOSTON POLICE DEPARTMENT AUTO THEFT UNIT

ORDERED: That the Boston Police Department, be and hereby is authorized, in accordance with Section 53A 1/2 of Chaptter 44 of the Massachusetts General Laws to accept as a gift a donation from the National Insurance Crime Bureau a 2001 Yamaha Motorcycle (True VIN JYARN05E31A007822) for use by the Auto Theft Unit.

The rules were suspended; the order was passed.

ORDER FOR HEARING ON BRA'S PROCESS ON SALE OF PROPERTY ADJACENT TO STRADA 234 (DOCKET NO. 0102)

President LINEHAN called Docket No. 0102 from the table. No objection being heard, the matter was before the body.

On motion of Councilor LINEHAN, the order was placed on file.

PETITION FOR SPECIAL LAW RE: ACT AUTHORIZING RETIREMENT BOARD GRANT CERTAIN RETIREMENT BENEFITS TO BOSTON FIREFIGHTER ALLEN CURRY (DOCKET NO. 0103)

President LINEHAN called Docket No. 0103 from the table. No objection being heard, the matter was before the body.

On motion of Councilor LINEHAN, the order was placed on file.

ORDER FOR HEARING RE: PERSONNEL PRACTICES IN CITY (DOCKET NO. 0104)

President LINEHAN called Docket No. 0104 from the table. No objection being heard, the matter was before the body.

On motion of Councilor LINEHAN, the order was placed on file.

ORDER FOR HEARING TO REVIEW FISCAL YEAR 2013 AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (DOCKET NO. 0106)

President LINEHAN called Docket No. 0106 from the table. No objection being heard, the matter was before the body.

On motion of Councilor LINEHAN, the order was placed on file.

ORDER FOR HEARING TO REVIEW FISCAL YEAR 2014 BUDGET (DOCKET NO. 0107)

President LINEHAN called Docket No. 0107 from the table. No objection being heard, the matter was before the body.

On motion of Councilor LINEHAN, the order was placed on file.

ORDER FOR HEARING RE: COST OF LIVING ADJUSTMENT (COLA) FOR RETIREES & RAISING BASE AMOUNT (DOCKET NO. 0108)

President LINEHAN called Docket No. 0108 from the table. No objection being heard, the matter was before the body.

On motion of Councilor LINEHAN, the order was placed on file.

ORDER FOR HEARING RE: PUSH CART VENDORS & FANEUIL HALL MARKETPLACE (DOCKET NO. 0109)

President LINEHAN called Docket No. 0109 from the table. No objection being heard, the matter was before the body.

On motion of Councilor LINEHAN, the order was placed on file.

ORDER FOR HEARING ON FOOD INSECURITY IN BOSTON (DOCKET NO. 0110)

President LINEHAN called Docket No. 0110 from the table. No objection being heard, the matter was before the body.

On motion of Councilor LINEHAN, the order was placed on file.

ORDER FOR HEARING TO DISCUSS STATE OF EMERGENCY REGARDING HIV/AIDS EPIDEMIC IN COMMUNITIES OF COLOR IN BOSTON (DOCKET NO. 0205)

President PRESSLEY called Docket No. 0205 from the Committee on Healthy Women and Families.

No objection being heard, the matter was before the body.

On motion of Councilor PRESSLEY, the matter was placed on file.

ORDER FOR CONSTRUCTION OF HIGH SCHOOL IN MATTAPAN (DOCKET NO. 0105).

President LINEHAN called Docket No. 0105 from the table.

Councilor YANCEY objected to Docket No. 0105 and moved for a second reading of Docket No. 0105. The order was given its second reading and did not pass; yeas, 8, nays 6:

Yeas - Councilor Flaherty, Jackson, McCarthy, Murphy, O'Malley, Pressley, Wu, Yancey - 8. Nays - Councilors Baker, Ciommo, LaMattina, Linehan, Zakim - 5.

CONSENT AGENDA

The Chair moved adoption of a Consent Agenda in which the following-named Councilors offered resolutions of a condolence or congratulatory nature as set forth after each Councilor's name:

Councilor McCarthy: In memory of Anthony Kane (Docket No. 1977)

Councilor Ciommo: In memory of Mary "Aunt Mary" McCluskey (Docket No. 1978) In memory of Janet Geilfuss (Docket No. 1979)

Councilor LaMattina: In memory of Paul Sheehan (Docket No. 1980) Recognizing Matthew Barison (Docket No. 1981) Recognizing Nelson Velasquez (Docket No. 1982) Recognizing Ricardo Sanchez (Docket No. 1983) In memory of John Sawyer Jr (Docket No. 1984)

Councilor Ciommo: In memory of Paul J. Shea (Docket No. 1985)

Councilor O'Malley: Congratulating Julie Crockford (Docket No. 1986) In memory of William A. Kopitke (Docket No. 1987)

Councilor Jackson: Congratulating Charles C. Gordon (Docket No. 1988) Recognizing Rev. Miniard Culpepper (Docket No. 1989) Recognizing George Edward Murray (Docket No. 1990) In memory of Pearl Handshuh Hack (Docket No. 1991) Recognizing Massachusetts Coalition For The Homeless (Docket No. 1992) Recognizing The Residents of Faulkner Street in Dorchester's Fields Corner Area (Docket No. 1993)

Councilor Yancey: Recognizing Massachusetts Alliance Of HUD Tenants (Docket No. 1994) Recognizing The Boston Homeless Solidarity Committee (Docket No. 1995) Recognizing five organizations for their commitment to the families and neighborhoods of the City of Boston (Docket No. 1996) Recognizing 34 Organizations for their support to uphold Social, Political, Economic and Environmental Justice for all Families and Neighborhood in Boston (Docket No. 1997) Recognizing 44 people for their Commitment and Hard Work to Make the Annual Charles C. Yancey Book Fair a Community Success (Docket No. 1998) Recognizing 90 people for their Dedication and Hard Work to Improve the Quality of Life for all of the Families and Neighborhoods within the City of Boston (Docket No. 1999) Recognizing Derrick Anthony Jones (Docket No. 2000)

Councilor Murphy: Congratulating Suffolk Superior Court Trial Magistrate Gary D. Wilson for 43 years of dedicated service (Docket No. 2001)

The chair stated that in absence of objection, eight late-file matters would be added to the Consent Agenda. No objection being heard the following matters were added:

Councilor LaMattina: Congratulating Judy Evers (Docket No. 2005)

Councilor Yancey: Congratulating Andrea Taylor (Docket No. 2006) Congratulating Blacks in Govern-

ment, Inc. (Docket No. 2007) Congratulating Rose Bell (Docket No. 2008) Congratulating Boston Cadet Squadron of the Civil Air Patrol (Docket No. 2009)

Councilor O'Malley: In memory of Margaret O'Brien ((Docket No. 2010

Councilor Jackson: Congratulating Cherie Ching (Docket No. 2011) Congratulating Dianne Thornton (Docket No. 2012)

The matters contained within the Consent Agenda were severally adopted.

STATEMENT OF PRESIDENT LINEHAN

President LINEHAN wanted to thank the Clerk and her office for working closely with the City Council this year. He also wanted to especially thank his own staff, Central Staff, the videographer Kerry and his crew for their dedication and service to the Council as a whole.

In his closing remarks as he leaves the leadership as President of the Council he mentioned all the great things this Council did over the past two years. He was especially happy with the Special Committees they chose, the public forums and stated that he was very grateful to all the Councilors and enjoyed every moment in his role as President.

He thanked Mark Ciommo for being his vice-president during both years with him and said it was such an honor to serve as Council President. He feels together they made Boston better and demonstrated the true value of the Boston City Council.

STATEMENT OF COUNCILOR YANCEY

Councilor YANCEY wanted to show his appreciation on behalf of all the Councilors in thanking President LINEHAN for a job well done over the past two years.

The President was very appreciative.

NEXT MEETING

Adjourned at 3:22 p.m. on motion of President Linehan and in memory of Paula Hamilton, Mary McCluskey, Janet Geilfuss, Paul Shea, David Whelan, Maria Roberto, Louis Spada, William A. Kopitke, Margaret O'Brien and John Casey, IN SINE DIE.

Note: All debate of City Council eliminated from proceedings in accordance with Chapter 447, Acts of 1947.